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SUMMARY RECORD
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE
4 and 6 February 2026

I. Adoption of the agenda

5800/26 + COR 1 OJ CRP1 5
5944/1/26 REV 1 OJ CRP2 5

The Committee adopted the agenda with the exception of items 6 and 8, which were withdrawn.

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)

FRIDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2026

Agriculture and Fisheries

33. Meeting of the Council (Agriculture and Fisheries) on 23 February 2026: agenda

The Committee took note of the main items to be included in the provisional agenda of the Council meeting as presented by the Presidency.

Competitiveness

34. Meeting of the Council (Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)) on 26 and 27 February 2026: agenda

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 took note of the AOB requested by the Commission on the EU bioeconomy strategy. It agreed that the general approach on the Research Fund for Coal and Steel will be taken in public session, as the Committee decided to take the non-legislative part in public session.

Health

35. Critical Medicines Act IC
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 2 February.

Agriculture

36. Regulation on the production and marketing of plant reproductive material IC
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 3 February.

COREPER (PART 2)

WEDNESDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2026

General Affairs

2. Informal Leaders' retreat on competitiveness (12 February 2026)
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views.

3. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 24 February 2026:
Agenda

The Committee took note of the item to be included in the provisional agenda of the Council meeting as presented by the Presidency.


4. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs/Cohesion) on 26
February 2026: Agenda

The Committee took note of the main items to be included in the provisional agenda of the Council meeting as presented by the Presidency.

5. Seat selection procedure for the EU Customs Agency (EUCA)¹ 5845/26
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views.

Foreign Affairs

6. Russian aggression against Ukraine 
Presentation by the Commission
Exchange of views

This item was withdrawn.

7. Review of Ukraine territorial integrity measures
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views.

8. EU-India summit (New Delhi, 27 January 2026)
Debriefing

This item was withdrawn.

¹ In closed session.

9. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 23 February 2026:
Agenda

The Committee took note of the main items to be included in the provisional agenda of the Council meeting as presented by the EEAS.

10. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 29 January 2026:
Follow-up

The Committee took note of the main outcomes of the Council meeting.

11. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/ Defence) on 11
February 2026: Preparation


- a) EU support to Ukraine, with a focus on cooperation in
defence innovation
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.



Economic and Financial Affairs

12. Appointment of the chairperson of the European Banking
Authority  5667/26
Guidance for further work 5861/26
Approval of a letter

The Committee held a secret ballot to select a preferred candidate for chairperson of the European Banking Authority and approved a letter with view to informing the European Parliament of the ballot's outcome.

32. Financial support for Ukraine* 
- a) Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU, Euratom)  5680/26
2020/2093 of 17 December 2020 laying down the  5470/26
multiannual financial framework for the years 2021 to
2027
Preparation for the agreement in principle
Preparation for the request for the consent of the
European Parliament
Decision to use the written procedure

* Electronic devices were kept outside.

- b) Regulation implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the Ukraine Support Loan for 2026 and 2027  5688/2/26 REV 2
Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament 5689/2/26 REV 2
- c) Regulation amending the Ukraine Facility  5689/2/26 REV 2
Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament 5738/26

The Committee prepared the agreement in principle of the Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2020/2093 of 17 December 2020 laying down the multiannual financial framework for the years 2021 to 2027 and decided to use the written procedure to request the consent of the European Parliament. The Committee also agreed on mandates for negotiations with the European Parliament regarding the Regulation implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the Ukraine Support Loan for 2026 and 2027 and the Regulation amending the Ukraine Facility and authorised the Chair to send the customary letters to the European Parliament.

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

IV. Any other business

COREPER (PART 1)

None.

COREPER (PART 2)



None.

Non-discussion items "I"

COREPER (PART 1)

Institutional Affairs

Written questions

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| 37. | Replies to questions for written answer submitted to the Council by Members of the European Parliament
<i>Adoption by silence procedure</i> |  | 5798/26
PE-QE |
| a) | Marieke Ehlers (Pfe), Auke Zijlstra (Pfe), Ton Diepeveen (Pfe), Rachel Blom (Pfe)
"Designation of Antifa as a terrorist organisation at EU level, following the example of the Netherlands" | | 5209/26 |
| b) | Jorge Buxadé Villalba (Pfe)
"Pardons for Antifa members convicted of political violence" | | 5210/26 |
| 38. | Minutes of Council meetings
<i>Approval</i> |  | PV CONS |
| | TTE (Energy) 15.12.2025 | | 16865/25
+ COR 2-3
+ ADD 1 |

Judicial Affairs

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| 39. | Cases T-711/25, T-712/25, T-713/25, T-714/25, T-715/25, T-716/25, T-717/25, T-718/25, T-719/25, T-720/25, T-723/25, T-724/25, T-725/25, T-726/25, T-730/25, actions for partial annulment, Regulation (EU) 2018/1724 (NZIA Regulation)
<i>Information note</i> | | 5758/26
JUR |
| 40. | Case C-827/25, action for annulment, Decision (EU) 2025/1904 (Energy Charter Treaty - inter se agreement)
<i>Information note</i> | | 5764/26
JUR |

EU positions for international negotiations

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| 41. | Council Decision on the EU position within the Regional Steering Committee of the Transport Community as regards certain changes to the rules on staff salaries of the Transport Community Permanent Secretariat
<i>Adoption</i> | | 5499/26
5494/26 + ADD 1
TRANS |
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COREPER (PART 2)

Judicial Affairs

13. Case C-740/25 P, appeal against the judgment of the General Court in Case T-255/24
Information note 5620/26
JUR
14. Case C-714/25 P, appeal against the judgment of the General Court in Case T-1189/23
Information note 5623/26
JUR

Institutional Affairs

Other

15. Attendance of third parties at the Critical Entities Resilience (CER) subgroup of the Working Party on Civil Protection (PROCIV) on 17 February 2026
Approval 5814/26
PROCIV

Economic and Financial Affairs

16. Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF/2025/004 BE/Tupperware)
Approval ☐ 5696/26
5695/26
FIN
17. Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF/2025/006 BE/Audi)
Approval ☐ 5693/26
5692/26
FIN
18. New Luxembourg commemorative coins
Information note 5594/26
UEM
19. Council Decision approving the external auditors of Banka Slovenije
Adoption 5070/1/26 REV 1
5069/26
UEM
20. Council Decision approving the external auditors of Eesti Pank
Adoption 5585/1/26 REV 1
5107/26
UEM
21. Transfer No DEC 01/2026 (Section III - Commission) (Art. 31(1) FR)
Approval
Approval of a letter ☐ 5694/26
FIN

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| 22. | Transfer No DEC 02/2026 (Section III - Commission) (Art. 31(1) FR)
<i>Approval</i>
<i>Approval of a letter</i> | ☐ 5697/26
FIN |
| 23. | Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1186/2009 as regards the elimination of the customs duty relief threshold
<i>Adoption</i> | ☐ 5744/26 + ADD 1
17000/25
UD |
| | A statement by Malta is set out in document 5744/26 ADD 1. | |
| 24. | ECA SR No 26/2025 on the EU bodies fighting fraud
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i>
<i>Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party meeting</i> | ☐ 5746/26
FIN |

General Affairs

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| 25. | Cooperation with the United Kingdom in the area of health security
<i>Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument</i> | 5766/26 + COR 1
UK |
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Justice and Home Affairs






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| 26. | Council Decision appointing two European Prosecutors of the European Public Prosecutor's Office
<i>Adoption</i>
<i>Approval of a letter</i> | 16520/25
5841/26
16583/25
EPPO |
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Foreign Affairs

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| 27. | EU–Nigeria ministerial joint communiqué
<i>Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument</i> | 5813/26
COAFR |
| 28. | Nomination of an EU candidate for the position of Executive Director of the International Sugar Organisation
<i>Establishment of the EU position</i> | 5687/26
PROBA |
| 29. | Agreement between the European Union and Canada laying down the conditions for the participation of Canadian legal entities and products originating in Canada to procurement under the SAFE Instrument | 5389/26 + ADD 1
INDEF |
| a) | Council Decision on the signing
<i>Adoption</i> | ☐ 16849/25
15810/25
INDEF |

- b) Council Decision on the conclusion
Agreement in principle
Request for the consent of the European Parliament  16853/25
15810/25
INDEF

A statement by Hungary is set out in document 5389/26 ADD 1.

30. Council Directive amending Directive (EU) 2015/637 on the coordination and cooperation measures to facilitate consular protection for unrepresented citizens of the Union in third countries and Directive (EU) 2019/997 establishing an EU emergency travel document    5760/26
5662/26
COCON
Agreement in principle
31. Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2021/947 as regards the External Action Guarantee   5785/26
NDICI
Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

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-  First reading
-  Special legislative procedure
-  Silence procedure (Article 12(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
-  Procedural decision by Coreper (Article 19(3)&(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
-  Restricted item
-  Item based on a Commission proposal
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