The Week Ahead 20 – 26 January 2020

Committees’ meetings, Brussels

Brexit. The Constitutional Affairs Committee will vote on their recommendation to Parliament on whether it should grant its consent to the EU-UK Withdrawal Agreement. The final vote in plenary, scheduled for 29 January in Brussels, will take place if the UK has ratified fully the Agreement by then (Thursday).

EU-Vietnam free trade deal. The EU-Vietnam free trade and investment protection agreements are up for a vote in the International Trade Committee. If approved, the deal would remove all export tariffs from the EU and protect 169 GIs (products with geographical indication), while Vietnam would open its public procurement market to EU firms. The contentious issues are Vietnam’s human rights record and its labour laws (Tuesday).

Artificial Intelligence. The Internal Market and Consumer Protection Committee will vote on a resolution addressing several challenges arising from the rapid development of Artificial Intelligence (AI) technology, in particular those related to consumer choice, the problematic use of bias data and the need to adapt EU liability rules to cover new AI-enabled products (Thursday).

NATO/EU. NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg will address the Foreign Affairs Committee, Subcommittee on Security and Defence and the Parliamentary Delegation to NATO just a week after Parliament adopted resolutions on the state of play of the Common Foreign and Security Policy as well as Common Security and Defence Policy. MEPs called for close cooperation with NATO, while stressing that the EU needs to have strategic autonomy (Tuesday).

Public Health. The Environment and Public Health Committee will vote on whether to veto a proposal from the Commission to promote the recycling of PVC waste containing lead. According to the draft decision, this may prolong and enhance consumers’ exposure to lead (Tuesday).

Illegal trade in pets. Members of the Environment and Public Health Committee are expected to demand immediate action against illegal trade in pets to protect animal welfare, consumers and public health (Tuesday).

Croatian Presidency. Croatian Ministers will present the rotating Council Presidency’s priorities to the relevant parliamentary committees. Croatia holds the Presidency of the Council until July (Monday to Wednesday).

President's diary. EP President David Sassoli will attend the World Economic Forum in Davos, on Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday, the EP President will be in Jerusalem at the World Holocaust Remembrance Centre (Yad Vashem) for the 75th anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz and will meet Yuli-Yoel Edelstein, Speaker of Knesset. On Friday, President Sassoli will deliver a speech at the Conference on the New Green Deal, in Assisi, Italy.
Press briefing. The EP Press Service will hold a press briefing on the week's activities at 11.00 a.m. on Monday, in the “Anna Politkovskaya” EP press conference room.

EP Press service contacts
The President's agenda
Tuesday 21/01/2020
Participation au Forum économique mondial de Davos

The President's agenda
Wednesday 22/01/2020
Participation in the World Economic Forum of Davos

The President's agenda
Thursday 23/01/2020
Official ceremony for the 75th anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz, World Holocaust Remembrance Centre - Yad Vashem (Jerusalem)
Meeting with the Speaker of Knesset, Mr Yuli-Yoel Edelstein

The President's agenda
Friday 24/01/2020
Conference on New Green Deal “Climate crisis. The manifesto of Assisi, for a human scale economy”, Salone Papale Sacro Convento di Assisi
PRESS CONFERENCES

“the situation in Venezuela”
Wednesday 22/01/2020 16:30-17:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 0A050

Dita CHARANZOVÁ, EP Vice-President, with the legitimate interim President of Venezuela, Juan GUAIĐÓ, and Javi LÓPEZ, Chair of the Delegation to the Euro-Latin American Parliamentary Assembly (DLAT), the Vice-Chairs of DLAT Jordi CANAS and Hermann TERTSCH, and EPP Vice-Chair Esteban GONZÁLEZ PONS
PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

Committee on Foreign Affairs
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 2Q2

Debates

- Public hearing "The Eastern Partnership - vision of development after 2020". Brussels, József Antall, 2Q2, Tuesday 21 January, 09.15 – 11.15. Full programme

- Exchange of views with the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Paraguay (Pro Tempore Presidency of Mercosur), Ambassador Antonio Rivas, on EU-Mercosur relations (in association with the Delegation for relations with Mercosur) 14.30-15.00

- Exchange of views with Gordan Grlić Radman, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs of the Republic of Croatia, on the priorities of the Croatian Presidency. 15:30 – 16.30

- Exchange of views with Jens Stoltenberg, NATO Secretary General (Jointly with the Subcommittee on Security and Defence and in association with the Delegation for relations with the NATO Parliamentary Assembly). 16:30-17.30

- Exchange of views with Adel Al Jubeir, Minister of State for Foreign relations of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. 17:45 – 18.30

Subcommittee on Human Rights
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3E-2

Debates

- Exchange of views with Eamon Gilmore, EU Special Representative for Human Rights

- Exchange of views on the human rights situation in Myanmar. With Nicholas Koumjian, Head of the United Nations Independent Investigative Mechanism for Myanmar (via webmeeting), and Yasmin Ullah, Free Rohingya Coalition (FRC) In association with the Delegation for relations with the countries of Southeast Asia and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) (tbc)

- Exchange of views on the future of the EU-Tunisia partnership: a Tunisian vision with Kamel Jendoubi, Honorary Chairman of EuroMed Rights, first President of the Independent Higher Authority for the elections and former Minister for relations with Constitutional Institutions and Civil Society, and Ouided Bouchamaoui, co-laureate of the Nobel Peace Prize 2015 and former President of the Tunisian Confederacy of Industry, Trade and Handicrafts (UTICA) In association with the Delegation for relations with Maghreb countries

Subcommittee on Human Rights
Thursday 23/01/2020 09:00-12:00 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3E-2

Debate

- Exchange of views on the 3rd EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy with Lotte Knudsen, Managing Director Global - Human Rights, Global and Multilateral Issues, EEAS (tbc), Chiara Adamo, Head of Unit, Directorate
General for International Development and Cooperation, European Commission, and Gaelle Dusepulchre on behalf of Human Rights and Democracy Network (HRDN)

**Subcommittee on Security and Defence**

**Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3G-3**

**Debates**

- **9.00 – 11.30**
  - Exchange of views on the military challenges in Sahel

- **14.30 – 18.30**
  - Exchange of views on the security and defence challenges of 5G
  - Exchange of views on the security situation in Iraq and EUAM Iraq

**Subcommittee on Security and Defence**

**Thursday 23/01/2020 09:00-12:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3G-3**

**Debates**

- Consideration of draft report: Recommendation to the High Representative and to the Council under Rule 118 in preparation of the 2020 Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons Treaty (NPT) review process, nuclear arms control and nuclear disarmament options. Rapporteur: Sven MIKSER (S&D, ET). Exchange of views with Narcisa VLADULESCU, Chair of CONOP, Division for Disarmament, Non-Proliferation and Arms Export Control, EEAS

- NATO's 70th anniversary: future challenges for the Alliance

**Committee on Development**

**Tuesday 21/01/2020 15:00-15:30 Brussels, Jözsef Antall, 2Q2**

**Debate**

- Jointly with AFET - reporting to committee on negotiations. Establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument. Rapporteurs: Michael Gahler (EPP, DE), Maria Arena (S&D, BE), Charles Goerens (Renew, LU), Rasa Juknevičienė (EPP, LT) . **15.00 – 15.30** Link to program

**Committee on Development**

**Wednesday 22/01/2020 10:00-18:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 5B001**

**Votes (in Altiero Spinelli 1G3)**

- **10:00 - 10:30** Jointly with the Committee Women's Rights and Gender Equality: The 25th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD25) (the Nairobi Summit) - Rapporteurs: Tomas Tobé (EPP, SE), Emily Regner (S&D, AT)
- **10:30 - 11:00** EU-Africa Strategy - Rapporteur: Tomas Tobé (EPP, SE),

**Hearings (in Paul-Henri Spaak 5B001)**

- **11.00 – 12.30** Priorities of the Croatian Presidency in Humanitarian Aid. Exchange of views with Gordan Grlić Radman, Minister of Foreign and
European Affairs of the Republic of Croatia

**14:30 - 16:30** Effectiveness, efficiency and results of EU aid for sustainable development – Link to program

Debate

**17.00 – 18.30** Current and forthcoming challenges in EU development.
*Exchange of views with Jutta Urpilainen, European Union Commissioner for International Partnerships*

Committee on International Trade

**Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-17:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 1A002**

Debate

- Exchange of views with Karen CURTIS, Branch Chief from the NORMES Department (ILO)

Committee on International Trade

**Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:00 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 1A002**

Votes

- Conclusion of the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam – adoption of consent decision - Geert BOURGEOIS (ECR, BE)
- Conclusion of the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam – adoption of resolution - Geert BOURGEOIS (ECR, BE)
- Investment Protection Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, of the other part – adoption of consent decision - Geert BOURGEOIS (ECR, BE)
- Investment Protection Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, of the other part – adoption of resolution - Geert BOURGEOIS (ECR, BE)

