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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 2)

Europa building, Brussels

30 November and 2 December 2020 (9.30, 16.30)

Format 1+1 (+1 in listening room)

1. Adoption of the agenda
Approval of 'I' items in Annex

Discussion items (II)

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2020 (9.30)

Foreign Affairs

2. European Union – United States relations
Exchange of views



Justice and Home Affairs

3. Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on
14 December 2020: Preparation

- a) Implementation of interoperability
Exchange of views

12779/1/20 REV 1

- b) Engagement with partners for effective readmission and
stronger migration management
Exchange of views

- c) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Economic and Financial Affairs

4. Conciliation on the budget 2021: state of play and next steps
Information from the Presidency



General Affairs

7. Conclusions on Enlargement and Stabilisation and Association Process
Approval
Decision to use the written procedure 12162/20 + COR 1
6. Informal videoconference of the Ministers of European Affairs on 8 December 2020: Preparation
- a) Legislative programming
- i) Joint declaration on the EU legislative priorities for 2021 13360/20 + COR 1
- ii) Joint conclusions on the policy objectives and priorities for 2020-2024 13361/20 + COR 1
Information from the Presidency
- b) (poss.) European Democracy Action Plan
Information from the Commission
- c) Other items in connection with the informal videoconference

Foreign Affairs

5. Post-Cotonou negotiations
State of play and guidance for further work

Any other business

WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER 2020 (16.30)

General Affairs

6. Informal videoconference of the Ministers of European Affairs
on 8 December 2020: Preparation
- d) Preparation of the European Council on 10-11 December 2020: Conclusions
Exchange of views 11980/20

Foreign Affairs

13. EU-Africa Leaders meeting
12. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 7 December 2020:
Preparation
- a) Current Affairs
- b) Transatlantic relations
Exchange of views
86. Conclusions on European Union – United States relations 13333/20
Preparation for the approval
12. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 7 December 2020:
Preparation
- c) Strategic autonomy
Exchange of views
- d) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Economic and Financial Affairs

10. (poss.) Regulation establishing a Recovery and Resilience
Facility
Debriefing
11. Informal meeting of the Ministers of the Economy and Finance
on 1 December 2020: Follow-up
4. Conciliation on the budget 2021: state of play and next steps SC
Information from the Presidency

Any other business

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The following items are withdrawn:

General Affairs

8. (poss.) Covid-19 - EU coordination
Exchange of views
9. Relations with the EP (November 2020)
Debriefing
7. (poss.) Conclusions on Enlargement and Stabilisation and Association Process - Western Balkans
Approval
Decision to use the written procedure 12162/1/20 REV 1
59. (poss.) Enlargement - Accession Negotiations with the Republic of Albania
i) General EU Position 11954/3/20 REV 3
ii) Procedure for accession negotiations (internal arrangements) 11955/1/20 REV 1
Approval
Decision to use the written procedure

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In the margins of Coreper:

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2020 (11.00)

MIXED COMMITTEE

Justice and Home Affairs

- Implementation of interoperability 12779/1/20 REV 1
Exchange of views

Non-discussion items (I)

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2020

Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 14. | New Slovenian Commemorative Coin | 12833/20
UEM |
| 15. | Amended Estonian Commemorative Coin | 12834/20
UEM |
| 16. | New Belgian Commemorative Coin | 12835/20
UEM |
| 17. | Amending Regulation concerning investigations conducted by OLAF
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reason</i> | <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: left;"> 13364/20
10008/20 + ADD 1
GAF </div> |
| 18. | Regulation on the application of Union tariff rate quotas and other import quotas
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption of the legislative act</i> | <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: left;"> 13365/20
PE-CONS 43/20
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General Affairs

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| 19. | EP Resolutions and decisions (November II 2020) | 13314/20
PE-RE |
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Justice and Home Affairs

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| 20. | Union Civil Protection Mechanism Decision
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i> | <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: left;"> 13334/20
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Foreign Affairs

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| 21. | ASEM: Connectivity and Socio-economic recovery statements
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> | <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; text-align: left;"> 13349/20
COASI </div> |
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| 22. Joint Declaration for a Dialogue on Environment, Climate
Action and Sustainable Development with Colombia
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> |  13298/20
 13340/20
COLAC |
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WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER 2020

Institutional Affairs

Appointments

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| 24. Two alternate members (IT) of the Committee of the Regions
<i>Adoption</i> | 13192/20
13191/20
CDR |
| 25. Two members (PT) of the Committee of the Regions
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  13398/20
13397/20
CDR |
| 26. Member of the Executive Board of the ECB | 13394/20
26/20
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UEM |

