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(Swedish Presidency)

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In accordance with Article 2(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure, delegations will find attached the indicative agendas<sup>1</sup> for Council meetings for the period from 1 January 2023 up to 30 June 2023. These have been drawn up by the Swedish Presidency and the European External Action Service (EEAS) as regards the Foreign Affairs Council (FAC).

In accordance with Article 3(6) of the Council's Rules of Procedure, items for which approval by the Council is possible without discussion are entered as "A" items. As a general rule, "A" items do not appear on the attached provisional Council agendas.

In accordance with Annex V, para 6 of the Council's Rules of Procedure, no item is placed on the Council agenda simply for presentation by the Commission or by a Council member, except where a debate on new major initiatives is planned.

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<sup>1</sup> In accordance with the Treaty of Lisbon, on all agendas for the various Council configurations a distinction has to be made between legislative and non-legislative acts, in the case of both "A" items and "B" items.

**The Swedish Presidency – 1<sup>st</sup> semester 2023  
Draft work programme for Council meetings**

**Prepared by Coreper (Part 2)**

COUNCIL	DATE					
	January	February	March	April	May	June
GENERAL AFFAIRS		6 21	21	25	30	27
FOREIGN AFFAIRS	23	20	20	24	4 (Development) 22 23 (Defence) 25 (Trade)	26
ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS	17	14	14		16	16
JUSTICE AND HOME AFFAIRS			9-10			8-9

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COUNCIL	DATE					
	January	February	March	April	May	June
EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL POLICY, HEALTH AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS			13 (Social) 14 (Health)			12 (Social) 13 (Health)
COMPETITIVENESS (INTERNAL MARKET, INDUSTRY, RESEARCH AND SPACE)			2 (Int.M. +Ind.)		22-23	
TRANSPORT, TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY			28 (Energy)			1 (Transport) 2 (Telecom) 19 (Energy)
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES	30	27	20	25	30	26-27
ENVIRONMENT			16			20
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**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 6 FEBRUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Priorities of the Swedish Presidency

*Presentation by the Presidency*

*Exchange of views*



Preparation of the extraordinary European Council on 9-10 February

2023: Conclusions

*Exchange of views*

EU-UK relations

*State of play*

Any other business

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■ Public debate (Article 8(3) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

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**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
BRUSSELS - 21 FEBRUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Preparation of the European Council on 23-24 March 2023:

Annotated Draft Agenda

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 21 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Preparation of the European Council on 23-24 March 2023:

Conclusions

*Exchange of views*

EU-UK relations

*State of play*

European Semester

- a) Synthesis report on Council contributions on the 2023 European Semester  
*Exchange of views*

- b) Updated roadmap on the European Semester 2023  
*Presentation by the Presidency*

- c) Draft 2023 recommendation on the economic policy of the euro area  
*Transmission to the European Council*

Rule of law in Poland/Article 7(1) TEU reasoned proposal

*State of play/Hearing*

Any other business

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■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
LUXEMBOURG - 25 APRIL 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Annual rule of law dialogue: country-specific discussion  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 30 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Preparation of the European Council on 29-30 June 2023:

Annotated Draft Agenda

*Exchange of views*

Follow-up to the conference on the future of Europe

*State of play*

Values of the Union in Hungary/Article 7(1) TEU reasoned proposal

*State of play/Hearing*

Any other business

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**GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
LUXEMBOURG - 27 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Preparation of the European Council on 29-30 June 2023:

Conclusions

*Exchange of views*

European Semester 2023: integrated country-specific recommendations

*Approval*

*Transmission to the European Council*

Enlargement and Stabilisation and Association Process

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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■ Item based on a Commission proposal

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 23 JANUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Sahel and coastal countries of West Africa  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

The Foreign Affairs Council (FAC) will keep the following issues under constant review for possible inclusion in the agenda should developments warrant a ministerial discussion:

- transatlantic relations
- EU-AU relations
- EU-LAS relations
- Eastern Partnership
- South Caucasus
- Southern Neighbourhood
- Eastern Mediterranean
- Libya
- MEPP
- Lebanon
- Syria
- Iraq
- Iran
- Yemen
- Belgrade-Pristina Dialogue

