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SUMMARY RECORD
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE
8 October 2025

I. Adoption of the agenda

13577/25 + COR 1 OJ CRP1 35
13581/2/25 REV 2 OJ CRP2 41

The Committee adopted the agenda.

II. Approval of the "I" items

The Committee approved the "I" items as set out in the Annex.

III. Discussion items II

COREPER (PART 1)

Transport, Telecommunications and Energy

2. Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 20 October 2025:
preparation

1. Regulation on phasing out Russian natural gas imports,
improving monitoring of potential energy dependencies
and amending Regulation (EU) 2017/1938
General approach  13248/25
2. Electrification as a driver of a competitive and clean
transition 13319/25
Exchange of views

3. Energy security and resilience in Ukraine and Moldova and the strategic importance of their integration into the EU energy market
Exchange of views 13325/25

The Committee prepared these items for the Council meeting. On the first item, the Presidency will consider minor adjustments to the text and keep delegations informed of next steps in view of the Council.

Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs

3. Meeting of the Council (Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs) on 17 October 2025: preparation

1. Conclusions on violence against women and domestic violence: prevention, early detection and intervention
Approval 13244/25 + ADD 1

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

Statements by Bulgaria and by Hungary are set out in document 13244/25 ADD 1.

2. Combating hate, discrimination and violence against LGBTIQ persons
Exchange of views 13236/25 + COR 1
3. Conclusions on the social inclusion of persons with disabilities through the promotion of independent living
Approval 13386/25
4. Advancing disability rights in the EU: challenges, progress and future directions
Exchange of views 13392/25

The Committee prepared these items for the Council meeting.

Internal Market and Industry

4. Directive amending Directive 2014/32/EU on measuring instruments
Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament  13324/25

The Committee agreed on a mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament and agreed to make it public.

Statements by Austria and by the Czech Republic are set out in the ADD 1 to this document.

Agriculture and Fisheries

5. Meeting of the Council (Agriculture and Fisheries) on 27 and 28 October 2025: agenda
(For the items in the remit of the Permanent Representatives Committee)

The Committee took note of the main items to be included in the provisional agenda of the Council meeting as presented by the Presidency. It also agreed to invite Ukraine's Minister of Economy, Environment and Agriculture for the first part of the exchange of views on the market situation. Furthermore, the Committee took note of the two AOBs requested by the Commission on Commissioners Hansen and Kadis' respective 2025 annual progress reports on simplification, implementation and enforcement and decided to take them in public session.

Environment

6. Meeting of the Council (Environment) on 21 October 2025: preparation

The Committee took note of the request from Lithuania, supported by Poland, for an AOB item on "Non-paper regarding the shadow fleet and its urgent threats to marine environment" as well as the request from Czechia on "Reflecting the environmental agenda in the Multiannual Financial Framework 2028-2034" and decided to hold the latter in public session.

1. Conclusions on the preparations for the 30th Conference of the Parties (COP 30) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
(Belém, Brazil, 10 - 21 November 2025) 13317/25
Approval

The Committee started the preparation of this item for the Council and agreed to revert to it at its next meeting on 15 October.

Statements by Hungary are set out in the ADD 1 to this document.

2. Environmental aspects of the European Ocean Pact:
Preserving marine biodiversity 13391/25
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

3. Conclusions on the European Water Resilience Strategy 13390/25
Approval

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

A statement by Hungary is set out in the ADD 1 to this document.

7. Directive on priority substances in the field of water policy 13321/25
Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement 

The Committee analysed and confirmed agreement on the final compromise text.

Statements by Hungary, by Italy and by Lithuania are set out in the ADD 1 to this document.

COREPER (PART 2)

General Affairs

20. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 21 October 2025:
Preparation

- a) Preparation of the European Council on 23-24 October 2025: Guidelines
Exchange of views 11695/25

The Committee held an exchange of views.

- b) Values of the Union in Hungary/Article 7(1) TEU
reasoned proposal 13011/25
Hearing

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- c) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency.

21. Omnibus II: InvestEU  13402/25
Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

The Committee analysed and confirmed agreement on the final compromise text. It authorised the Chair to send a letter to inform the European Parliament with a view to an agreement.

22. EU-Türkiye relations
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views.

Foreign Affairs

23. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/Defence) on
15 October 2025: Preparation

- a) Defence readiness
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- b) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the EEAS.

24. EU-Egypt summit (Brussels, 22 October 2025)
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views and agreed to revert to this item at one of its next meetings.

