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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: 2746th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Justice and Home Affairs)
Date: Monday 24 July 2006 (10.00)
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

- Adoption of the provisional agenda

- Approval of the list of "A" items

- Hague programme review
(public debate)
 - a) Report on the implementation of The Hague Programme in 2005 ("Scoreboard +")
11228/06 JAI 355 CATS 138 ASIM 56 JUSTCIV 162
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- b) Evaluation of EU Policies on Freedom, Security and Justice
11223/06 JAI 354 CATS 137 ASIM 55 JUSTCIV 161
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- c) Implementing the Hague Programme: the way forward
11222/06 JAI 353 CATS 136 ASIM 54 JUSTCIV 160
- d) The extension of the competence of the Court of Justice foreseen by Article 67(2) TEC
11356/06 COUR 37 JUR 285 JUSTCIV 165 ASIM 57
- procedure and handling
- Global approach to migration
(public debate)
 - a) EU preparations for the UN High-level dialogue on International Migration and Development
 - information item
 - b) Report on the outcome of the Euro African Ministerial Conference on migration and development, Rabat 10/11 July 2006
 - information item
 - c) Situation in the Mediterranean Region/Africa especially with regard to illegal immigration, update on Frontex operations
 - orientation debate, presentations by the Commission and Frontex
- Management of migration flows
(public debate)
 - a) Communication from the Commission on Policy Plan on Legal Migration
 - b) (poss.) Communication from the Commission on Common Policy on Illegal Immigration
 - presentation by the Commission and first exchange of views
- (poss.) Second Report from the Commission to the Council on visa waiver reciprocity with certain third countries
 - Presentation by the Commission
- AOB
 - Moldova - Visa Facilitation and Readmission (*request from Czech Republic*)

In the margins of the Council:

Meeting of the Mixed Committee at Ministerial Level (15h00)

- Adoption of the provisional agenda

- SIS legal instruments
 - Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment, operation and use of the second generation Schengen Information System (SIS II)
 - Proposal for a Council Decision on the establishment, operation and use of the second generation Schengen Information System (SIS II)
 - Proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council regarding access to the Second Generation Schengen Information System (SIS II) by the services in the Member States responsible for issuing vehicle registration certificates

- (poss.) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council in view of setting up the powers and the financing of teams of national experts of Member States to provide technical and operational assistance to Member States in the activities dealing with the control and surveillance of the external borders in the framework of the European Agency for the Management of Operational Cooperation at the External Borders of the Member States of the European Union
 - presentation by the Commission

- Development of the common visa policy
 - (poss.) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council for a Community Code on Visas
 - presentation by the Commission
 - (poss.) Common Application Centres
 - information by the Commission

- AOB

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