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Subject:	WRITTEN PROCEDURE WITH REPLY BY 20 JANUARY 2017 AT 16h00 Proposal for a Council Regulation fixing for 2017 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in Union waters and, for Union fishing vessels, in certain non-Union waters (doc. 15706/16 PECHE 492 + ADD 1-2 + REV 1 (en) + ADD 1 REV 1 (en) + ADD 2 REV 1 (en)) – Initiation of written procedure
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Following the decision by the Council on 12-13 December 2016 to adopt the Regulation in question by written procedure, you are hereby requested to indicate whether you can agree to adopt this Regulation as it appears in docs. 15706/16 PECHE 492 + ADD 1-2 + REV 1 (en) + ADD 1 REV 1 (en) + ADD 2 REV 1 (en) and agree to the Council statements as they appear in doc. 15644/16 PECHE 488. Commission statements and joint and unilateral statements by delegations are also to be found in the same document.

You are requested to answer YES, NO or ABSTAIN to the above.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council by **16h00 on Friday, 20 January 2017**. Replies should be faxed to Ms Raluca IVANESCU/Mr Dirk HELLWIG, **Fax No. +32 2 281 8261** or e-mailed to the above contact addresses.