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ADDENDUM TO THE "I/A" ITEM NOTE

from: General Secretariat of the Council

to: COREPER / COUNCIL

Objet: Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending

Regulation (EC) No 1073/1999 concerning investigations conducted by the

European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) and repealing Regulation (EURATOM) No

1074/1999 (first reading)

- Adoption

(a) of the Council's position

(b) of the statement of the Council's reasons

- Statements

COMMON GUIDELINES

Consultation deadline: 22.2.2013

Commission statement

"The Commission confirms that the Office has declared that it will at all times act in compliance with the Protocol No 7 on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Union and the Statute for Members of the European Parliament, fully respecting the freedom and independence of Members as provided for in Article 2 of the Statute."

Commission statement

"The Commission intends to maintain the current powers of the Director-General of the European Anti-fraud Office to lay down the conditions and detailed arrangements for recruiting at the Office, in particular as to the length of contracts and their renewals."

Statement by the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission

"Each time the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission appoint new members of the new Supervisory Committee they should also appoint those members to take office at the next partial replacement."

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