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Subject: **Consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee by the Council**
Consultation of the Committee of the Regions by the Council

on a proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2004/37/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens or mutagens at work

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In accordance with the procedure adopted by the Council (see Article 12(2)(c) of its Rules of Procedure), we hereby submit the above consultation for approval by the Council.

Please email any comments to dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu by **17.00 on Thursday 16 February 2017**.

If no objections are received by that deadline, the decision to consult will be deemed to have been taken.