25. Russian aggression against Ukraine



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| a) | Council Decision and Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine | 12396/1/25 REV 1
12392/1/25 REV 1
12394/1/25 REV 1
+ ADD 1 REV 1 |
| b) | Council Decision, Implementing Regulation and Regulation concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine | 12404/2/25 REV 2
12398/1/25 REV 1
12400/1/25 REV 1
12403/1/25 REV 1 |
| c) | Council Decision and Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Belarus and the involvement of Belarus in the Russian aggression against Ukraine | 13037/25 REV 1
13034/1/25 REV 1
13036/1/25 REV 1
+ ADD 1 |
| d) | Council Implementing Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Belarus and the involvement of Belarus in the Russian aggression against Ukraine | 13285/1/25 REV 1
13240/25
13242/25 |

Preparation for the adoption

The Committee held an exchange of views and agreed to revert to this item at its next meeting.

26. EU-US trade relations¹
Exchange of views



The Committee held an exchange of views.

75. Regulation establishing the European Defence Industry Programme (EDIP)
Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the trilogue



The Committee took note of the debriefing by the Presidency on the outcome of the trilogue on 7 October 2025.

¹ Without electronic devices.

Economic and Financial Affairs

27. Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on 10 October 2025: Preparation

- a) Council Directive on the structure and rates of excise duty applied to tobacco and tobacco related products (recast) SC 11725/25
Policy debate

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- b) Council Decision on the system of own resources of the European Union and repealing Decision (EU, Euratom) 2020/2053 SC 11705/25 + ADD 1
Policy debate

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- c) Savings and investments Union: Commission Recommendation on savings and investment accounts 13289/25
Policy debate

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- d) Conclusions on climate finance in view of the 2025 UN Climate Change Conference (COP30) (Belém, 10-21 November 2025) 13260/25
Approval

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- e) Simplification – Better law-making: economic aspects of impact assessments through the legislative process
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- f) Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- g) Economic recovery in Europe Council Implementing Decision under the Recovery and Resilience Facility, Spain (Legal basis: Article 20 Regulation (EU) 2021/241) C 13075/25 + ADD 1
Adoption

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- h) European Semester 2025: Lessons learnt 12378/25
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- i) Implementation of the economic governance framework: 13308/25
Council Recommendation endorsing the national medium-
term fiscal-structural plan of Germany and allowing
Germany to deviate from the maximum growth rates of
net expenditure
Adoption

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- j) International meetings
- i) Follow-up to the G20 Finance Ministers and Central 12881/25
Bank Governors meeting on 17-18 July 2025
Information from the Presidency
- ii) Preparation of the G20 Finance Ministers and 13305/25
Central Bank Governors meeting and IMF annual 13306/25
meetings
a. G20 EU terms of reference
b. Statement to the IMFC
Approval

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- k) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency.

Justice and Home Affairs

28. Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on
13 and 14 October 2025: Preparation

- a) Rule-of-law developments in the field of justice 13365/25 + COR 1
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- b) Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine: fight against impunity
State of play 12606/25

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- c) The future of Eurojust
Exchange of views 12646/25

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- d) Access to data for effective criminal investigations
State of play 13029/25 + COR 1

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- e) Overall state of the Schengen area
- i) Schengen Barometer 13141/1/25 REV 1
 - ii) Future of Frontex
Exchange of views 13432/25

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- f) Regulation establishing a common system for the return of third-country nationals staying illegally in the EU
Policy debate  9205/25

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- g) Implementation of interoperability
State of play 13061/25

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- h) Regulation to prevent and combat child sexual abuse
Partial general approach  13095/25

The Committee agreed to withdraw this item from the agenda. The Council agenda will be revised accordingly.

- i) Regulation on the Union Civil Protection Mechanism and Health Emergency Preparedness and Response  13406/25 + COR 1
Policy debate REV 1

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- j) External dimension of migration 13243/25
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting and agreed to the presence of Frontex and the European Union Asylum Agency for this item.

- k) Access to data for effective law enforcement 13024/25
State of play

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- l) The impact of the current geopolitical environment on the EU's internal security 12991/25
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- m) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency and of the AOBs requested by France (European Democracy Shield), Germany (drone detection and protection), Slovakia (rule of law report 2025), and Slovenia (US sanctions against international judicial and human rights mandate holders).

IV. Any other business

COREPER (PART 1)

None.

COREPER (PART 2)

EU-Mercosur Agreement.

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Commission and the General Secretariat of the Council.

Non-discussion items "I"

COREPER (PART 1)

Institutional Affairs

Other

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| 8. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Technical Harmonisation on 16 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13338/25
MI |
| 9. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on Sport on 17 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13409/25
SPORT |
| 10. | Attendance of a third party at the Cultural Affairs Committee on 10 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13545/25
CULT |

Judicial Affairs

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| 11. | Case C-522/25 P appeal against the Order of the General Court in case T-456/24 (CO emissions for heavy-duty vehicles)
<i>Information note</i> | 13383/25
JUR |
| 12. | Case C-562/25 P appeal against the judgment in case T-681/22 (Fisheries)
<i>Information note</i> | 13393/25
JUR |
| 13. | Case C-563/25 P, appeal against the judgment in Case T-781/22 (Fisheries)
<i>Information note</i> | 13395/25
JUR |

Internal Market and Industry

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| 14. | Regulation on the safety of toys
<i>Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons</i> | <div style="display: inline-block; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-right: 10px;">1C</div> 13337/25 + ADD 1
9663/25 + ADD 1
+ ADD 1 COR 1
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Statements by Austria and by the Commission are set out in document 13337/25 ADD 1.

Transport

15. Regulation on the European Maritime Safety Agency and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1406/2002 13375/25 + ADD 1
10056/25 + ADD 1
TRANS
Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons

A statement by the Commission is set out in document 13375/25 ADD 1.

Employment and Social Policy

16. Key Messages from the EMCO based on the Annual Employment Performance Report and the Employment Performance Monitor (2025) 13296/1/25 REV 1
SOC
Endorsement
17. Key messages from the SPC based on the Annual Review of the Social Protection Performance Monitor (2025) 13348/1/25 REV 1
SOC
Endorsement

Fisheries

18. Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on behalf of the European Union on a sustainable fisheries partnership agreement (SFPA) with Gabon, and an implementing protocol thereto 13398/1/25 REV 1
12990/25 + ADD 1
PECHE
Adoption

Environment

19. 24th Conference of the Parties to the Barcelona Convention (Cairo, Egypt, 2-5 December 2025): Draft Ministerial Declaration 13389/25
ENV
Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument

COREPER (PART 2)

Judicial Affairs

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| 29. | Case T-459/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 13327/25
JUR |
| 30. | Case T-464/25, action for failure to act, restrictive measures (Russia)
<i>Information note</i> | 13440/25
JUR |
| 31. | Case T-484/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 13318/25
JUR |
| 32. | Case T-516/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 13315/25
JUR |
| 33. | Case T-519/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 13057/25
JUR |
| 34. | Case T-547/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Syria)
<i>Information note</i> | 13346/25
JUR |
| 35. | Case T-553/25, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 13336/25
JUR |
| 36. | Cases C-385/25 P, C-463/25 P, C-472/25 P, C-479/25 P, C-480/25 P, C-481/25 P, C-482/25 P, C-483/25 P, C-484/25, pleas of illegality, Regulation (EU) 806/2014 (SRMR)
<i>Information note</i> | 13231/25
JUR |

Institutional Affairs

Other

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| 37. | Attendance of a third party at the Police subgroup of the Law Enforcement Working Party (LEWP) on 9 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13229/25
ENFOPOL |
| 38. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on Enlargement and Countries Negotiating Accession to the EU (COELA) on 14 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13473/1/25 REV 1
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| 39. | Attendance of a third party at the Export Credits Group on 15 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13417/25
CCG |
| 40. | Attendance of third parties at the Conventional arms exports (COARM) subgroup of the Working Party on Non-Proliferation and Arms Exports on 15 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 13408/25
COARM |
| 41. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on the Staff Regulations (WPSR) on 15 October 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 12211/25
STAT |

Transparency

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| 42. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory Application No 20/c/02/25
<i>Approval</i> | 12425/25
INF |
| 43. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory Application No 22/c/01/25
<i>Approval</i> | 12473/25
INF |
| 44. | Public access to document request 25/2160
<i>Decision to make the statements public</i> |  13394/25
API
INF |

Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 45. | Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations with Norway for an agreement on administrative cooperation in direct taxation
<i>Adoption</i> |  12712/25
12709/25 + ADD 1
FISC |
| 46. | Council Decision on the signing of the Amending Protocol to the Agreement between the EU and Andorra on the automatic exchange of financial account information
<i>Adoption</i> |  12751/25
11782/25
11783/25
FISC |
| 47. | Council Decision on the signing of the Amending Protocol to the Agreement between the EU and Liechtenstein on the automatic exchange of financial account information
<i>Adoption</i> |  12751/25
11785/25
11786/25
FISC |
| 48. | Council Decision on the signing of the Amending Protocol to the Agreement between the EU and Monaco on the automatic exchange of financial account information
<i>Adoption</i> |  12751/25
11793/25
11796/25
FISC |

