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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	COREPER/Council
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Subject:	Report on the implementation of CEPOL Governing Board's recommendations from the five year evaluation of CEPOL

1. In line with Article 21 of Council Decision 2005/681/JHA of 20 September 2005 establishing the European Police College (CEPOL) and repealing Decision 2000/820/JHA¹ the Governing Board of CEPOL commissioned an independent external evaluation of the implementation of the said Decision and activities carried out by CEPOL within five years after it took effect.
2. CEPOL's five-year external evaluation report together with the recommendations of CEPOL Governing Board was approved by CEPOL Governing Board at its 24th meeting on 10 March 2011 and was subsequently submitted to the Council.

¹ OJ L 256, 1.10.2005, p. 63.

3. The Council took note of and endorsed the external evaluation report together with the recommendations of CEPOL Governing Board at its meeting on 6-10 June 2011 as set out in documents 7764/11 ENFOPOL 63 and 10345/11 ENFOPOL 63.
 4. On this basis CEPOL Governing Board prepared a report on the implementation of its own recommendations from the five year evaluation of CEPOL. This report was approved by CEPOL Governing Board at its 30th meeting on 12-13 November 2013 and was subsequently submitted to the Council by a letter dated 18 November 2013 requesting that the Council takes note of the report.
 5. The report was approved by the Law Enforcement Working Party by written procedure on 31 January 2014 as set out in document 16694/13 ENFOPOL 371.
 6. On this basis COREPER is requested to invite the Council to take note of the report on the implementation of CEPOL Governing Board's recommendations from the five year evaluation of CEPOL as contained in document 16694/13 ENFOPOL 371.
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