Debates

- Priorities of the Croatian Presidency in the area of International Trade Policy - presentation by Gordan Grlić Radman, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs, representing the President-in-Office of the Council
- EU reaction to the extra-territorial effects of measures of a third country (blocking statute, Instex, North Stream 2)
- Trade Policy Day – public hearing - programme

Committee on Budgets

**Wednesday 22/01/2020 10:15-17:30 Brussels, József Antall, 6Q-2**

- Exchange of views with Zdravko Marić, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia and Minister for Finance on the priorities of the Croatian Presidency of the Council

15.00 – 17.30

- Exchange of views on new priorities and cooperation with Johannes Hahn, Commissioner for Budget and Human Resources
Committee on Budgets
Thursday 23/01/2020 09:00-12:30 Brussels, József Antall, 6Q-2
9.30 – 12.00

• Public Hearing on EU Own Resources and Fiscal Policy harmonisation: untapped potential for synergies?

Committee on Budgetary Control
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3E-2

• 2018 discharge: General budget of the EU - European Commission - 2019/2055(DEC) - Rapporteur: Monika HOHLMEIER (EPP, DE) - Consideration of draft report

• 2018 discharge: General budget of the EU - European Parliament - 2019/2056(DEC) - Rapporteur Maria GRAPINI (S&D, RO) - Consideration of draft report

• 2018 discharge: General budget of the EU - 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th EDFs - 2019/2065(DEC) - Rapporteur: Michèle RIVASI (Greens/EFA, FR) - Consideration of draft report

• Discharge to the Agencies

14.30 – 16.30

• Discharge to the other Institutions

Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q2

Debates

• Economic dialogue and exchange of views with Zdravko MARIĆ, ECOFIN Chair and Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia and Minister for Finance

• Appointment of the Executive Director of the European Banking Authority (EBA) - Exchange of views with the candidate selected for the position

• Appointment of a member of the Single Resolution Board - Exchange of views with the candidates selected for the position

• Appointment of the Vice-Chair of the Single Resolution Board - Exchange of views with the candidate selected for the position

Votes

• Appointment of the Executive Director of the European Banking Authority (EBA) - Adoption of draft report - Rapporteur: Irene TINAGLI (S&D, IT)

• Appointment of a member of the Single Resolution Board - Adoption of draft reports - Rapporteur: Irene TINAGLI (S&D, IT)

• Appointment of the Vice-Chair of the Single Resolution Board - Adoption of draft report - Rapporteur: Irene TINAGLI (S&D, IT)

• Framework for the recovery and resolution of central counterparties - Vote on the decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations - Co-rapporteurs: Marek BELKA (S&D, PL), Johan VAN OVERTVELDT (ECR, BE)

• European Central Bank - annual report 2018 - Adoption of draft report - Rapporteur: Costas MAVRIDES (S&D, CY)
Committee on Employment and Social Affairs
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 3C050

Debates

- Exchange of views with Josip ALADROVIĆ (Croatian Minister of Labour and Pension System) and Vesna BEDEKOVIĆ (Croatian Minister of Demographics, Family, Youth and Social Policy) - Presentation of the Council Presidency’s programme in the field of employment and social affairs
- Collective bargaining models throughout the European Union - Presentation by Eurofound

Votes

- European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) - Vote on the decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations - Rapporteur: Vilija BLINKEVIČIŪTĖ (S&D, LT)
- Conclusion of the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community - Adoption of draft opinion in letter form

Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety
Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-19:00 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q2

Debates

- Exchange of views with Mr Milan KUJUNDŽIĆ, Croatian Minister of Health - Presentation of the Council Presidency’s programme
- Report back on ongoing interinstitutional negotiations
- Type approval of motor vehicles with respect to emissions from light passenger and commercial vehicles (Euro 5 and Euro 6) and on access to vehicle repair and maintenance information - Consideration of draft report - Rapporteur: Esther DE LANGE (EPP, NL)
- Objection pursuant to Rule 112(2), (3) and (4)(c): Commission Regulation amending Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) as regards lead and its compounds - Consideration of motion for a resolution - Co-rapporteurs: Bas EICKHOUT (Greens/EFA, NL), Maria ARENA (S&D, BE), Martin HOJSÍK (Renew, SK)

