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PROVISIONAL AGENDA
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Environment)
Europa building, Brussels
18 December 2023 (10:00)

Format: 2+2 (+2 in listening room)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of "A" items

Non-legislative list 16672/23

Legislative deliberations

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

3. Regulation on packaging and packaging waste, amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1020 and Directive (EU) 2019/904, and repealing Directive 94/62/EC
General approach 🗳️ 16706/23
+ COR 1 REV 1
+ COR 2
4. Directive on Soil Monitoring and Resilience (Soil Monitoring Law)
Policy debate 🗳️ 16075/23 + COR 1
5. Regulation on a monitoring framework for resilient European forests
Presentation by the Commission
Policy debate 🗳️ 16206/23

Any other business

6. a) Reports on main recent international meetings
- i) 28th meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the UN Climate Change Conference (COP 28) (Dubai, UAE, 30 November - 12 December 2023)
Information from the Presidency and the Commission
- b) High-level event dedicated to Youth and Climate Action (COP 28)
Information from the Bulgarian delegation [2] 16869/23
- c) Assessment of the draft updated National Energy and Climate Plans
Information from the Commission [2] 16523/23
- d) Horizon Europe EU Missions as a tool for local climate action
Information from the Commission [2] 16524/23
- e) Current legislative proposals (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union) [1][C]
- i) Regulation establishing a Union certification framework for carbon removals 15557/22 + ADD 1-2
- ii) Directive on air quality (recast) 14217/22 + ADD 1
Information from the Presidency
- f) The Greater North Sea Basin Initiative (GNSBI)
Information from the Dutch and French delegations [2] 16498/23
- a) (continuation) Reports on main recent international meetings
- ii) Fifth session of the International Conference on Chemicals Management (ICCM5) (Bonn, Germany, 25 - 30 September 2023) 16739/23

- iii) Fifth meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP 5) to the Minamata Convention on Mercury (Geneva, Switzerland, 30 October - 3 November 2023) 16740/23
- iv) Third session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee (INC-3) to Develop an International Legally Binding Instrument on Plastic Pollution (Nairobi, Kenya, 13 - 19 November 2023) 16713/23
Information from the Presidency and the Commission
- g) Work programme of the incoming Presidency
Information from the Belgian delegation

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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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