

## Minister of Economic Development and Technology Republic of Poland

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**About:** Invitation to the EU Competitiveness Council (Space) meeting, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 (p.m.)

## Dear Minister,

It is my great pleasure to invite you to participate in the upcoming EU Competitiveness Council (Space part), to be held under the Polish Presidency, taking place in Brussels on 23 May 2025 (Friday) in the afternoon session (starting at 15:00).

The meeting will begin with the adoption of Council conclusions on the use of Earth Observation data from satellite constellations for civil protection and crisis management. This item will allow Ministers to formally endorse the conclusions prepared under the Polish Presidency.

This will be followed by a ministerial exchange of views, structured around the topic "Space-based data for enhancing resilience, security and crisis management in the EU". The exchange will provide an opportunity for Ministers to share national perspectives and reflect on future policy directions in this area.

Under the 'Any Other Business' item, the Council will first hear an intervention from the incoming Danish Presidency, presenting its programme and priorities in the space domain. This will be followed by a brief presentation by the Director General of the European Space Agency, focusing on ESA's contributions to resilience, security, and crisis management within the EU.

I look forward to your participation in what promises to be a productive and timely exchange.

Yours faithfully,