Votes

- Conclusion of the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community - Adoption of draft opinion in letter form
- Objection pursuant to Rule 112(2), (3) and (4)(c): Commission Regulation amending Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) as regards lead and its compounds - Adoption of motion for a resolution - Co-rapporteurs: Bas EICKHOUT (Greens/EFA, NL), Maria ARENA (S&D, BE), Martin HOJSÍK (Renew, SK)
- Protecting the EU’s internal market and consumer rights against the negative implications of the illegal trade in companion animals - Adoption of motion for a resolution - Co-rapporteurs: Stanislav POLČÁK (EPP, CZ), Sylwia SPUREK (S&D, PL), Martin HOJSÍK (Renew, SK), Alexandra Louise Rosenfield PHILLIPS (Greens/EFA, UK), Jadwiga WIŚNIEWSKA (ECR, PL), Anja
HAZEKAMP (GUE/NGL, NL), Eleonora EVI (NI, IT)

- European Year of Greener Cities 2021 - Adoption of motion for a resolution - Co-rapporteurs: Sirpa PIETIKÄINEN (EPP, FI), Christel SCHALDEMOSE (S&D, DA), Karin KARLSBRO (Renew, SV), Bas EICKHOUT (Greens/EFA, NL), Jadwiga WIŚNIEWSKA (ECR, PL), Idoia VILLANUEVA RUIZ (GUE/NGL, ES)
- Minimum requirements for water reuse - Vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations - Rapporteur: Simona BONAFÈ (S&D, IT)

Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q2
Debates

- Exchange of views with Mr Tomislav ĆORIĆ, Croatian Minister of Environment and Energy - Presentation of the Council Presidency’s programme
- Public hearing on “Reducing Greenhouse gas emissions from EU-related maritime transport: what’s next after the EU MRV ?”

Committee on Industry, Research and Energy
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 2Q2
Debates

- Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the European Council and the Council: A more efficient and democratic decision making in EU energy and climate policy - Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views
- Exchange of views with Mr Tomislav ĆORIĆ, Minister of Environment and Energy (energy) and Mr Josip BILAVER, State Secretary, Ministry of Sea, Transport and Infrastructure (ICT, digital, cybersecurity)
- Exchange of views with Mr Darko HORVAT, Minister of Economy, Entrepreneurship and Crafts (industry, SMEs) and Ms Blaženka DIVJAK, Minister of Science and Education (research, innovation, space)
- Exchange of views with the European Agency Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) and with the European Space Agency (ESA)

Committee on Regional Development
Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q1

- Exchange of views with Ms Lilyana Pavlova, Vice-president of the European Investment Bank

Committee on Regional Development
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q1

- Exchange of views with Elisa Ferreira, Commissioner for Cohesion and Reforms
- Exchange of views with Marko Pavić, Minister of Regional Development and EU Funds, President in office of the Council, on the priorities of the Croatian Presidency of the Council.

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 1A002

- Exchange of views with Ms Marija Vučković, Minister of Agriculture, on the priorities of the Croatian Presidency of the Council of the European Union
Committee on Industry, Research and Energy  
Thursday 23/01/2020 08:30-12:30 Brussels, József Antall, 2Q2

Debates

- Exchange of views with Ms Kadri SIMSON, Commissioner for Energy, on the European Green Deal
- Strategic Planning of Horizon Europe: Missions and Partnerships

Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection

Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-17:30 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q1

Debates

- Presentation of the Council Presidency's programme with Darko HORVAT, Croatian Minister of Economy, Entrepreneurship and Crafts
- Public hearing - Product Liability Directive

The aim of the hearing is to allow MEPs to hear the views of stakeholders (business and consumers' associations) and academia with regard to the need for review of the Product Liability Directive and challenges that should be addressed in the new digital age. It will also offer the opportunity to hear the Commission's conclusions of its evaluation work and presentation of further plans in this regard. The implications and new challenges for liability legislation brought by digitisation, the Internet of Things (IoT), artificial intelligence (AI) and cybersecurity are among the issues to be addressed in the hearing. The Product Liability Directive, adopted in 1985, gives consumers the right to claim compensation for damage caused by defective products.

Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection

Thursday 23/01/2020 09:00-11:00 Brussels, József Antall, 4Q1

Votes

- Automated decision-making processes: Ensuring consumer protection, and free movement of goods and services - Adoption of question for oral answer, Adoption of motion for a resolution - Rapporteur: Petra DE SUTTER (Greens/EFA, BE)

Committee on Transport and Tourism

Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-17:15 Brussels, József Antall, 6Q2

- Exchange of views with Matthew Baldwin, European Coordinator for Road Safety

Committee on Transport and Tourism

Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, József Antall, 6Q2

- Presentation of the Council Presidency's programme by State Secretary Josip Bilaver, Ministry of the Sea, Transport and Infrastructure and State Secretary Frano Matušić, Ministry of Tourism

