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The 2725th session of the Council of the European Union - **JUSTICE and HOME AFFAIRS** - will take place on 27 (10h00) and 28 April 2006, in the Conference Centre - FIL, 5 rue Carlo Hemmer, Luxembourg, under the Presidency of **Ms Karin GASTINGER**, Federal Minister of Justice and **Ms Liese PROKOP**, Federal Minister of the Interior of Austria.

The following points will be discussed at this session :

- **Trafficking Human Beings**
- **External relations: Information points of the Presidency and Commission**
- **List of safe countries of origin**
 - *Information item*
- **UN-High Level Dialogue on International Migration and Development (14-15 September 2006 in New York)**
 - *Information item*
- **Law applicable to non-contractual obligations ("ROME II") - *Public deliberation***
 - *Political agreement*
- **Procedural rights in criminal proceedings throughout the European Union**
 - *Proposal for a Framework decision*
- **European Evidence Warrant (EEW) for obtaining objects, documents and data for use in proceedings in criminal matters**
 - *Proposal for a Council Framework Decision*
- **Application of the principle of mutual recognition to the enforcement of sentences**
 - *Draft Framework Decision*

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In the margins of the Council: meeting of the Mixed Committee at Ministerial Level
(27 April at 10.00)

- **Fees to be charged corresponding to the administrative costs of processing the visa applications**
 - *Political agreement*
- **SIS II**
 - *State of play*
- **Improvement of police cooperation between the Member States of the European Union, especially at the internal borders**
 - *Political debate*

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A press conference will be held by the President of the Council at the end of each session.

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