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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

for : 2215th MEETING OF THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE (Part 1)

date : Wednesday 6 (10:15) and Friday 8 (10:15) February 2008

MEETING ON WEDNESDAY 6 (10:15) FEBRUARY 2008

1. Adoption of the provisional agenda

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2. Replies to written questions put to the Council by Members of the European Parliament (+)
 - (a) n° E-5438/07 put by Jan Marinus Wiersma
"EUPOL Afghanistan"
5806/08 PE-QE 68
 - (b) n° E-5472/07 put by Alfredo Antoniozzi
"Legal framework, powers of Member States, and transitional arrangements for the free
movement of citizens of the new Member States"
5803/08 PE-QE 65

- (c) n° E-5537/07 put by Maria Badia i Cutchet
"Irregularities and false advertising on websites selling airline tickets online"
5851/08 PE-QE 75
- (d) n° E-5589/07 put by Luca Romagnoli
"Passports of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus"
5804/08 PE-QE 66
- (e) n° E-5597/07 put by Jules Maaten
"Death sentence handed down by Iranian court to Dutch human rights activist Abdullah al-Mansouri"
5807/08 PE-QE 69
- (f) n° E-5646/07 put by Mario Borghezio
"Islamic terrorism: is Europe resorting to self-censorship?"
5809/08 PE-QE 71
- (g) n° E-5941/07 put by Claude Moraes
"UK flood relief"
5784/08 PE-QE 60
- (h) n° E-5968/07 put by Zuzana Roithová
"European patent system"
5854/08 PE-QE 77
- (i) n° E-5994/07 put by Bart Staes
"Whale-catching by Japan"
5853/08 PE-QE 76
- (j) n° E-6001/07 put by Raül Romeva i Rueda
"The EU's underwater archaeological heritage"
5776/08 PE-QE 58
- (k) n° E-6005/07 put by Catherine Stihler
"2007 Japanese whale hunt"
5847/08 PE-QE 74
- (l) n° E-6020/07 put by Antonios Trakatellis
"Attacks on churches in Istanbul and human rights violations"
5808/08 PE-QE 70
- (m) n° E-6037/07 put by Sophie in't Veld, Raul Romeva, Michael Cashman, Sarah Ludford, Lizzy Gröner
"Visa Waiver Programme and HIV positive persons"
5252/08 PE-QE 19
- (n) n° E-6053/07 put by Katerina Batzeli and Maria Eleni Koppa
"Acts of vandalism and defacement of Christian churches in Turkey"
5808/08 PE-QE 70
- (o) n° E-6085/07 put by Francisco José Millán Mon
"Follow-up to the Euromed Ministerial Conference on Migration"
5857/08 PE-QE 79
- (p) n° E-6152/07 put by Sepp Kusstatscher, Doris Pack, Gisela Kallenbach, Monica Frassoni and Daniel Cohn-Bendit
"Interpol warrant against Mr Beslagic"
5777/08 PE-QE 59

- (q) n° E-6339/07 put by Eija-Riitta Korhola
"Biofuels"
5856/08 PE-QE 78
- (r) n° E-6588/07 put by Jonathan Evans, Charles Tannock
"Discrimination against people with HIV/AIDS travelling to the United States"
5737/08 PE-QE 49
- (s) n° E-0040/08 put by Mario Mauro
"European Union's lack of competence for matters relating to the family, cohabitation and same-sex partnerships"
5820/08 PE-QE 72
- (t) n° E-0060/08 put by Agustín Díaz de Mera García Consuegra
"Apology for terrorism"
5738/08 PE-QE 50
- (u) n° E-0065/08 put by Agustín Díaz de Mera García Consuegra
"ETA"
5731/08 PE-QE 48
- (v) n° E-0087/08 put by Jens Holm
"Torture in Spain"
5741/08 PE-QE 51
- (w) n° E-0112/08 put by Erik Meijer
"Exclusion of Iranian students from technical studies in the Netherlands on grounds of their nationality because knowledge of nuclear technology might be transferred"
5744/08 PE-QE 52

- 3. Draft agenda for the forthcoming part-session of the European Parliament in Strasbourg from 18 to 21 February 2008
5957/08 PE 28
5958/08 PE 29

- 4. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on Community statistics relating to external trade with non-member countries and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/95 (°)
 - Optional consultation of the European Central Bank
5895/08 STATIS 16 COMPET 36 UD 12 CODEC 112

5. Proposals for Council Decisions on the conclusion of Agreements on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and
- (a) the Republic of Maldives
 - (b) the Government of Georgia
 - (c) the Republic of Moldova
 - (d) the Republic of Lebanon
 - (e) the Oriental Republic of Uruguay
 - (f) the Government of the Republic of Singapore
- Adoption
- 5093/07 AVIATION 3 RELEX 8
 - 5095/07 AVIATION 4 COEST 3 NIS 3
+ COR 1 (cs)
 - 5098/07 AVIATION 7 COEST 4 NIS 4
 - 5099/07 AVIATION 8 RL 1
 - 5100/1/07 AVIATION 9 AMLAT 2 REV 1
 - 5105/07 AVIATION 13 RELEX 9
 - 5873/08 AVIATION 27 RELEX 53 COEST 21 NIS 10 RL 1 AMLAT 7
6. Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of Protocols amending the Agreements on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and, respectively, the Government of Georgia, the Republic of Lebanon, the Republic of Maldives, the Republic of Moldova, the Government of the Republic of Singapore and the Oriental Republic of Uruguay to take account of the accession to the European Union of the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania
- Adoption
- 11684/07 AVIATION 125 RELEX 552 COEST 218 NIS 164 RL 15 AMLAT 66
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 - 5876/08 AVIATION 28 RELEX 54 COEST 22 NIS 11 RL 2 AMLAT 8

7. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 on the application of social security schemes to employed persons, to self-employed persons and to members of their families moving within the Community ("**Miscellaneous Amendments 2006**") (**LA**)(**First reading**)
 - Confirmation of the agreement on the European Parliament's Resolution
5927/1/08 SOC 59 CODEC 117 REV 1
5263/08 CODEC 34 SOC 20

8. Proposal for a Recommendation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment of the European Qualifications Framework for lifelong learning (**LA**) (**First reading**)
 - Adoption of the legislative act
PE-CONS 3662/07 EDUC 178 SOC 399 CODEC 1134
5678/07 CODEC 83 EDUC 27 SOC 43

9. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the production and development of statistics on education and lifelong learning (**LA**) (**First reading**)
 - Adoption of the legislative act
PE-CONS 3659/07 STATIS 117 EDUC 150 CODEC 1020
5679/08 CODEC 84 STATIS 11 EDUC 28

II

10. Preparation of Council meeting (Agriculture and Fisheries) on 18 February 2008

- Genetically modified organisms

- (a) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing, consisting of, or produced from genetically modified maize MON863xNK603 (MON-ØØ863-5xMON-ØØ6Ø3-6) pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (LA)
- (b) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing, consisting of, or produced from genetically modified maize MON863xMON810 (MON-ØØ863-5xMON-ØØ81Ø-6) pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (LA)
- (c) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing, consisting of, or produced from genetically modified maize MON863xMON810xNK603 (MON-ØØ863-5xMON-ØØ81Ø-6xMON-ØØ6Ø3-6) pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (LA)
- (d) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of feed produced from the genetically modified potato EH92-527-1 (BPS-25271-9) and the adventitious or technically unavoidable presence of the potato in food and other feed products under Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (LA)
- (e) Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing, consisting of, or produced from genetically modified maize GA21 (MON-ØØØ21-9) pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (LA)
- Adoption
 - 16782/07 AGRILEG 207 ENV 726 (x)
 - 16783/07 AGRILEG 208 ENV 727 (x)
 - 16784/07 AGRILEG 209 ENV 728 (x)
 - 16785/07 AGRILEG 210 ENV 729 (x)
 - 5333/08 AGRILEG 7 ENV 22
 - 5361/08 AGRILEG 9 ENV 23
 - 5946/08 AGRILEG 14 ENV 63
 - 5948/08 AGRILEG 15 ENV 64

11. **Preparation** of the Council meeting "**Competitiveness**" (**Internal Market, Industry and Research**) on 25 February 2008

1. **Setting** of the provisional **agenda**

12. **Goods Package**

- Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down procedures relating to the application of certain national technical rules to products lawfully marketed in another Member State and repealing Decision 3052/95/EC (LA)
- Examination of the compromise text proposed by the Presidency
 - 6313/07 COMPET 51 ECO 25 ENT 24 MI 40 (x)
 - + REV 1 (fr, de, en) (x)
 - 5312/08 COMPET 14 ECO 6 ENT 6 MI 17 CODEC 44

- Any other business

- (a) Draft Commission Regulation amending Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain **transmissible spongiform encephalopathies**
 - Information from the Commission
- (b) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on **quarterly statistics on population and housing Censuses** (LA) (**First reading**)
 - Information from the Presidency

MEETING ON FRIDAY 8 (10:15) FEBRUARY 2008

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13. **Setting** of the provisional **agenda** for the Council meeting (**Transport, Telecommunications and Energy**) on 28 February 2008

14. **Setting** of the provisional **agenda** for the Council meeting (**Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs**) on 29 February 2008

11. **Preparation** of the Council meeting "**Competitiveness**" (**Internal Market, Industry and Research**) on 25 February 2008 (**continued**)
 2. **Single Market Review**
 - Adoption of Council conclusions
5904/08 COMPET 37 MI 38 SOC 57 CONSOM 12

12. **Goods Package (continued)**

- Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council setting out the requirements for accreditation and market surveillance relating to the marketing of products (LA)
- Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on a common framework for the marketing of products (LA)
- Examination of the compromise text proposed by the Presidency
 - 6377/07 COMPET 52 ECO 26 ENT 25 MI 41 (x)
 - 6378/07 COMPET 53 ECO 27 ENT 26 MI 42 (x)
 - 5338/08 COMPET 17 ECO 8 ENT 9 MI 19 UD 7 CODEC 50
 - 5339/08 COMPET 18 ECO 9 ENT 10 MI 20 UD 8 CODEC 51

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- (1) These items will be considered by the Mertens Group on 5 February 2008.
 - (+) Item which may be adopted by silence procedure, in accordance with Article 12 (2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.
 - (°) Item on which a procedural decision may be adopted by COREPER, in accordance with Article 19(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.
 - (LA) Legislative Act.
 - (x) Out of stock.