Votes

- Electronic freight transport information (COD) - vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations, rapporteur Andor Deli (EPP, HU)
- Enforcement requirements and specific rules for posting drivers in the road transport sector (COD) - vote on the provisional agreement resulting from
interinstitutional negotiations, rapporteur Kateřina Konečná (GUE/NGL, CZ)

- Amending Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 as regards on minimum requirements on maximum daily and weekly driving times, minimum breaks and daily and weekly rest periods and Regulation (EU) 165/2014 as regards positioning by means of tachographs (COD) - vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations, rapporteur Henna Virkkunen (EPP, FI)

- Amending Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009 and Regulation (EC) No 1072/2009 with a view to adapting them to developments in the sector (COD) - vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations, rapporteur Ismail Ertug (S&D, DE)

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development
Thursday 23/01/2020 09:00-13:00 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 1A002

- Exchange of views with Commissioner Janusz Wojciechowski, responsible for agriculture

Committee on Fisheries
Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-18:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 5B001

- Exchange of views with Virginijus Sinkevičius, Commissioner for Environment, Oceans and Fisheries

- Achieving MSY? Fishing opportunities 2020 (TACs) - Exchange of views with Commission representatives

Committee on Fisheries
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 5B001

Votes

- Protocol on the implementation of the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Guinea-Bissau (2019-2024) (NLE) - adoption of draft recommendation (consent), rapporteur João Ferreira (GUE/NGL, PT)

- Protocol on the implementation of the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Guinea-Bissau (2019-2024) (NLE) - adoption of draft recommendation (consent), rapporteur João Ferreira (GUE/NGL, PT)

- Conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the Protocol on the implementation of the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the Democratic Republic of São Tomé and Príncipe and the European Community (NLE) - adoption of draft recommendation (consent), rapporteur Nuno Melo (EPP, PT)

- Croatian Presidency of the European Union - Exchange of views with Marija Vučković, Minister of Agriculture

Committee on Culture and Education
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 1G3

- Presentation of the priorities of the Croatian Presidency by Blaženka Divjak, Minister of Science and Education; Vesna Bedeković, Minister of Demography, Family, Youth and Social Policy; Nina Obuljen Koržinek, Minister of Culture and Krešimir Šamija, Deputy State Secretary for Sport

- Presentation of the PISA results 2018 by OECD
Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs
Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-17:30 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 3C050
Debate

• Update on the implementation of the Malta Declaration and on the Search and Rescue operations in the Mediterranean - presentation by the Commission (16.30-17.15)

Vote

• Conclusion of the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community (NLE), adoption of draft opinion in letter form, rapporteur Guy VERHOFSTADT (Renew, BE) (17.15-17.30)

Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:00 Brussels, Paul-Henri Spaak, 3C050
Debates

• Structured dialogue with Didier REYNDERS, Commissioner for Justice (10.15-11.45)
• EU-US JHA ministerial meeting of 10-11 December - presentations by Didier REYNDERS, Commissioner for Justice and the Council Presidency (11.45-12.30)

Afternoon

• Priorities of the Croatian Presidency of the Council of the EU on the e-Privacy regulation - presentation by Josip BILAVER, State Secretary, Croatia (15.00-16.00)

Committee on Constitutional Affairs
Thursday 23/01/2020 16:00-18:00 Brussels, József Antall, 6Q2
Vote

• Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community - discussion on draft report and amendments followed by vote, rapporteur Guy VERHOFSTADT (Renew, BE)

Committee on Women’s Rights and Gender Equality
Wednesday 22/01/2020 09:00-12:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 1G3
Debate

• Priorities of the Croatian Presidency of the Council of the EU - presentation by Vesna BEDEKOVIĆ, Croatian Minister for Demography, Family, Youth and Social Policy (11.00-12.30)

Committee on Petitions
Monday 20/01/2020 15:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3G3
Debates

• Petitions for discussion in committee on the basis of the Commission's written reply or other documents received on topics of environment, energy, transport –
taxation, environment – air quality.

• Special Report of the European Court of Auditors - ‘Have your say!’: Commission’s public consultations engage citizens, but fall short of outreach activities’ - presentation by the rapporteur Ms Annemie TURTELBOOM, Member of the Court of Auditors

Committee on Petitions
Tuesday 21/01/2020 09:00-18:30 Brussels, Altiero Spinelli, 3G3

Vote


Debates

• Petitions for discussion in committee on the basis of the Commission's written reply or other documents received on topics of information society, health, taxation – gender, animal welfare, environment, economic and monetary affairs, European Institutions.