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"I/A" ITEM NOTE

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Coreper / Council
Subject:	Operation Plan (OPLAN) for the European Union Capabilities Mission in Niger, EUCAP SAHEL Niger

- On 7 December 2012, the EEAS submitted a draft Operation Plan (OPLAN) for the European 1. Union Capabilities Mission in Niger, EUCAP SAHEL Niger (doc. 17420/12 COPS 458 PESC 1507 CIVCOM 470 RELEX 1127 JAI 887 COMEM 367 EUCAP SAHEL 13) (RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED).
- 2. The Committee for Civilian Aspects of Crisis Management reached an agreement on the draft OPLAN on 16 January 2013.

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3. The Political and Security Committee agreed the OPLAN for the European Union Capabilities Mission in Niger, EUCAP SAHEL Niger on 22 January 2013, with a view to forwarding it to Council for approval, via Coreper.

4. Coreper is invited to recommend that the Council approve the OPLAN for the European Union Capabilities Mission in Niger, EUCAP SAHEL Niger as set out in document 5433/13 PESC 53 COPS 16 CIVCOM 19 RELEX 43 JAI 28 COAFR 25 EUCAP SAHEL 1 (RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED).