



**COUNCIL OF
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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

for: 3152nd meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(ENVIRONMENT)

date: Friday 9 March 2012 **(9:30)**

1. Adoption of the agenda

Non-legislative activities

2. Approval of the list of "A" items
7219/12 PTS A 20

3. A Roadmap for moving to a competitive low-carbon economy in 2050
 - Adoption of Council conclusions
7505/11 ENV 183 ENER 51 TRANS 70 MI 136 RECH 58 COMPET 98 (x)
IND 31 ECOFIN 120 SOC 223 AGRI 201 ONU 38 AVIATION 45
6837/12 ENV 142 ENER 70 TRANS 58 MI 121 RECH 66 COMPET 108
IND 37 ECOFIN 188 SOC 144 AGRI 106 ONU 21

4. Follow-up to the 17th session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 17) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and the 7th session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP 7)
(Durban, South Africa, 28 November - 9 December 2011)
 - Adoption of Council conclusions
6841/12 ENV 144 ONU 23 DEVG 44 ECOFIN 190 ENER 72 FORETS 18
MAR 18 AVIATION 34
5. Rio + 20: Pathways to a sustainable future
 - Adoption of Council conclusions
6892/12 ENV 150 DEVG 48 RELEX 166 ONU 25 ECOFIN 194

Legislative deliberations

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

6. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2001/18/EC as regards the possibility for the Member States to restrict or prohibit the cultivation of GMOs in their territory **(First reading)** (*)
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 114 of the TFEU)
 - Political agreement
12371/10 ENV 499 AGRILEG 100 AGRI 271 MI 254 DENLEG 71 (x)
CODEC 714 ADD 1
7153/12 ENV 166 AGRILEG 28 AGRI 121 MI 141 DENLEG 23 CODEC 537
7. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment of a Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE) **(First reading)**
 - Orientation debate
18627/11 ENV 976 ENER 410 CADREFIN 207 CODEC 2445 (x)
+ REV 1 (el) (x)
6820/12 ENV 140 ENER 68 CADREFIN 108 CODEC 465

Any other business

8. (a) ETS/aviation: State of play
- Oral information from the Commission
- (b) Nominations for the Board of the Green Climate Fund under UNFCCC
- Information from the Presidency
6835/12 ENV 141 ONU 20 DEVGEN 43 ECOFIN 187 ENER 69
FORETS 17 MAR 17 AVIATION 33
- (c) European Semester/Annual Growth Survey - the way forward after the March European Council
- Information from the Presidency and the Commission
7348/12 CO EUR-PREP 11 POLGEN 43 ENV 182 ENER 86 MI 157
RECH 83 COMPET 138 IND 52 ECOFIN 228 SOC 176 EDUC 58
TELECOM 50
- (d) Outcome of the 12th Special Session of the UNEP Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum (GCSS-XII GMEF) (Nairobi, 20-22 February 2012)
- Information from the Presidency and the Commission
7306/12 ENV 181 DEVGEN 56 ONU 29
- (e) Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution (CLRTAP) - Revision of the Gothenburg Protocol: State of play
- Information from the Presidency and the Commission
7303/12 ENV 180 ENT 56 ONU 27
- (f) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the sound level of motor vehicles
- Information from the Netherlands delegation
18633/11 ENT 290 ENV 978 MI 673 CODEC 2448
6840/12 ENT 44 ENV 143 MI 122 CODEC 482
- (g) Drought in Portugal
- Information from the Portuguese delegation
7232/12 ENV 173
- (h) Proposal for the modification of the status of the wolf in Directive 92/43/EEC for the population of Castilla y León, south of the Duero River
- Information from the Spanish delegation
7369/12 ENV 188
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(*) Item on which a vote may be requested.

(x) Document not available in the meeting room.