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| To:              | Mr Jeppe TRANHOLM-MIKKELSEN, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union   |
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#### **ANNEXES**

#### to the proposal for a

#### REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL

on European business statistics, amending Regulation (EC) no 184/2005 and repealing 10 legal acts in the field of business statistics

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### Annex I

# **Topics to be covered**

## Subject area 1. Short term business statistics

| Topics                  | Detailed topics  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Business population     | Business demographic events (bankruptcies and registrations) |  |  |  |
| Labour inputs           | Employment   |  |  |  |
|                         | Hours worked   |  |  |  |
|                         | Labour costs   |  |  |  |
| Prices                  | Import prices  |  |  |  |
|                         | Producer prices  |  |  |  |
| Outputs and performance | Production   |  |  |  |
|                         | Volume of sales  |  |  |  |
|                         | Net turnover   |  |  |  |
| Permits                 | Building permits   |  |  |  |

### Subject area 2. Country level business statistics

| Topics              | Detailed topics   |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Business population | Population of active enterprises  |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Business demographic events (births, deaths, survivals)                             |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Foreign-controlled enterprises  |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Foreign-controlling enterprises (UCI concept) and domestic affiliates               |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Population of enterprises engaged in international trade                            |  |  |  |  |
| Labour inputs       | Employment  |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Employment linked to business demographic events (births, deaths, survivals)        |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Employment in foreign-controlled enterprises  |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Employment in foreign-controlling enterprises (UCI concept) and domestic affiliates |  |  |  |  |

|                          | Hours worked  |
|--------------------------|---|
|                          | Labour costs  |
|                          | Labour costs in foreign-controlled enterprises  |
| R&D inputs               | R&D expenditure   |
|                          | R&D employment  |
|                          | R&D expenditure in foreign-controlled enterprises                                     |
|                          | R&D employment in foreign-controlled enterprises                                      |
|                          | Publicly funded R&D   |
| Purchases                | Purchases of goods and services   |
|                          | Change in stock of goods  |
|                          | Purchases of goods and services of foreign-controlled enterprises                     |
|                          | Imports by enterprises  |
| Outputs and performance  | Net turnover  |
|                          | Gross margin on goods for resale  |
|                          | Value of output   |
|                          | Value added   |
|                          | Gross operating surplus   |
|                          | Net turnover of foreign-controlled enterprises  |
|                          | Value of output of foreign-controlled enterprises                                     |
|                          | Value added of foreign-controlled enterprises   |
|                          | Net turnover of foreign-controlling enterprises (UCI concept) and domestic affiliates |
|                          | Industrial production   |
|                          | Exports by enterprises  |
| Investments              | Gross investment  |
|                          | Gross investment by foreign-controlled enterprises                                    |
| Innovation               | Innovation  |
| ICT usage and e-commerce | ICT usage and e-commerce  |

## Subject area 3. Regional business statistics

| Topics              | Detailed topics  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Business population | Population by region   |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Business demographic events by region (births, deaths, survivals)                      |  |  |  |  |
| Labour inputs       | Employment by region   |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Employment linked to business demographic events by region (births, deaths, survivals) |  |  |  |  |
|                     | Labour costs by region   |  |  |  |  |
| R&D inputs          | R&D expenditure by region  |  |  |  |  |
|                     | R&D employment by region   |  |  |  |  |

## Subject area 4. Statistics on international activities

| Topics                          | Detailed topics  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Business population             | Population of enterprises abroad ultimately controlled by institutional units of the reporting country       |  |  |
| Labour input                    | Employment in enterprises abroad ultimately controlled by institutional units of the reporting country       |  |  |
|                                 | Labour costs in enterprises abroad ultimately controlled by institutional units of the reporting country     |  |  |
| Investments                     | Gross investment by enterprises abroad ultimately controlled by institutional units of the reporting country |  |  |
| Outputs and performance         | Net turnover of enterprises abroad ultimately controlled by institutional units of the reporting country     |  |  |
| International trade in goods    | Intra-EU trade in goods  |  |  |
|                                 | Extra-EU trade in goods  |  |  |
| International trade in services | Imports of services (debit)  |  |  |
| services                        | Exports of services (credit)   |  |  |
|                                 | Net of FRIBS services (balance)  |  |  |
| Global value chains             | Global value chains  |  |  |