- Bosnia and Herzegovina
  - Belarus
  - Moldova
  - Central Asia
  - Arctic matters
  - China
  - India
  - Korea
  - Indo-Pacific
  - Myanmar
  - Venezuela
  - Nicaragua
  - Haiti
  - European Peace Facility
  - implementation of the EU action plan on the global consequences of the Russian aggression against Ukraine
  - digital diplomacy
  - Global Gateway
  - green diplomacy
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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 20 FEBRUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Pakistan/Afghanistan  
*Exchange of views*

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
BRUSSELS - 20 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Strategic compass (with Defence Ministers)  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
LUXEMBOURG - 24 APRIL 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Horn of Africa  
*Exchange of views*

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  - Moldova
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  - Global Gateway
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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL - DEVELOPMENT**

**BRUSSELS - 4 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine

*Exchange of views*

G20 development track and reform path of the Bretton Woods institutions

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 22 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine

*Exchange of views*

Western Balkans

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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  - Global Gateway
  - Green diplomacy
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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL - DEFENCE**  
**BRUSSELS - 23 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Strategic compass

*Exchange of views*

CSDP missions and operations

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL - TRADE**  
**BRUSSELS - 25 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Any other business

Current legislative proposals

*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

**Non-legislative activities**

World Trade Organization (WTO): preparation for the 13th Ministerial Conference (MC13)

*State of play*

Preparation for the signature of the EU-New Zealand and EU-Mexico trade agreements

*Exchange of views*

Ongoing trade negotiations

*State of play*

Trade relations with the United States

*State of play*

Any other business

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**FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
LUXEMBOURG - 26 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Russian aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Gulf  
*Exchange of views*

EU-Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) relations  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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  - European Peace Facility
  - implementation of the EU action plan on the global consequences of the Russian aggression against Ukraine
  - digital diplomacy
  - Global Gateway
  - green diplomacy
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# ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL

BRUSSELS - 17 JANUARY 2023

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

## Non-legislative activities

Presidency work programme ☐<sup>3</sup>  
*Presentation by the Presidency*  
*Exchange of views*

Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

(poss.) Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility ■  
*Adoption*

European Semester 2023  
a) Conclusions on the Alert Mechanism Report 2023  
b) Conclusions on the Annual Sustainable Growth Survey 2023  
c) 2023 Recommendation on the economic policy of the euro area ■  
*Approval*

Any other business

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**p.m.:**

**Monday 16 January 2023**

15.00 Eurogroup

**Tuesday 17 January 2023**

9.00 Breakfast

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■ Public debate (Article 8(3) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL  
BRUSSELS - 14 FEBRUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Any other business

Current financial services legislative proposals

*Information from the Presidency*

**Non-legislative activities**

(poss.) Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility

*Adoption*



Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine

*Exchange of views*

Economic governance review

*Exchange of views*



Preparation of the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors meeting of 23-24 February 2023 - G20 EU terms of reference

*Approval*

Conclusions on the revision of the EU list of non-cooperative jurisdictions for tax purposes

*Approval*

Any other business

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**p.m.:**

**Monday 13 February 2023**

15.00 Eurogroup

**Tuesday 14 February 2023**

9.00 Breakfast

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■ Item based on a Commission proposal

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**ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 14 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Retail investment package  
*Policy debate*



Bank crisis management and deposit insurance framework  
*Policy debate*



Any other business

**Non-legislative activities**

EU budget: recommendation on the discharge to be given to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the budget for 2021  
*Adoption*

Conclusions on the budget guidelines for 2024  
*Approval*

Economic recovery in Europe



- a) Implementation of the Recovery and Resilience Facility  
*Presentation by the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*
- b) (poss.) Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility  
*Adoption*

Economic governance review  
*Exchange of views*

Fiscal policy guidance for 2024  
*Presentation by the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*



Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against  
Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

International meetings

- a) Follow-up to the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank  
Governors meeting of 23-24 February 2023  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*
- b) Preparation of the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank  
Governors and IMF Spring meetings of 17-23 April 2023
  - i) G20 EU Terms of Reference
  - ii) Statement to the IMFC*Guidance for further work*

Any other business  
Status of the implementation of financial services legislation  
*Information from the Commission*

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**p.m.:**

**Monday 13 March 2023**

11:00 Macroeconomic dialogue at political level (MEDPOL)

15.00 Eurogroup

**Tuesday 14 March 2023**

9.00 Breakfast

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 First reading

 Item based on a Commission proposal

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive laying down rules to prevent the misuse of shell entities  
*Policy debate*



Directive on exchange of tax-relevant information on crypto-assets (DAC8)  
*Political agreement*



Digital euro  
*Policy debate*



Any other business  
Current financial services legislative proposals  
*Information from the Presidency*

**Non-legislative activities**

Economic recovery in Europe



- a) Implementation of the Recovery and Resilience Facility  
*Exchange of views*
- b) (poss.) Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility  
*Adoption*

Economic and financial impact of the Russia's aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Customs Policy  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

Follow-up to the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors  
and IMF Spring meetings of 17-23 April 2023  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

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**p.m.:**

**Monday 15 May 2023**

15.00 Eurogroup

**Tuesday 16 May 2023**

8.30 Economic and financial dialogue between the EU and the Western Balkans and Türkiye

9.30 Breakfast

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- First reading
  - Special legislative procedure
  - Item based on a Commission proposal

**ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**LUXEMBOURG - 16 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

EU VAT in the digital age  
*Policy debate*



Revision of the energy taxation Directive  
*Policy debate*



New own resources  
*Progress report*



Any other business  
Current financial services legislative proposals  
*Information from the Presidency*

**Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on the progress achieved by the Code of Conduct Group  
*Approval*

ECOFIN Report to the European Council on tax issues  
*Approval*

(poss.) Council Implementing Decisions under the Recovery and Resilience Facility  
*Adoption*



European Semester 2023  
a) Council Recommendations on the National Reform Programmes 2023 to each Member State  
b) Council opinions on the updated Stability or Convergence Programmes  
*Approval*



Implementation of the Stability and Growth Pact recommendations under the excessive deficit procedure



*Adoption*

Economic governance review



*Exchange of views*

Economic and financial impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine

*Exchange of views*

Preparation of the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors meeting of July 2023 - G20 EU Terms of Reference

*Approval*

Any other business

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**p.m.:**

**Thursday 15 June 2023**

15.00 Eurogroup

**Friday 16 June 2023**

10.00 Breakfast



Special legislative procedure



Item based on a Commission proposal

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

## **HOME AFFAIRS**

### **Legislative deliberations**

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

Revision of the Single Permit Directive  
*General approach*



Regulation to prevent and combat child sexual abuse  
*Progress report*



Any other business  
Current legislative proposals  
*Information from the Presidency*

### **Non-legislative activities**

Overall state of the Schengen area ("Schengen Council"):

- a) Presentation of the Schengen barometer  
*Information from the Commission*
- b) Closure of the Schengen Council cycle: state of play of the implementation of the priorities set out by the Schengen Council in June 2022  
*Information from the Presidency*
- c) The future of EU visa policy  
*Exchange of views*



External dimension of migration  
*Exchange of views*

Asylum and Migration  
*State of play*

Russia's aggression against Ukraine

*Exchange of views*

Implementation of interoperability

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

## **JUSTICE**

### **Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive on restrictive measures

*Progress report*



Directive on asset recovery and confiscation

*Progress report*



Any other business

Current legislative proposals

*Information from the Presidency*

### **Non-legislative activities**

Judicial responses and the fight against impunity regarding crimes committed in connection with Russia's aggression against Ukraine

*State of play*

European Public Prosecutor's Office (EPPO)

*State of play*

Rule of law developments in the field of justice

*Exchange of views*

Conclusions on the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights

*Approval*

Council Decisions on the conclusion of the EU accession to the Istanbul Convention

*State of play*



Fight against racism and antisemitism: national action plans and strategies

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

Final report of the 9th round of mutual evaluations

*Information from the Presidency*

**In the margins of the Council:**

**Meeting of the MIXED COMMITTEE (“Schengen Council”)**

Overall state of the Schengen area:

- a) Presentation of the Schengen barometer ■  
*Information from the Commission*
- b) Closure of the Schengen Council cycle: state of play of the implementation of the priorities set out by the Schengen Council in June 2022  
*Information from the Presidency*
- c) The future of EU visa policy  
*Exchange of views*

Implementation of interoperability

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**JUSTICE AND HOME AFFAIRS COUNCIL**  
**LUXEMBOURG - 8-9 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**HOME AFFAIRS**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Revision of the long-term residents Directive <i>General approach</i>	■ ■
Asylum and Migration Management Regulation <i>General approach</i>	■ ■
Asylum Procedure Regulation <i>General approach</i>	■ ■
Amendment to the Schengen Border Code Regulation <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Amended proposal for Eurodac Regulation <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Qualification Regulation <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Resettlement framework Regulation <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Screening Regulation <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Reception Conditions Directive <i>Political agreement</i>	■ ■
Regulation to prevent and combat child sexual abuse <i>Partial general approach</i>	■ ■

Regulation on automated data exchange for police cooperation  
("Prüm II")  
*Political Agreement*



Collection and transfer of Advanced Passenger Information (API)



- a) Proposal for a Regulation for facilitating external border controls
- b) Proposal for a Regulation for the prevention, detection, investigation and prosecution of terrorist offences and serious crime

*Progress report*

Revision of the financial information directive  
*General approach*

Any other business  
Current legislative proposals  
*Information from the Presidency*

### **Non-legislative activities**

Overall state of the Schengen area ("Schengen Council"):  
State of Schengen report 2023  
*Information from the Commission*



Prioritized measures to follow up within the Schengen Council cycle  
2023-2024  
*Exchange of views*

Implementation of interoperability  
*Exchange of views*

Russia's aggression against Ukraine  
*Exchange of views*

Effective access to data for law enforcement and judicial authorities  
*Exchange of views*

Combating violent right-wing extremism and terrorism: state of play  
and way forward  
*Presentation by the Presidency*  
*Exchange of views*

Cooperation between competent authorities dealing with counterterrorism

*State of play*



Protection of critical infrastructure

*Exchange of views*

External dimension of migration

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

a) EU-US Justice and Home Affairs Ministerial meeting  
*Information from the Presidency*

b) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Presentation by the Spanish delegation*

## **JUSTICE**

### **Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive on asset recovery and confiscation

*General approach*



Directive on combating violence against women and domestic violence

*Progress report*



Directive against strategic lawsuits against public participation ("anti-SLAPP Directive")

*General approach*



Legislative instrument on the transfer of proceedings (*proposal pending*)

*Progress report*



Regulation on the cross-border recognition of parenthood

*Progress report*



Directive on corporate insolvency

*Progress report*



Revision of the anti-trafficking directive (*proposal pending*)

*Policy debate*



Liability rules

a) Artificial Intelligence liability Directive

b) Review of the product liability Directive

*Policy debate*



Any other business

Current legislative proposals

*Information from the Presidency*

### **Non-legislative activities**

Judicial responses and the fight against impunity regarding crimes committed in connection with Russia's aggression against Ukraine

*State of play*

Decisions on signature/conclusion of agreements between the EU and third countries for cooperation with Eurojust

*Adoption*



Council Decisions on the conclusion of the EU accession to the Istanbul Convention

*Adoption*



EU accession to the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR)

*State of play*

Conclusions on the safety of the LGBTIQ persons in Europe

*Approval*

Any other business

a) EU-US Justice and Home Affairs Ministerial meeting

*Information from the Presidency*

b) Work programme of the incoming Presidency

*Presentation by the Spanish delegation*

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**In the margins of the Council:**

**Meeting of the MIXED COMMITTEE (“Schengen Council”)**

Overall state of the Schengen area: ■  
State of Schengen report 2023  
*Information from the Commission*

Prioritized measures to follow up within the Schengen Council cycle  
2023-2024  
*Exchange of views*

Amendment to the Schengen Border Code Regulation ■ ■  
*Progress report*

Collection and transfer of Advanced Passenger Information: proposal ■ ■  
for a Regulation for facilitating external border controls  
*Policy debate*

Implementation of interoperability  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**MEETING ON 13 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL POLICY**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

(poss.) Directive on improving working conditions in platform work  
*General approach*



**Any other business**

Current legislative proposals



**Non-legislative activities**

European Semester 2023  
*Exchange of views*



a) Joint Employment Report  
*Adoption*

b) Conclusions on the 2023 Annual Sustainable Growth Survey (ASGS) and Joint Employment Report (JER)  
*Approval*

EU employment and social situation in the aftermath of Russian aggression against Ukraine, energy crisis and inflation  
*Policy debate*



Any other business

- a) Tripartite Social Summit ■  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*
- b) Employment Committee (EMCO) and Social Protection  
Committee (SPC) Work Programmes 2023 ■  
*Information from the respective Chairs*

**MEETING ON TUESDAY 14 MARCH 2023**

HEALTH

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation on fees and charges payable to EMA ■ ■  
*Policy debate*

Any other business

Current legislative proposals ■ C

Medical Device Regulation (MDR) - state of play on the  
implementation  
*Information from the Commission*

**Non-legislative activities**

EU's strategy in global health ■  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

Negotiations for an international agreement on pandemic prevention,  
preparedness and response, as well as complementary amendments to  
the International Health Regulations (2005) ■  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

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- First reading
- Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of  
Procedure)
- Item based on a Commission proposal

**MEETING ON MONDAY 12 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL POLICY**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive on standards for equality bodies  
*General approach/Progress report*



Directive on equal treatment (Article 19)  
*Progress report*



Directive on the protection of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work and from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens, mutagens and reprotoxic substances at work (*proposal pending*)  
*General approach*



**Any other business**

Current legislative proposals



- a) Decision on the European Year of Skills 2023
- b) Directive on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work
- c) Directive on improving working conditions in platform work
- d) Revision of the Regulations on the coordination of social security systems (883/04 and 987/09)  
*Information from the Presidency*

## Non-legislative activities

European Semester 2023

*Exchange of views*



a) Contribution on employment and social policies aspects of the country-specific recommendations: Recommendations on the 2023 national reform programmes to each Member State

*Approval*



b) Assessment of the country-specific recommendations for 2023 and implementation of the country-specific recommendations for 2022: Opinion of the Employment Committee and the Social Protection Committee

*Endorsement*



Council Recommendation on promoting social dialogue at national level (*proposal pending*)

*Adoption*



Council Decision authorising Member States to ratify the 2019 ILO Convention on Violence and Harassment (No. 190)

*Political agreement/Progress report*



Conclusions on gender equality: Beijing Platform for Action

*Approval*



### Any other business

a) Council Recommendation on developing social economy framework conditions

*Presentation by the Commission*

b) Reinforced quality framework for traineeships

*Presentation by the Commission*

c) Presidency conferences

*Information from the Presidency*

d) Work programme of the incoming Presidency

*Information from the Spanish delegation*

## MEETING ON TUESDAY 13 JUNE 2023

### HEALTH

#### Legislative deliberations

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

Regulation on the European Health Data Space ■ C  
*Progress report*

Regulation on fees and charges payable to EMA ■ C  
*General approach/Progress report*

Regulation on standards of quality and safety for substances of human origin intended for human application ■ C  
*Progress report*

Revision of the Pharmaceutical legislation ■ C  
Revision of legislation on medicines for children and rare diseases  
(*proposals pending*)  
*Policy debate*

Any other business  
Current legislative proposals ■ ■

#### Non-legislative activities

Council Recommendation on Anti-Microbial Resistance (AMR) ■ ■  
*Adoption*

#### Any other business

a) Negotiations for an international agreement on pandemic prevention, preparedness and response, as well as complementary amendments to the International Health Regulations (2005) ■  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

b) Mental health (*proposal pending*) ■  
*Information from the Commission*

c) Presidency conferences ■  
*Information from the Presidency*

d) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

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- First reading
  - Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
  - Item based on a Commission proposal
  - Special legislative procedure
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**COMPETITIVENESS COUNCIL (INTERNAL MARKET, INDUSTRY,  
RESEARCH AND SPACE)**

**BRUSSELS - 2 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive on empowering consumers for the green transition ■ ■  
*General approach*

Regulation on data collection and sharing relating to short-term accommodation rental services ■ ■  
*General approach*

Directive concerning financial services contracts concluded at distance ■ ■  
*General approach*

Any other business  
Current legislative proposals ■ ■

**Non-legislative activities**

Competitiveness in the single market  
*Policy debate*

Any other business

Unitary Patent and Unified Patent Court: state of play  
*Information from the Presidency*

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**COMPETITIVENESS COUNCIL (INTERNAL MARKET, INDUSTRY,  
RESEARCH AND SPACE)**

**BRUSSELS - 22-23 MAY 2023**

**MEETING ON MONDAY 22 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**INTERNAL MARKET AND INDUSTRY**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation establishing a Single Market Emergency Instrument

*Progress report*



Regulation establishing a framework for setting eco-design requirements for sustainable products

*General approach*



Regulation on prohibiting products made with forced labour on the Union market

*Progress report*



Critical raw materials act

*Policy debate*



Review of the EU legislation on design protection (recast of Directive 98/71/EC on the legal protection of designs and amendment of Council Regulation (EC) No 6/2002 on Community designs)

*Progress report*



Any other business

Current legislative proposals



## **Non-legislative activities**

### Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

## **MEETING ON TUESDAY 23 MAY 2023**

### RESEARCH

## **Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on open science/access to publications  
*Approval*

Towards the next Horizon Europe strategic plan  
*Policy debate*

### Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

### SPACE

## **Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on fair and sustainable use of space  
*Approval*

Responsibility in space  
*Policy debate*

### Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Long-term reform of the electricity market design (*proposal pending*)   
*General approach/Policy debate*

Directive on common rules for the internal markets in renewable and natural gases and in hydrogen   
and Regulation on the internal markets for renewable and natural gases and for hydrogen (recast)  
*Policy debate*

Any other business

Current legislative proposals 

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 First reading

 Item based on a Commission proposal

**MEETING ON MONDAY 1 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**TRANSPORTS**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

**Aviation**

Revision of the Regulation on the Air services (*proposal pending*)  
*Progress report*



**Shipping**

Revision of the maritime accident investigation Directive (*proposal pending*)  
*Policy debate*



Revision of the port state control Directive (*proposal pending*)  
*Policy debate*



Revision of the flag state control Directive (*proposal pending*)  
*Policy debate*



**Land transport**

Road safety package (driver's license/cross-border enforcement)  
(*proposal pending*)  
*Progress report*



Driving and rest time for bus and coach drivers  
(*proposal pending*)  
*General approach/Progress report*



Any other business

Current legislative proposals



- a) Regulation on the use of renewable and low-carbon fuels in maritime transport (FuelEU Maritime initiative)
- b) Regulations on Single European Sky 2 +
- c) Regulation on the deployment of alternative fuels infrastructure (AFIR)
- d) Regulation on ensuring a level playing field for sustainable air transport (ReFuelEU Aviation initiative)
- e) Revision of the Directive on the framework for the deployment of Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS)
- f) Revision of the Regulation on Union guidelines for the development of the trans-European transport network (TEN-T)

*Information from the Presidency*

**Non-legislative activities**

Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency

*Information from the Spanish delegation*

## MEETING ON TUESDAY 2 JUNE 2023

### TELECOMMUNICATIONS

#### Legislative deliberations

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

Revision of the Directive on measures to reduce the cost of deploying high-speed electronic communications networks (Broadband Cost Reduction Directive) 

*General approach/Progress report*

Regulation on horizontal cybersecurity requirements products with digital elements (Cyber Resilience Act) 

*General approach/Progress report*

Proposal on interoperable digital public services (European interoperability framework) 

*General approach/Progress report*

#### Any other business

Current legislative proposals 

- a) Regulation laying down harmonised rules on artificial intelligence (Artificial Intelligence Act)
- b) Regulation establishing a framework for a European electronic identity (eIDAS revision)
- c) Regulation on harmonised rules on fair access to and use of data (Data Act)
- d) Regulation concerning the respect for private life and the protection of personal data in electronic communications (ePrivacy Regulation)

*Information from the Presidency*

## Non-legislative activities

### Any other business

- a) International initiatives in the digital field (with a focus on the Trade and Technology Council and digital partnerships) - state of play  
*Information from the Commission*
- b) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*



First reading



Item based on a Commission proposal

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Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

(poss.) Long-term reform of the electricity market design

*General approach*



(poss.) Directive on common rules for the internal markets in renewable and natural gases and in hydrogen and Regulation on the internal markets for renewable and natural gases and for hydrogen (recast)

*General approach*



Any other business

Current legislative proposals



Fit for 55 package (legislative initiatives for the implementation of the updated 2030 climate target)

- a) Revision of the Directive on the energy performance of buildings (recast)
- b) Revision of the Directive as regards the promotion of energy from renewable sources
- c) Directive 2012/27/EU on energy efficiency to implement the ambition of the new 2030 climate target (recast)
- d) Directive on REPowerEU proposing amendments to the Renewable Energy Directive, Energy Efficiency Directive
- e) Regulation on methane emissions reduction in the energy sector and amending Regulation

*Information from the Presidency*

## Non-legislative activities

### Any other business

- a) Recent developments in the field of external energy relations  
*Information from the Commission*
- b) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

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**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 30 JANUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Work programme of the Presidency  
*Presentation by the Presidency*



**AGRICULTURE**

**COREPER ITEMS**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Any other business

Current legislative proposals



Agricultural aspects of the revision of the Industrial Emission Directive  
*Information from the Commission*

**Non-legislative activities**

Any other business

Fisheries

Action plan on marine ecosystems  
*Presentation by the Commission*

## SCA ITEMS

### Non-legislative activities

Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine  
*Information from the Commission and the Member States*  
*Exchange of views*

#### Any other business

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- First reading
  - Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
  - Item based on a Commission proposal
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**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 27 FEBRUARY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**AGRICULTURE**

**SCA ITEMS**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation on the certification of carbon removals: agricultural aspects



*Information from the Commission*

*Policy debate*

**Any other business**

Current legislative proposals



**Non-legislative activities**

(poss.) Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine

*Information from the Commission and the Member States*

*Exchange of views*

Agriculture-related trade issues

*Information from the Commission*

*Exchange of views*

**Any other business**

**COREPER ITEMS**

**Non-legislative activities**

**Any other business**

**Agriculture**

- a) Review of the EU forest governance framework

*Information from the Commission*

## Fisheries

- b) Report on the Common Fisheries Policy  
*Presentation by the Commission*
  
- c) Report on the Common Market Organisation  
*Presentation by the Commission*
  
- d) Action plan on energy efficiency and decarbonisation  
*Presentation by the Commission*

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- First reading
  - Item based on a Commission proposal
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**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 20 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**AGRICULTURE**

**COREPER ITEMS**

**Non-legislative activities**

Study on the Union's situation and options regarding the introduction, production, evaluation, marketing and use of invertebrate biological control agents

*Presentation by the Commission*

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

**SCA ITEMS**

**Non-legislative activities**

Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine

*Information from the Commission and the Member States*

*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**LUXEMBOURG - 25 APRIL 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**AGRICULTURE**

**SCA ITEMS**

**Non-legislative activities**

(poss.) Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine

*Information from the Commission and the Member States*  
*Exchange of views*

Conclusions on the opportunities of the bioeconomy in the light of current challenges

*Approval*

CAP Strategic Plans – state of play

*Information from the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*

Marketing standards

*Presentation by the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**BRUSSELS - 30 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**AGRICULTURE**

**COREPER ITEMS**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation amending the Plant Health Law (Regulation (EU) 2016/2031 on protective measures against pests of plants)  
*Policy debate*



**Any other business**

Current legislative proposals



**SCA ITEMS**

**Non-legislative activities**

Agriculture-related trade issues  
*Information from the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*

Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine  
*Information from the Commission and the Member States*  
*Exchange of views*

**Any other business**

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

**AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES COUNCIL**

**LUXEMBOURG - 26-27 JUNE 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**COREPER ITEMS**

**AGRICULTURE**

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation on the sustainable use of plant protection products ■ ■  
*Progress report*

Regulation on plants produced by certain new genomic techniques ■ ■  
*Policy debate*

Regulation on plant and forest reproductive material ■ ■  
*Policy debate*

Any other business  
Current legislative proposals ■ ■

- a) Regulation on food information to consumers: state of play
- b) Regulation on geographical indications: state of play  
*Information from the Presidency*

## FISHERIES

### Non-legislative activities

Communication on the state of play of the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) and consultation on the fishing opportunities for 2024

*Presentation by the Commission*

*Exchange of views*

(poss.) Conclusions on the Common Fisheries Policy Report

*Approval*

Any other business

## SCA ITEMS

### AGRICULTURE

(poss.) Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine

*Information from the Commission and the Member States*

*Exchange of views*

Any other business



First reading



Item based on a Commission proposal

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Directive amending Directive 2010/75/EU on industrial emissions and Council Directive on the landfill of waste  
*General approach* ■ C

Review of the Directive on packaging and packaging waste (*proposal pending*)  
*Policy debate* ■ C

Carbon removal certification (*proposal pending*)  
*Policy debate* ■ C

Directive concerning urban wastewater treatment (recast)  
*Policy debate* ■ C

**Any other business**

Current legislative proposals  
*Information from the Presidency* ■ ■

**Non-legislative activities**

Greening the European Semester  
*Exchange of views*

**Any other business**

Reports on main recent international meetings  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

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Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Legislative deliberations**

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

Regulation on shipments of waste ■ C  
*General approach*

(poss.) Regulation on nature restoration ■ C  
*General approach*

Review of the CO<sub>2</sub> emission standards for heavy duty vehicles ■ C  
*(proposal pending)*  
*Policy debate*

Revision of the EU ambient air quality legislation *(proposal pending)* ■ C  
*Policy debate*

Any other business

Current legislative proposals ■ ■  
*Information from the Presidency*

**Non-legislative activities**

Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

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■ First reading

■ Item based on a Commission proposal

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**EDUCATION, YOUTH, CULTURE AND SPORT COUNCIL**  
**BRUSSELS - 7 MARCH 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on skills and competences for the green transition

*Approval*

Any other business

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**MEETING ON MONDAY 15 MAY 2023**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**EDUCATION**

**Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on the European Education Area

*Approval*

Conclusions on a trust-based system for automatic mutual recognition of qualifications for higher education

*Approval*

**Any other business**

Work programme of the incoming Presidency

*Information from the Spanish delegation*

## YOUTH

### **Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions of the Council and of the representatives of the Governments of the Member States meeting within the Council on the social dimension of a sustainable Europe for youth

*Approval*

Resolution on the outcomes of the 9th cycle of the EU youth dialogue

*Approval*

Resolution on the revision of the EU youth strategy work plan 2022-2024

*Approval*

### **Any other business**

Work programme of the incoming Presidency

*Information from the Spanish delegation*

## **MEETING ON TUESDAY 16 MAY 2023**

## **CULTURE, AUDIOVISUAL AND MEDIA**

### **Legislative deliberations**

(poss.) Regulation establishing the European Media Freedom Act  
*General approach*



### **Any other business**

Current legislative proposals



### **Non-legislative activities**

Conclusions on at-risk and displaced artists

*Approval*

Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

SPORT

**Non-legislative activities**

Good governance in sport  
*Policy debate*



Any other business

Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*

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- First reading
  - Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
  - Item based on a Commission proposal
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