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SUMMARY RECORD

PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 1)

29 April 2026

I. Adoption of the agenda

8568/26 OJ CRP1
8623/1 /26 REV 1 OJ CRP2 17

The Committee adopted the agenda.

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)

Wednesday 29 APRIL 2026

Education, Youth, Culture and Sport

2. Meeting of the Council (Education, Youth, Culture and Sport) on 11 and 12 May 2026:
preparation

The Committee approved the attendance of a representative of the European Student's Forum and a youth representative from Armenia at the informal EU Youth Dialogue breakfast.

1. Regulation on the 'Erasmus+' programme for the period 2028-2034  8264/26
Partial general approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council. A revised compromise text will be submitted to the Council.

2. Basic skills and the European Education Area: building bridges for the future
Exchange of views 8263/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

3. Conclusions on teachers in the era of artificial intelligence (AI)
Approval 8262/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

4. Ensuring the youth-friendliness of EU and national policies
Exchange of views 8292/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

5. Resolution on the revision of the EU Youth Strategy Work Plan 2025-2027
Approval 8308/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

6. Resolution on the outcomes of the 11th cycle of the EU Youth Dialogue
Approval 8310/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

7. Mental health in sport: from individual resilience to system responsibility
Exchange of views 7935/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.


8. Conclusions on sport tourism as a contributor to sustainable development
Approval 8255/26

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

9. Regulation establishing the ‘AgoraEU’ programme for the period 2028-2034  8312/26
Partial general approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

Employment

3. Coordination of Social Security systems (883/04 and 987/09)  8387/26 + ADD 1
Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

The Committee analysed and confirmed agreement on the final compromise text. It authorised the Chair to send a letter to inform the European Parliament with a view to an agreement. Statements by Sweden, Latvia, the Netherlands, Poland, Belgium and the Commission are set out in ADD 1 to this document.

COREPER (PART 2)

General Affairs

19. EU-UK summit 8520/26 R-UE
Orientation debate

The Committee held an orientation debate on the upcoming summit.


Foreign Affairs

20. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/Development) on
18 May 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.

21. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/Trade) on
22 May 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.

22. Implementation of the EU-US joint statement of 21 August 2025  8490/26

- a) Regulation on the adjustment of customs duties and opening of tariff quotas related to the import of certain goods originating in the US
- b) Regulation on the non-application of customs duties on imports of certain goods
Preparation for the trilogue

The Committee prepared the forthcoming trilogue on 6 May 2026.

23. EU-Armenia summit (Yerevan, 5 May 2026)
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views.

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

Economic and Financial Affairs

24. Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on
5 May 2026: Preparation

- a) Council Regulation on access of EPPO and OLAF to VAT information at EU level **SC** 8436/26 + ADD 1
General approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

A statement by the Commission is set out in document 8436/26 ADD 1.

- b) Market integration and supervision package **IC** 8367/26
- i) Directive on further development of capital market integration and supervision within the Union
- ii) Regulation on further development of capital market integration and supervision within the Union
- iii) Settlement Finality Regulation
Policy debate

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- c) Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- d) Economic consequences of EU legislation 8299/26 + ADD 1
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- e) Economic recovery in Europe **C** 8130/26 + ADD 1
Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility
Adoption
REV 1

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- f) Follow-up to the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank
Governors meeting of 16 April 2026 8173/26
Information from the Presidency and the Commission
Exchange of views

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- g) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency.

IV. Any other business

COREPER (PART 1)

Communication on better regulation and enforcement
Information from the Commission

8435/26

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Commission.

COREPER (PART 2)

Omnibus VII (Digital Omnibus and Digital Omnibus on AI)

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency.

Third-country access to UA Facility funds

The Committee took note of the information provided by France.

Non-discussion items "I"**COREPER (PART 1)****Institutional Affairs****Other**

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| 4. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Competitiveness and Growth (Internal Market) on 5 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8198/26
COMPET |
| 5. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Animals and Veterinary Questions (Chief Veterinary Officers) on 6 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8373/26
VETER |
| 6. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on Social Questions on 13 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8439/26
SOC |
| 7. | Attendance of a third party at the informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (UNECE/Other regional issues) on 30 April 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8424/26
ENV |
| 8. | Attendance of a third party at the informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on International Food and Agricultural Questions (FAO) on 29 April 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8047/26
FAO |
| 9. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Desertification) on 6 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8233/26
ENV |
| 10. | Attendance of third parties at the informal videoconference of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Climate Change) on 30 April 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8622/26
CLIMA |

EU positions for international negotiations

11. Coordination of the EU position for the 30th meeting of the Regional Steering Committee (Budva, 8 May 2026)
Approval


Agriculture


12. Practical arrangements for the 21st session of the United Nations Forum on Forests (UNFF21), New York, 11-15 May 2026
Approval 8386/26
FORETS

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

13. 10th Ministerial Conference of Forest Europe: Ministerial Declaration
Authorisation to sign a non-binding instrument 8388/26
FORETS

Fisheries

14. Regulation on Joint Regional Fisheries Management Organisation (RFMO) transpositions (ICCAT-SPRFMO-NAFO-IATTC-WCPFC-IOTC)  8377/26
8376/26
PECHE
Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

15. Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 2023/2124 on certain provisions for fishing in the General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean (GFCM) Agreement area  8418/26
PECHE
Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

Telecommunications

16. Joint Statement of the fourth meeting of the European Union - Japan Digital Partnership Council (Brussels, 5 May 2026)
Approval of a non-binding instrument 8290/26
TELECOM

Delegated or Implementing Acts

Health

17. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../... amending Regulation (EU) 2017/745 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of class IIb implantable devices exempted from the obligation to perform an assessment of the technical documentation for every device
Delegated act - Intention not to raise objections 8359/26
SAN


18. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../... amending Regulation (EU) 2017/745 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of implantable devices and class III devices exempted from the obligation to perform clinical investigations
Delegated act - Intention not to raise objections 8358/26
SAN

COREPER (PART 2)

Judicial Affairs

25. Case T-169/26, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Russia)
Information note 8325/26
JUR

Institutional Affairs

26. **Minutes of Council meetings**  PV CONS
Approval
- a) JHA 5+6.03.2026 7034/1/26 REV 1
+ ADD 1 REV 1
- b) FAC 16.03.2026 7445/26 + ADD 1
- c) GAC 17.03.2026 7436/26 + ADD 1

Appointments


27. A member of the Committee of the Regions (IT)
Adoption 8385/26
8384/26
CDR
28. A member of the Committee of the Regions (DE)
Adoption 8487/26
8481/26
CDR
29. Seven alternate members of the Committee of the Regions (PT)
Adoption 8267/26
8266/26
CDR

Other


30. Attendance of a third party at the informal meeting in the margins of the Political and Security Committee (PSC) on 4 May 2026
Approval 8502/26
COPS
31. Attendance of third parties at the Horizontal Working Party on Enhancing Resilience and Countering Hybrid Threats (HWP ERCHT) on 5 May 2026
Approval 8375/26
HYBRID
DISINFO

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| 32. | Attendance of a third party at the informal meeting in the margins of the Political and Security Committee on 6 May 2025
<i>Approval</i> | 8632/26
COPS
CFSP/PESC |
| 33. | Attendance of a third party at the informal lunch in the margins of the Trade Policy Committee (Full Members) meeting on 7 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8504/26
POLCOM |
| 34. | Attendance of a third party at the ad hoc Working Party on the Multiannual Financial Framework (AHWP MFF) on 8 May 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 8515/26
CADREFIN |

Transparency

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| 35. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory application No 13/c/01/26
<i>Approval</i> | 7458/26
API |
| 36. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory application No 14/c/02/26
<i>Approval</i> | 7451/26
API |
| 37. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory application No 15/c/03/26
<i>Approval</i> | 7636/26
7634/1/26 REV 1
API |
| 38. | Public access to document: request 26/1133
<i>Decision to make the statements public</i> |  8445/26
API
INF |





Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 39. | Council Decision appointing a member of the European Statistical Advisory Committee representing the Council
<i>Adoption</i> | 7984/26
7986/26
STATIS |
| 40. | Response to the European Court of Auditors' special report No 09/2026 on European innovation partnership in the common agricultural policy
<i>Approval</i> | 8231/26
6876/26
AGRI
FIN |
| 41. | Regulation establishing the exchange, assistance and training programme for the protection of the euro against counterfeiting for the period 2028-2034 ('Pericles V')
<i>Partial mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament</i> |  8399/26
GAF |

General Affairs

42. Conclusions on ECA SR No 24/2025 on financial instruments in cohesion policy
Approval 8411/26
COH
43. Conclusions on the inclusion of Norway in the EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region
Approval 8437/26
COH

Foreign Affairs

44. Council Decision on an assistance measure under the European Peace Facility to support the Armed Forces of Senegal in the framework of the Yaoundé architecture
Adoption 7394/26
7393/26
CORLX
45. Council Decision on the conclusion of the agreement with China regarding the modifications of the EU's tariff rate quotas in the WTO schedule following Brexit
Adoption  8434/26
10844/23
POLCOM
46. Investor-to-state dispute settlement proceedings under the Energy Charter Treaty initiated by the EU and third-country investors: intervention on behalf of the EU
Approval 8422/2/26 REV 2
FDI
47. EU position on the International Law Commission (ILC) draft articles on prevention and punishment of crimes against humanity
Approval
Decision to use the written procedure  8516/26 + COR 1
8277/2/26 REV 2
COJUR
- A statement by Portugal is set out in the ADD 1 to this document.
48. EU-Mexico joint declaration on circular economy
Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument 8442/26
COLAC
49. Yaoundé ministerial declaration on WTO reform and work plan presented at the WTO's 14th Ministerial Conference (MC14)
Approval of a non-binding instrument 8503/26
POLCOM
50. Connectivity Partnership with Armenia
Authorisation to sign a non-binding instrument
Decision to use the written procedure  8497/26
COEST
51. PSC Decision EUCAP Somalia/1/2026: extension of the mandate of the Head of Mission
Decision to publish in the Official Journal  8475/26
7628/26
COPS

EU positions for international negotiations

52. Council Decision on the EU position as regards the Enlarged Partial Agreement on the Management Committee of the Special Tribunal for the Crime of Aggression against Ukraine
Adoption ☐ C 8363/26
7703/26 + ADD 1-2
COSCE
53. Council Decision on the EU position as regards the adoption of a decision concerning the inclusion of active pharmaceutical ingredients
Adoption ☐ C 8147/26
8148/26 + ADD 1
POLCOM

Other items

54. Interim use of cryptographic products
Approval 8282/26 **R-UE**
8281/26 **R-UE**
CSCI
55. Exceptional ad hoc sharing of EUCI with the European Ombudsman
Approval of a letter ☐ 8410/26
CSC

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- ☐ I First reading
- ☐ S Special legislative procedure
- ☐ Procudural decision by Coreper (Article 19(3)&(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
- ☐ C Item based on a Commission proposal
- R-UE** Document classified RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED
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