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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)/Council

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Subject: COMMISSION DIRECTIVE (EU) .../... of XXX establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values pursuant to Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Commission Directive 2000/39/EC

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1. On 17 June 2019, the Committee established by Article 17 of Council Directive 89/391/EEC gave a favourable opinion on draft COMMISSION DIRECTIVE (EU) .../... of XXX establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values pursuant to Council Directive 98/24/EC and amending Commission Directive 2000/39/EC. This Directive deals with the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work.
2. In accordance with the procedure in Article 5a(3) of Council Decision 1999/468/EC<sup>1</sup>, the Commission therefore submitted the draft measure to the Council for scrutiny<sup>2</sup> on 12 July 2019.

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<sup>1</sup> Council Decision 1999/468/EC of 28 June 1999 laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission (OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23), as amended by Decision 2006/512/EC (OJ L 200, 22.7.2006, p. 11).

<sup>2</sup> 11231/19 + ADD 1 – D062458/01.

3. The Working Party on Social Questions considered the draft measure in a written procedure and agreed not to oppose it.
  4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to:
    - confirm the agreement reached in the Working Party, and
    - ask the Council not to oppose the draft measure proposed by the Commission.
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