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from:	Mr Jon Cunliffe, Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom
date of receipt:	11 September 2013
to:	Mr Uwe Corsepius, Secretary-General, Council of the European Union
No. Cion prop. :	11140/13 JUSTCIV 146 TRANS 335
Subject:	Proposal for a Council decision on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of the Luxembourg Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment on Matters specific to Railway Rolling Stock, adopted in Luxembourg on 23 February 2007 - Opt-in of the United Kingdom

Dear Mr Corsepius,

The purpose of this letter is to communicate the United Kingdom's formal notification, in accordance with Article 3(1) of the Protocol (No 21) to the Treaties on the position of the United Kingdom and Ireland in respect of the area of freedom, security and justice, that it intends to take part in the adoption and application of the Proposal for a Council decision on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of the Luxembourg Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment on Matters specific to Railway Rolling Stock, adopted in Luxembourg on 23 February 2007 [11140 - COM (2013) 3491].

I am copying this letter to Catherine Day, Secretary General of the Commission.

(complimentary close)

(signed) Jon Cunliffe