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## **PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Justice and Home Affairs)

ECCL, Luxembourg

19 and 20 October 2023 (09:00, 09:30)

### **Format 1+3 (+2 in listening room)**

### **THURSDAY 19 OCTOBER 2023 (09.00)**

#### **HOME AFFAIRS**

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of "A" items  
Non-legislative list 13959/23

#### **POLITICAL GOVERNANCE OF THE SCHENGEN AREA ('SCHENGEN COUNCIL')**

##### **Non-legislative activities**

3. Overall state of the Schengen area
  - a) Schengen Barometer 13666/23
  - b) Fighting cross-border crime, especially migrant smuggling 13901/23  
*Exchange of views*
4. Implementation of interoperability 13707/23  
*Exchange of views*

## OTHER HOME AFFAIRS ISSUES

### Legislative deliberations

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

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|----|---|----|----------|
| 5. | Regulation to prevent and combat child sexual abuse<br><i>Progress report</i>                                 | OC |          |
| 6. | Pact on Asylum and Migration <sup>1</sup><br><i>Progress report</i>   | OC |          |
| 7. | Decision amending Decision No 1313/2013/EU on a Union<br>Civil Protection Mechanism<br><i>Progress report</i> | OC |          |
| 8. | Any other business<br>Current legislative proposals<br><i>Information from the Presidency</i>                 |    | 13950/23 |

### Non-legislative activities

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| 9.  | Asylum and migration: external dimension <sup>1 2</sup><br><i>Exchange of views</i>   |  | 13996/23 |
| 10. | The implications of the situation in the Middle East for the EU's<br>internal security <sup>1 3</sup><br><i>Exchange of views</i>             |  |          |
| 11. | Preventing online radicalisation of minors: state of play and next<br>steps <sup>3</sup><br><i>Exchange of views</i>                          |  | 13718/23 |
| 12. | Any other business  |  |          |
|     | a) EU-Western Balkans Ministerial Forum on Justice and<br>Home Affairs (Skopje, 26-27 October 2023)<br><i>Information from the Presidency</i> |  | 11958/23 |
|     | b) Balticconnector disruption and data cable damage<br><i>Information from Estonia and Finland</i>  |  | 14281/23 |
|     | c) International Donor's Conference on Humanitarian<br>Demining in Ukraine (Zagreb, 11-12 October 2023)<br><i>Information from Croatia</i>    |  | 14225/23 |

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<sup>1</sup> Exceptionally in the presence of the Schengen Associated States.

<sup>2</sup> The EU agencies Frontex, Europol and EUAA are invited to this point.



<sup>3</sup> The EU agency Europol is invited to this point.

**FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER 2023 (09.30)**

**JUSTICE**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

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|-----|---|---|----------|
| 13. | Directive harmonising certain aspects of insolvency law<br><i>Policy debate</i>               |   | 13600/23 |
| 14. | Any other business<br>Current legislative proposals<br><i>Information from the Presidency</i> |   | 13950/23 |

**Non-legislative activities**

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| 15. | Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine: fight against impunity <sup>4</sup><br><i>State of play</i>   |  | 13632/23 |
| 16. | Judicial cooperation with Latin America to fight organised crime: <sup>5</sup><br>a) EU-CELAC summit (Brussels, 17-18 July 2023): follow-up<br>b) Europe and Latin America programme of assistance against transnational organised crime (future project "EL PAcCTO 2.0")<br><i>State of play</i> |  | 13680/23 |
| 17. | Efforts to improve the efficiency and the quality of the justice systems<br><i>Exchange of views</i>  |  | 13684/23 |

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<sup>4</sup> The EU agency Eurojust is invited to this point.

<sup>5</sup> The representative of "EL PAcCTO 2.0" is invited to this point.

18.	Conclusions on digital empowerment and fundamental rights <i>Approval</i> <i>Exchange of views</i> <sup>6</sup>	13399/23 + COR 1 + ADD 1
19.	Any other business	
a)	Accession of the EU to the Istanbul Convention <i>Information from the Presidency and the Commission</i>	13773/23
b)	EU-US negotiations on an e-evidence agreement <i>Information from the Commission</i>	
c)	EU-Western Balkans Ministerial Forum on Justice and Home Affairs (Skopje, 26-27 October 2023) <i>Information from the Presidency</i>	11958/23
d)	Communication on the EU Roadmap to fight drug trafficking and organised crime <i>Information from the Commission</i>	14114/23

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**In the margins of the Council of the European Union:**

**THURSDAY 19 OCTOBER 2023 (approx. 09.30)**

**Meeting of the SCHENGEN MIXED COMMITTEE**

**POLITICAL GOVERNANCE OF THE SCHENGEN AREA ('SCHENGEN COUNCIL')**

Overall state of the Schengen area<sup>7</sup>

a)	Schengen Barometer	13666/23
b)	Fighting cross-border crime, especially migrant smuggling <i>Exchange of views</i>	13901/23

Implementation of interoperability<sup>8</sup>

	<i>Exchange of views</i>	13707/23
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<sup>6</sup> The Director of the Fundamental Rights Agency is invited to this point.

<sup>7</sup> The European agencies Frontex, Europol, eu-LISA and EUAA are invited to this point.

<sup>8</sup> The European agencies Frontex, Europol and eu-LISA are invited to this point.

Any other business

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|----|--|----------|
| a) | Measures undertaken by Bulgaria for strengthening the Schengen area<br><i>Information from Bulgaria</i>                              | 14201/23 |
| b) | Full application of the Schengen acquis in Romania<br><i>Information from Romania</i>  | 14198/23 |
| c) | Communication on the EU Roadmap to fight drug trafficking and organised crime <sup>7</sup><br><i>Information from the Commission</i> | 14114/23 |
| d) | Current legislative proposals<br><i>Information from the Presidency</i>  | 13950/23 |



First reading



Item based on a Commission proposal

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