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Presidency Steering Note for the VIDA meeting on 19-20 July 2023

The Presidency would like to outline the structure of the two-day meeting dedicated to the VAT in the Digital Age package on 19 and 20 July 2023.

1. 19 July 2023, 10:00 am

The first day will be mainly dedicated to the Platform Economy part of the proposal. The Presidency has provided a compromise text (WK 9111/23), and a steering note to better explain the amendments of Article 135(3) and Article 177, third subparagraph (WK 9113/23).

The Presidency will proceed article by article through the provisions of the VAT Directive and the Implementing Regulation. With regard to the changes in 135(3) and 177, the Presidency would like delegations to focus on the questions posed in the steering note.

The Presidency also plans to discuss one part of the SVR-related provisions, more specifically those related to second hand goods – works of arts and antiques. The Presidency has provided a short note on these provisions with questions (WK 9116/23), and the Commission will hold a presentation. Delegations will be invited to answer the questions in the note.

2. 20 July 2023, 10:00 am

The second day will be devoted to the SVR-related provisions. A compromise text has been made available on the Delegates Portal (WK 9115/23), together with a note on transfer of own goods (WK 9133/23).

On transfers of own goods, the Commission will hold a presentation, and delegations will be invited to answer the questions provided in the Presidency note.

After the presentation, the Presidency will go through the text article by article.
