

Brussels, 26 June 2018

Structural Measures Working Party

Indicative Planning July 2018

Meeting	Topics
2 July (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priorities of the AT Presidency of the Council of the EU (<i>including information on the plans how to deal with the Cohesion Policy legislative package</i>) • Cohesion Policy legislative package: Simplification <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Presentation by the Commission of the handbook on simplification 2021-2027 • Cohesion Policy legislative package: Technical clarifications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) CPR – which parts of the CPR apply to which Funds? b) CPR 2014-2020 not being repealed: rational / consequences / transitional provisions
12 July (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Poss.): Amendment to the CPR – Structural Reforms: Short information point from the AT Presidency as regards the state of play of the file • Amendment to the CPR – YEI technical adjustment: Presentation by the Commission (file expected on 28 June) • Cohesion Policy legislative package: CPR – What has changed (<i>incl. the Annexes</i>), what stayed stable? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ General Presentation by the Commission • Cohesion Policy legislative package: Links to other funds and instruments (EAFRD, CEF, H2020, LIFE, R&D, InvestEU, EGF, Erasmus, mainstream/ETC...) • Presentation of GSC tool for consolidation of input/comments from MS
20 July (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Poss.): Cohesion Policy legislative package: Link with the European Semester • Cohesion Policy legislative package: Programming provisions • (Poss.): Cohesion Policy legislative package: Provisions on management and control

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Indicative Planning Weeks 36-42/2018

Please note that possible amendments to current regulation, secondary legislation and non-legislative files (ECA reports) may be added.

Week	Meeting	Topics
36	7 Sept (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation Block 5 - Management & Control: <u>Examination article by article</u> Presentation of consolidated input gathered with GSC tool
37	13 Sept (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation Block 1 - Programming: <u>Examination article by article</u> CPR fiches: Technical Assistance, Mid-term Review
37	14 Sept (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ERDF/Cohesion Fund Regulation and ESF+ Regulation: Orientation debates (based on questionnaire)
38	20 Sept (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ETC Regulation: Orientation debate (based on questionnaire) CPR fiche: VAT eligibility
39	27-28 Sept (informal)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Informal discussion on further simplification measures, based on background paper prepared by Presidency CPR - Links with the European Semester (update from COM)
40	3 Oct (full day)*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CPR - Enabling Conditions <i>*SMWP Meeting in seminar mode (1+3 format, no interpretation)</i>
40	5 Oct (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation Block 5 - Management & Control: 1st compromise text ESF+ Regulation: Follow-up of the orientation debate of 14 September
41	12 Oct (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation Block 1 - Programming: 1st compromise text ERDF/Cohesion Fund Regulation: Follow-up of the orientation debate of 14 September CPR fiche: Territorial dimension of Cohesion Policy
42	16 Oct (half day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ECBM Regulation: Orientation debate (based on questionnaire)

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Indicative Planning Weeks 43-46/2018 (Updates)

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Week	Meeting	Topics
43	25 Oct (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 2 - Conditions & Framework: Article-by-article examination of Art. 11-14 CPR and Art. 4(1) ESF+ Reg. (Specific Objectives); Block 5 - Management & Control: 2nd compromise text <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiche (CPR): Climate proofing
44	31 Oct (full day) <u>UPDATE</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 1 - Programming: 2nd compromise text ERDF/CF Regulation: Articles 6, 7 and Annexes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fiche (ERDF/CF): Exclusions (Art. 6)
45	7 Nov (full day) <u>UPDATE</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ERDF/CF Regulation: 1st compromise text (excluding Articles 3, 6, 7 and Annexes) ECA Report 17/2018 (Absorption): Presentation by the Court <i>COREPER - GAC (Cohesion) agenda</i>
45	8 Nov (am)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 5 - Management & Control: 3rd/last compromise text
46	14 Nov (full day) <u>UPDATE</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ECA Report 17/2018 (Absorption): Draft Council conclusions ECA Report 21/2018 (Result orientation): Presentation by the Court Common Provisions Regulation: Block 2 - Conditions & Framework (Art. 11-14 CPR & Art. 4(1) ESF+ Reg.): 1st compromise text
46	15 Nov (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 1 - Programming: 3rd/last compromise text ETC Regulation: Follow-up of orientation debate on 20/9 and implications of CPR discussions on Blocks 1 and 5

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Indicative Planning Weeks 46-51/2018

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46	15 Nov (full day) <u>UPDATE</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 1 - Programming: Open issues (TA, PA) ETC Regulation: Follow-up of orientation debate on 20/9 and implications of CPR discussions on Blocks 1 and 5
47	20 Nov (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 2 - Conditions & Framework: Annexes (poss.) EGTC Delegated Act and report: Presentation
47	21 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Seminar on 'European Cross-Border Mechanism' (organised in cooperation with the Government of Luxembourg) 9:30 – 13:00</i> ○ <i>COREPER - GAC (Cohesion) Preparation of Council Meeting</i>
48	27 Nov (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Block 2 - Conditions & Framework (Art. 11-14 CPR & Art. 4(1) ESF+ Reg.): 2nd compromise text ERDF/CF Regulation: 2nd compromise text (excluding Article 3) ECA Report 21/2018 (Result orientation): Draft Council conclusions
48	30 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>General Affairs Council (Cohesion Policy) 11:00-14:00</i>
49	4 Dec (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Blocks 1, 2 and 5: Final compromise text ERDF/CF Regulation: Final compromise text
50	10 Dec (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common Provisions Regulation: Blocks 1, 2 and 5: Finalisation ERDF/CF Regulation: Finalisation
51	18 Dec (full day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (poss.) Finalisation of ECA Reports Reserve for remaining open issues
51	19 Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>COREPER - Presentation of Presidency report + texts</i>