Transparency

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| 27. Public access to documents
Confirmatory application No 22/c/01/20
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  12324/20
12323/20
INF
API |
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Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 28. Council Implementing Decision granting temporary support
under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to Ireland to mitigate
unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19
outbreak
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  13268/20
 13007/20
ECOFIN |
| 29. Regulation establishing the InvestEU Programme
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i> |   13375/20
ECOFIN |
| 30. ECA SR No 24/2020 on Commission's EU merger control and
antitrust proceedings
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i> |  13222/20
FIN |

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| <p>31. Conclusions on CMU Action Plan
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i></p> |  12898/20
13308/20
EF |
| <p>32. Council Directive regarding the exemption of the supply of COVID-19 vaccines and testing kits from value added tax (VAT)
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i>
<i>Decision to derogate from the 8-week period provided for in Article 4 of Protocol 1 on the role of national parliaments in the EU</i></p> |  13249/20
12946/20
FISC |
| <p>33. Regulation of the EP and of the Council on the elimination of customs duties for certain products
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption of the legislative act</i></p> |  13370/20
PE-CONS 44/20
WTO |

General Affairs

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| <p>34. Legislative Programming
a) Joint declaration on the EU legislative priorities for 2021
b) Joint conclusions on the policy objectives and priorities for 2020-2024
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i></p> |  13377/20
13546/20
13547/20
INST |
| <p>35. REACT-EU Regulation
<i>Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement</i></p> |  13289/20
REGIO |
| <p>60. Regulation on railway safety and connectivity through the Channel Fixed Link
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i></p> |  13500/20
UK |

Justice and Home Affairs

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| <p>36. Regulation establishing the Rights and Values Programme for the period 2021-2027
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i></p> |  13412/20
JAI
CADREFIN |
| <p>61. Regulation establishing the Justice programme
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i></p> |  13420/20
JAI
CADREFIN |

Foreign Affairs

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| 37. | Conclusions on Lebanon
<i>Approval</i> | | 13414/20
MAMA |
| 38. | Informal videoconference of the members of the EU-Algeria
Association Council (7 December 2020)
<i>Establishment of the EU position</i> | | 13411/1/20 REV 1
MAMA |
| 62. | Informal videoconference of the members of the EU-Uzbekistan
Cooperation Council (17 December 2020)
<i>Establishment of the EU position</i> | | 13492/1/20 REV 1
COEST |
| 23. | Regulation on dual-use items: Union General Export
Authorisation for the UK
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption of the
legislative act</i>
<i>Decision to derogate from the 8-week period provided for in
Article 4 of Protocol 1 on the role of national parliaments in the
EU</i> |  | 13371/20
PE-CONS 45/20
COMER |
| 40. | WTO package on Micro, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> |  | 13299/20
10647/20
WTO |
| 41. | PACE Plan 2022-2023
<i>Endorsement</i> | | 13403/20
13382/20
CFSP/PESC |
| 63. | Conclusions on Civilian CSDP Compact
<i>Approval</i> | | 13438/20
CIVCOM
CSDP/PSDC |
| 64. | Conclusions on EU Peace Mediation
<i>Approval</i> | | 13440/20
CIVCOM
CSDP/PSDC |
| 42. | Council Decision on the signature and conclusion, on behalf of
the Union, of the Agreement between the EU and the
Government of the Federal Republic of Somalia on the status of
EUTM Somalia
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  | 13174/20
13021/20
13022/20
CORLX |

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| 43. | Council Decision on a European Union military mission to contribute to the training of Somali security forces
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  | 13173/20
12600/20
CORLX |
| 44. | Council Decision on the European Union Capacity Building Mission in Somalia (EUCAP Somalia)
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  | 12977/20
12504/20
CORLX |
| 45. | Syria - authorisation to produce Council documents before French court
<i>Authorisation to produce a copy of or an extract from a Council document for use in legal proceedings</i> |  | 13446/20
CORLX |
| 65. | Council Decision and Regulation concerning restrictive measures against serious human rights violations and abuses
<i>Adoption</i> | | 12329/20
12104/20
12106/20
CORLX |
| 66. | Update of the mandate of the Working Party on Human Rights (COHOM)
<i>Approval</i> | | 13526/20 + COR 1
CORLX |
| 67. | Council Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures against the Democratic Republic of the Congo - review
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  | 13507/20
13265/20
13267/20
CORLX |

