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| From:    | General Secretariat of the Council                                                                                                        |
| To:      | Permanent Representatives Committee                                                                                                       |
| Subject: | <b>Replies to questions for written answer submitted to the Council by Members of the European Parliament</b><br>– Examination by Coreper |

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The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to examine the draft replies to the questions for written answer set out in the documents listed in the Annex to this note.

Pursuant to Article 12(2)(a) of the Council's Rules of Procedure, the Presidency intends to propose the use of the 'silence procedure' to adopt the texts of the replies to the abovementioned questions for written answer.

**Replies to questions for written answer submitted to the Council by Members of the European Parliament**

- a) E-004222/2016 - Joëlle Mélin (ENF)  
Social conditions for workers transferred under the fourth railway package  
12555/16 PE-QE 312
- b) E-004464/2016 - Nicolas Bay (ENF)  
The EU's inconsistent stance on Turkey  
13406/16 PE-QE 344
- c) P-004731/2016 - Rachida Dati (PPE)  
Cooperation between the Russian intelligence services and those of the Member States  
13407/16 PE-QE 345
- d) E-004891/2016 - Ramón Luis Valcárcel Siso (PPE)  
Linguistic discrimination in EPSO competitions  
13408/16 PE-QE 346
- e) E-005217/2016 - Sorin Moisă (S&D)  
Publication of the negotiating directives for the modernisation of the EU-Mexico Global Agreement  
12537/16 PE-QE 307
- f) E-005275/2016 - Nuno Melo (PPE)  
Brexit: Scotland and Northern Ireland  
12851/16 PE-QE 321
- g) E-005428/2016 - Soraya Post (S&D), Barbara Spinelli (GUE/NGL), Benedek Jávor (Verts/ALE), Fredrick Federley (ALDE), Brando Benifei (S&D), Marita Ulvskog (S&D), Cécile Kashetu Kyenge (S&D), Barbara Lochbihler (Verts/ALE) and Sirpa Pietikäinen (PPE)  
Fight against anti-Gypsyism  
12543/16 PE-QE 308
- h) E-005733/2016 - João Ferreira (GUE/NGL)  
Statements by the Eurogroup President on ECOFIN's decision to approve the Commission's recommendations to penalise Portugal and Spain  
12546/16 PE-QE 309
- i) E-005780/2016 - Vilija Blinkevičiūtė (S&D)  
Quotas for women on the boards of listed companies  
12547/16 PE-QE 310
- j) E-005911/2016 - Beatrix von Storch (EFDD)  
Istanbul Convention: lack of democratic legitimacy for EU accession  
12601/16 PE-QE 314
- k) E-006185/2016 - Joëlle Mélin (ENF)  
What future for the natural essential oils sector?  
12553/16 PE-QE 311
- l) E-006330/2016 - Marie-Christine Arnautu (ENF)  
Ukraine crisis and sanctions against Russia  
12810/16 PE-QE 319

- m) E-006331/2016 - Matt Carthy (GUE/NGL)  
CETA exit clause  
12872/16 PE-QE 322
  - n) P-006426/2016 - Dariusz Rosati (PPE) and Krišjānis Kariņš (PPE)  
EU sanctions against Russia and the implementation of the Minsk Agreements  
12811/16 PE-QE 320
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