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MEETING OF THE EXPERT GROUP ON THE CITIZENS' INITIATIVE

Tuesday, 6 June 2023

10.00 – 12.30

Via Webex

Draft Agenda

- 1. Welcome and introduction**
- 2. General ECI developments** including state of play of citizens' initiatives
- 3. Review of Regulation (EU) 2019/788 on the European citizens' initiative**
 - Presentation of preliminary findings and next steps, followed by Q&A
 - Survey on national tools similar to ECI
 - Tour de table on update on other national developments of common interest (e.g. minimum voting age, national points of contact)
- 4. Update on IT developments**
 - Update on recent IT developments
 - Phase-out of individual online collection systems
 - eID – update on EU developments and implementation state of play by Member States
- 5. Communication activities**
 - Educational toolkit for schools and launch school competition in Q3 2023
 - Facebook group on ECI
 - Upcoming EU and national events
 - Online course on ECI
 - Upcoming webinars
- 6. Any other business**