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INFORMATION NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Delegations
Subject: Withdrawal of outdated INFOSEC documents

1. Under the former Council security regulations (2001) the CSC(I) (the predecessor committee of the CSC(IA)) approved several INFOSEC policies, guidelines and guidance documents (TECH, PROC, ISP 200 series). The GSC has examined these documents. Most of them are outdated and/or obsolete, i.e. replaced by IA security policies and guidelines or not in line with the current Council security rules. Some documents are only GSC internal.
2. On 15 April 2016 the Council Security Committee approved the withdrawal of these documents, as specified in document 7320/16. Only the following documents remain valid:
 - a) Council INFOSEC Selection and Procurement Scheme (CISPS), TECH-P-01-02;
 - b) Minimum Requirements and Procedures for the Accreditation of Member States' INFOSEC Organisations as Appropriately Qualified Authorities (AQUAs) for conducting Second Party Evaluations of Cryptographic Products under the Council INFOSEC Selection and Procurement Scheme (CISPS), TECH-P-01-03;and
 - c) Crypto and COMSEC Material Management, TECH-I-01.