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| 49. | Council Decision on the signing of the Amending Protocol to the Agreement between the EU and San Marino on the automatic exchange of financial account information
<i>Adoption</i> |  12751/25
11799/25
11800/25
FISC |
| 50. | Council Decision on the signing and provisional application of the Amending Protocol to the Agreement between the EU and Switzerland on the automatic exchange of financial account information
<i>Adoption</i> |  12751/25
11648/25
11650/25
FISC |
| 51. | Conclusions on the revised EU list of non-cooperative jurisdictions for tax purposes
<i>Approval</i> | 12932/25
FISC |
| 52. | Conclusions on tax incentives to support the Clean Industrial Deal
<i>Approval</i> | 13003/25
ECOFIN |
| 53. | ECA SR No 18/2025 on EU budget flexibility
<i>Approval</i> | 13218/25
FIN |
| 54. | Transfer No DEC 14/2025 (Section III - Commission) (Art. 31(1) FR)
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Approval of a letter</i> |  13217/25
FIN |
| 55. | Joint statement on voluntary transparency for energy transactions notified under the OECD Arrangement
<i>Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument</i> | 13128/25
CCG |
| 56. | ECA SR No 14/2025 on the development of supplementary pensions in the EU
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i>
<i>Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party meeting</i> |  13439/25
FIN |
| 57. | ECA SR No 19/2025 on critical shortages of medicines
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i>
<i>Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party meeting</i> |  13353/25 + COR 1
FIN |

Justice and Home Affairs

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| 59. | Council Decision on the signing of the UN Convention against cybercrime
<i>Adoption</i> |  13017/25
12642/25 + ADD 1
12735/25
COPEN |
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| 60. | Regulation on enhancing police cooperation in the fight against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings
<i>Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement</i> | 1 C | 13219/25
ENFOPOL |
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Foreign Affairs

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| 61. | Council Decision amending Decision (CFSP) 2023/2287 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Niger
<i>Adoption</i> | | 13188/25
13187/25
CORLX |
| 62. | Council Decision concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Guinea
<i>Adoption</i> | | 11528/25
11527/25
CORLX |
| 63. | Council Decision concerning restrictive measures against the proliferation and use of chemical weapons
<i>Adoption</i> | | 12855/25
12854/25
CORLX |
| 64. | ISIL (Da'esh) and al-Qaeda restrictive measures - coordination with third states
<i>Approval</i> | | 13265/25
CORLX |
| 65. | Joint ministerial declaration of the EU and the parties to the Comprehensive and Progressive Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)
<i>Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument</i> | | 13154/25
POLCOM |
| 66. | Regulation amending autonomous trade measures for the Western Balkans
<i>Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement</i> | 1 C | 13343/25
POLCOM |
| 67. | Regulation as regards incentivising defence-related investments in the EU budget to implement the ReArm Europe Plan
<i>Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i> | 1 C | 13397/25
INDEF |
| Statements by Austria, Cyprus, Germany, Greece and Hungary are set out in the ADD 1 to this document. | | | |
| 68. | Council Decision on the accession of Vanuatu to the EC-Pacific States Interim Partnership Agreement
<i>Adoption</i> | C | 13497/25
7847/25 + ADD 1
ACP |
| 69. | Restrictive measures in view of the situation in Belarus and the involvement of Belarus in the Russian aggression against Ukraine - reply letter
<i>Approval</i> | | 13588/25
CORLX |

Delegated or Implementing Acts

General Affairs

70. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../... amending Annex I to Regulation (EU) 2021/1060 as regards the nomenclature for the dimensions and codes for the types of intervention for the ERDF, the ESF+, the Cohesion Fund and the JTF
Delegated act - Intention not to raise objections
- 13564/25
13123/25
COH

EU positions for international negotiations

71. Council Decision on the EU position on the outcome of negotiations under Article 29(4) of the EU-Ukraine Association Agreement (Ukraine DCFTA)
Adoption
-  13000/25 + ADD 1
12995/25 + ADD 1
COEST

Statements by Belgium and Hungary are set out in document 13000/25 ADD 1.

72. Council Decision on the EU position concerning an amendment to Annex IX (Financial services) to the EEA Agreement (European Green Bonds)
Adoption
-  13379/25
12813/25 + ADD 1
AELE
73. Council Decision on the EU position concerning an amendment to Annex X, Annex XI, and Protocol 37 to the EEA Agreement (Data Governance Act)
Adoption
-  13380/25
12814/25 + ADD 1
AELE

Other items

74. Interim use of cryptographic products
Approval
- 13082/25 **R-UE**
13084/25 **R-UE**
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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
- R-UE** Document classified RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED