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PROVISIONAL AGENDA
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Environment)
Europa building, Brussels
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1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of "A" items
 - a) Non-legislative list 13786/20
 - b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union) 13797/20

Legislative deliberations

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

3. Regulation on European Climate Law 14004/20
General approach 10868/20
6547/20



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Non-legislative activities

4. EU submission of an updated Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
Approval [2] 14005/20
5. Conclusions on Making the Recovery Circular and Green
Approval [2] 13852/20 + COR 1
6766/20 + ADD 1
6. Conclusions on Digitalisation for the Benefit of the Environment
Approval [2] 13957/20

Legislative deliberations

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

7. Regulation amending Aarhus Regulation (EC) No 1367/2006
General approach [1][C] 13937/20
11853/20

Non-legislative activities

8. Communication on Chemicals Strategy for Sustainability Towards a Toxic-Free Environment
Exchange of views [2] 13521/20
11976/20 + ADD 1

Any other business

9. a) Eliminate deforestation
Information from the French delegation, supported by the Italian delegation [2] 14009/1/20 REV 1
- b) Current legislative proposals
(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)
- Regulation on batteries and waste batteries amending Regulation (EU) No 2019/1020 and repealing Directive 2006/66/EC
Presentation by the Commission [1][C] 13944/20 + ADD 1
- c) Ratification of Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) - a call for urgent action
Information from the Commission [2] 13669/20

- d) Report on the annual meeting of the Commission for the conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR)
Information from the Spanish delegation [2] 13877/20
- e) European Conference "Climate change and the European water dimension - Enhancing resilience"
(4-5 November 2020)
Information from the Portuguese delegation [2] 13664/20
- f) Work programme of the incoming Presidency
Information from the Portuguese delegation [2]

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- [1] First reading
- [2] Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
- [C] Item based on a Commission proposal
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