NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject: European Council meeting (20 and 21 June 2019)
    – Annotated draft agenda

In accordance with Article 3(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the European Council, the President of the European Council, in close cooperation with the member of the European Council representing the Member State holding the six-monthly Presidency of the Council and with the President of the Commission, is to submit an annotated draft agenda to the General Affairs Council.

Delegations will find attached the annotated draft agenda submitted by the President of the European Council, setting out the main items the European Council is expected to address at the above meeting.

In the light of the final discussion to be held by the General Affairs Council within the five days preceding the European Council meeting, the President of the European Council is to draw up the provisional agenda.
At the start of the meeting, the Member of the European Council representing the Member State holding the six-monthly Presidency of the Council will provide an overview of progress on the implementation of earlier European Council conclusions.

I. THE NEXT INSTITUTIONAL CYCLE

The European Council will take the relevant decisions on appointments for the next institutional cycle and adopt the 2019-2024 Strategic Agenda for the Union.

II. MULTIANNUAL FINANCIAL FRAMEWORK

The European Council will revert to the issue of the 2021-2027 Multiannual Financial Framework.

III. CLIMATE CHANGE

The European Council will return to the issue of climate change ahead of the United Nations Secretary-General's Climate Action Summit on 23 September 2019.

IV. OTHER ITEMS

Under the European Semester, the European Council will discuss a conclusion on the basis of a synthesis horizontal note on the country-specific recommendations.

The European Council will take note of the disinformation and elections report on lessons learnt prepared by the Presidency in cooperation with the Commission and the High Representative.

In the light of events, the European Council may address specific foreign policy issues.

p.m.: Enlargement