

## Newsletter 8 September 2022

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Coming up in the next committee meetings:

ECON meeting, 8 September 2022, 10:15 - 12:30  
Room: József Antall (4Q1)

The meeting will be webstreamed:

[See live broadcast](#)

### ECON meeting, Thursday, 8 September 2022

#### 10:15 - 11:15

#### Economic Dialogue and exchange of views with Fernando Medina, Minister of Finance of Portugal

On Thursday, 8 September, 10:15 –11:15, the Minister of Finance of Portugal Fernando Medina will attend an Economic Dialogue with Members of the ECON Committee.

The focus of the exchange of views will be on the progress made by Portugal under the post-programme surveillance. This Economic Dialogue is part of a series of exchanges of views with a number of Member States taking place on the basis of Article 14 of Regulation (EU) No 472/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 May 2013 on the strengthening of economic and budgetary surveillance of Member States in the euro area experiencing or



threatened with serious difficulties with respect to their financial stability. Similar exchanges already took place with the Ministers of Finance of Cyprus, Spain, Ireland and Greece. A further Economic Dialogue is planned with the Minister of Finance of Romania.

- [Link to the EGOV briefing in advance of the Economic Dialogue](#)

11:30 - 12:30

### **Structured Dialogue with Margrethe Vestager, Executive Vice-President and Commissioner for Competition**

ECON Members will hold a structured dialogue on competition policy with Margrethe Vestager, Executive Vice-President for A Europe Fit for the Digital Age and Commissioner for Competition on Thursday 8 September 2022, from 11.30 to 12.30.

The meeting provides an important opportunity to take stock of the current developments on competition policy and to discuss the progress on the review of key regulations and guidelines. The responses to Russia's invasion of Ukraine and the energy crisis will be likely subjects of interest together with the recently amended State aid Temporary Crisis Framework.



### **ECON: Draft Agenda 8 September 2022**



#### **Next committee meetings:**

BUDG-ECON meeting: Monday, 12 September 2022, 19:45 - 21:45, Strasbourg  
ECON meeting: Monday, 26 September 2022, 15:00 - 18:30, Brussels

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