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## Industry Working Party Flash – indicative calendar for Net Zero Industry Act (NZIA)

Dear colleagues,

We would like to help you with the planning of your participation in the NZIA negotiations. Therefore, we would like to give you an indicative calendar for the meetings to come – while keeping the Presidency's possibility to revise it when it comes to dates, topics, and ambitions.

We have already asked you to send us your own **general questions, clarifications, and comments** on the proposal and the staff working document with a (new) deadline COB this week. We would also like to give you the opportunity to send us your written **specific questions concerning the relevant chapters** three working days ahead of each "article-by-article meeting".

We will start each "article-by-article meeting" with a presentation from the Commission, including answers to the written questions. We will discuss the related recitals when we discuss the articles according to the table kindly provided by the Commission. Three working days after each meeting we would like to get your written **comments and drafting proposals on the relevant chapters**.

The indicative calendar for the two coming months is as follows:

The 27th of April is a half day meeting (morning) and we will focus on the Commission's answers to the written general questions and comments.

The 15<sup>th</sup> of May is a full day meeting, and we will start with articles 1-15 and discuss "Subject matter, Scope, Permitting, One-stop-shop and Strategic projects".

The 1st of June is also full day meeting, and we will continue with articles 16-27 and discuss "CO2 injection capacity, Access to markets, Skills and Innovation".

The 8th of June is a half day meeting (afternoon, *possibly full day*), and we will continue with articles 28-38 and discuss "Governance, Monitoring and Final provisions"

As always, if there are any questions, you are most welcome to contact us!

Best regards,

SE Presidency Industry Working Party Team