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THE EUROPEAN UNION**

**Brussels, 18 October 2004**

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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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for : 2612nd meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Economic and Financial Affairs)

Luxembourg, Thursday 21 October 2004 (10 h.00)

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1. Adoption of the agenda
  
2. Approval of the list of "A" items  
doc. 13650/04 PTS A 49
  
3. Stability and Growth Pact
  - = Excessive Deficit Procedure: Follow-up to the Article 104(7) Recommendation to the Netherlands
  - = September notifications
  
4. Regulatory Reform Initiative
  - = Methodology for measuring administrative burden on business  
doc. 13494/04 ECOFIN 328 COMPET 164

- 5. Protection of the financial interests of the EU
    - = oral report by the Commission
      - docs 11981/04 ECOFIN 293 FIN 371
      - + ADD 1
      - + ADD 2
  
  - 6. Financial Framework for 2007-2013
    - = budget discipline and flexibility
      - docs 11745/04 CADREFIN 28 BUDGET 40 FIN 363
      - 13379/04 BUDGET 58 CADREFIN 71 FIN 441
      - 12982/04 BUDGET 42 CADREFIN 53 FIN 422
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- **Eurogroup: 20 October 2004 (19.00h)**
- **lunch:**
  - 1. **Meeting with M. Wolfensohn (World Bank)**
  - 2. **Financial perspectives - State of play**