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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council  
No. Cion doc.: COM(2017) 119 final  
Subject: Adoption of a Council Decision on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, in the sixtieth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on the addition to the list of substances in Table I of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances

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1. On 28 February 2017, the Commission submitted to the Council the above proposal, based on Article 207(4), 1st subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 218(9), of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.
2. On 1 March 2017, the Working Party on Customs Union examined the proposal, and agreed on the text as laid down in doc. 6795/17.
3. Against this background, the Permanent Representatives Committee could:
  - confirm the agreement reached within the Working Party<sup>1</sup>, and
  - invite the Council to adopt the draft Decision as set out in doc. 6377/17 (text revised by legal/linguistic experts) as an item without discussion at one of its forthcoming meetings.

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<sup>1</sup> DE, DK, UK, and FR delegations indicated they would abstain.