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From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

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Subject: COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) .../... of XXX amending Annexes III and VII to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the genotyping of ovine animals
- *Decision not to oppose the adoption (regulatory procedure with scrutiny)*

1. On 13 February 2017, the Commission submitted for scrutiny by the European Parliament and by the Council a draft COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) .../... of XXX amending Annexes III and VII to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the genotyping of ovine animals.
2. The Working Party of Agricultural Counsellors/Attachés considered through an informal written procedure that there are no grounds for the Council to oppose the adoption of the draft Commission Regulation.
3. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore invited:
 - to confirm the agreement reached by the Working Party, and
 - to recommend to the Council to confirm, as an "A" item on its agenda, that there are no grounds for opposing the draft measures.