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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: 3427th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (General Affairs)

Date: 17 and 18 November 2015
Time: 14.00, 10.00
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

A. TUESDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2015 (14.00)

- Adoption of the provisional agenda

Legislative deliberations

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

- (poss.) Approval of the list of 'A' items
- (poss.) Any other business
 - = Current legislative proposals
 - = Information from the Presidency

Non-legislative activities

- Approval of the list of 'A' items

- Resolutions, decisions and opinions adopted by the European Parliament at its part-sessions in Strasbourg from 5 to 8 October 2015 and from 26 to 29 October 2015, and in Brussels on 14 October 2015

- Preparation for the European Council meeting on 17 and 18 December 2015
 - = Annotated draft agenda

- Ensuring respect for the rule of law
 - = Dialogue and exchange of views

- Interinstitutional Agreement on Better Regulation
 - = Exchange of views

- Annual programming - Commission's work programme for 2016¹
 - = Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views

- European Semester 2016
 - = Annual Growth Survey 2016
 - Presentation by the Commission
 - = European Semester roadmap 2016
 - Presentation by the Presidency and the incoming Presidency

- Any other business

¹ Public debate - Article 8(3) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.

B. WEDNESDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2015 (10.00)

Non-legislative activities

- Shift towards a low-carbon economy: contribution of the European Structural and Investment Funds
 - = Exchange of views
 - = Draft Council conclusions
 - Adoption

- 25 years of Interreg: contribution of the Structural Funds to cross-border and transnational cooperation
 - = Exchange of views
 - = Draft Council conclusions
 - Adoption

- Simplification: priorities and requirements of the Member States as regards the European Structural and Investment Funds
 - = Exchange of views
 - = Draft Council conclusions
 - Adoption

- Any other business

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