EU positions for international negotiations

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| 46. | Council Decision on the EU position on EU-Central America Association Council regarding modifications to Appendix 2 and Explanatory Notes to Articles 15, 16, 19, 20 and 30 of Annex II of the Agreement
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> | 
 | 12271/20 + ADD 1
11696/20
11697/20
11699/20
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| 48. | Council Decision on the EU position to be taken within the WTO General Council as regards the World Food Programme
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> | 
 | 12961/20
12962/20
WTO |
| 49. | Council Decision on the EU position within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement [32015R1222 - Guideline on congestion management "CM"]
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> | 
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12928/20
12929/20
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| <p>50. Council Decision on the EU position within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement [32017R1485 - Guideline on electricity transmission system operation "ETS" - "SOGL"]
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i></p> | 
 | <p>12934/20
12932/20
12933/20
AELE</p> |
| <p>51. Council Decision on the EU position within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement [32016R1719 - Guideline on forward capacity allocation "FCA"]
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i></p> | 
 | <p>12939/20
12937/20
12938/20
AELE</p> |
| <p>52. Council Decision on the EU position within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement [32017R2195 - Guideline on electricity balancing "EB"]
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i></p> | 
 | <p>12943/20
12941/20
12942/20
AELE</p> |
| <p>53. Council Decisions on the EU position within the Association Councils of the bilateral agreements as regards the amendments of the Protocols concerning the implementation of the revised rules of the PEM Convention
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i></p> | 
 | <p>13300/20 + ADD 1
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| <p>a) Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with Albania as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation</p> | | <p>11990/20
11141/20</p> |
| <p>b) Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with Bosnia and Herzegovina as regards the amendment of Protocol 2 to that Agreement concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation</p> | | <p>11996/20
11065/20</p> |
| <p>c) Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee established by the EEA Agreement, as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation</p> | | <p>10296/20
10297/20</p> |

d)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Association Council with the Arab Republic of Egypt as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	11999/20 11075/20
e)	Council Decision on the the EU position within the Joint Committee with Denmark and the Faroe Islands as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	10256/20 10257/20
f)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Customs Sub-Committee with Georgia as regards the the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	12004/20 11080/20
g)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee established with the Republic of Iceland as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	10291/20 10292/20
h)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Association Council with Israel, as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	12006/20 11081/20
i)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Association Council with the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	12009/20 11085/20
j)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with Kosovo* as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	12010/20 11096/20
k)	Council Decision on the EU position within the Association Council with the Republic of Lebanon as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation	12011/20 11104/20

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 (1999) and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence.

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| l) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12012/20
11113/20 |
| m) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Customs Sub-Committee with the Republic of Moldova as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12017/20
11115/20 |
| n) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with the Republic of Montenegro as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12018/20
11124/20 |
| o) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee with the Kingdom of Norway as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 10280/20
10281/20 |
| p) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee with the Palestinian Liberation Organisation (PLO) as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12019/20
11125/20 |
| q) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Stabilisation and Association Council with the Republic of Serbia as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12037/20
11126/20 |
| r) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee with the Swiss Confederation as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 10244/20
10245/20 |
| s) | Council Decision on the EU position within the EU-Turkey Association Council on the trade regime for agricultural products, concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12051/20
11128/20 |

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| t) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Joint Committee with the Republic of Turkey on trade in products covered by the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12052/20
11130/20 |
| u) | Council Decision on the EU position within the Customs Sub-Committee with Ukraine as regards the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation | 12053/20
11131/20 |

Delegated or Implementing Acts

Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 54. | Commission Delegated Regulation amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/815 as regards the 2020 update of the taxonomy laid down in the regulatory technical standards for the single electronic reporting format
<i>Delegated act - Intention not to raise objections</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption</i> |  13408/20
12736/20 +ADD 1
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Energy

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| 55. | Regulation on funding for decommissioning and management of radioactive waste
<i>Endorsement</i> | 13362/20
13363/20
ATO |
| 56. | Regulation on European Instrument for Nuclear Safety
<i>Endorsement</i> | 13387/20
13390/20
ATO |
| 57. | Regulation on Ignalina power plant decommissioning
<i>Endorsement</i> | 13388/20
13389/20
ATO |

Other items

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| 58. | Interim approval of a cryptographic product
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> |  12724/20 R-UE
13279/20 R-UE
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The following items are withdrawn:

Foreign Affairs

39. (poss.) EU-Ukraine Association Council
(VTC, 8 December 2020)
Establishment of the EU position
Decision to use the written procedure

 13445/20
COEST

EU positions for international negotiations

47. Council Decision on the EU position on EU-Canada Joint
Customs Cooperation Committee as regards the adoption of the
decision concerning the mutual recognition of the Partners in
Protection Programme
Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption

 13219/20
 13012/20
13014/20
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-  First reading
-  Special legislative procedure
-  Procedural decision by Coreper (Article 19(3)&(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
-  Restricted item
-  Item based on a Commission proposal

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