## **Annex II**

# **Periodicity of topics**

## Subject area 1. Short term business statistics

| Topics  | Periodicity   |
|---|---|
| Business population   | Quarterly   |
| Labour inputs   | Quarterly   |
| Prices  | monthly; quarterly for services producer price indices and producer price indices for new residential buildings |
| Outputs and performance monthly; quarterly for small countries for NACE Sec |   |
| Permits   | Quarterly   |

## Subject area 2. Country level business statistics

| Topics                   | Periodicity   |  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Business population      | Annually  |  |  |
| Labour inputs            | Annually  |  |  |
| R&D inputs               | biennially; annually for sector of performance breakdown of intramural R&D expenditure, R&D personnel and number of researchers as well as for government budget appropriations or outlays on research and development (GBAORD) and national public funding to transnationally coordinated R&D  |  |  |
| Purchases                | annually; every three years for payments to subcontractors  |  |  |
| Outputs and performance  | annually; biennially for product and residence of client breakdown of net turnover for NACE 69.1, 69.2, 70.2, 71.1, 71.2 and 73.2; every five years for Net turnover from agriculture, forestry, fishing and industrial activities, Net turnover from industrial activities, Net turnover from industrial activities excluding construction, Net turnover from construction, Net turnover from service activities, Net turnover from trading activities of purchase and resale and from intermediary activities, Net turnover from building and Net turnover from civil engineering; every three years for income from subcontracting |  |  |
| Investments              | annually; every three years for investment in intangible assets   |  |  |
| Innovation               | Biennially  |  |  |
| ICT usage and e-commerce | annually  |  |  |

## Subject area 3. Regional business statistics

| Topics              | Periodicity |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Business population | annually    |
| Labour inputs       | annually    |
| R&D inputs          | biennially  |

## Subject area 4. Statistics on international activities

| Topics                          | Periodicity  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Business population             | annually   |  |  |
| Labour inputs                   | annually   |  |  |
| Investments                     | annually   |  |  |
| Outputs and performance         | annually   |  |  |
| International trade in goods    | monthly; biennially for combined product and invoicing currency breakdown for extra EU imports and exports of goods: |  |  |
| International trade in services | annually; quarterly for first level service breakdowns   |  |  |
| Global value chains             | every three years  |  |  |

#### **Annex III**

#### Elements of the European network of statistical business registers

#### Part A: Register detailed topics and unique identifier

- 1. The units listed in the national statistical business registers and in the EuroGroups Register as defined in Article 3 of this Regulation shall be characterised by an identity number and by register detailed topics specified in Part C.
- 2. The units listed in the national statistical business registers and in the EuroGroups Register shall be uniquely identified by an identity number to facilitate the infrastructure role of the European network of statistical business registers. These identity numbers will be provided by the national statistical authorities. The identity numbers for legal units and multinational enterprise groups relevant for the EuroGroups Register will be provided by the Commission (Eurostat). For national purposes national statistical authorities can maintain additional identity number in the national statistical business registers.

#### Part B: Time reference and periodicity

- 3. Entries onto and removals from the national statistical business registers and the EuroGroups Register shall be updated at least annually.
- 4. The frequency of updating shall depend on the kind of unit, the variable considered, the size of the unit and the source generally used for the update.
- 5. Member States shall make annually a copy that reflects the state of the national statistical business registers at the end of the year and keep that copy for at least 30 years for the purpose of analysis. The Commission (Eurostat) shall make annually a copy that reflects the state of the EuroGroups Register at the end of a year and keep that copy for at least 30 years for the purpose of analysis.

#### Part C: Detailed topics for business registers

The national statistical business registers and the EuroGroup Register shall, for the respective units defined in Article 3 of this Regulation, contain the following detailed topics by unit.

| UNITS  | Detailed topics                          |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| 1. LEGAL UNITS                               | Identification characteristics           |  |  |
|  | Demographic characteristics              |  |  |
|  | Economic/ stratification characteristics |  |  |
|  | Links with enterprise                    |  |  |
|  | Links with other registers               |  |  |
|  | Link with enterprise group               |  |  |
|  | Control of units                         |  |  |
|  | Ownership of units                       |  |  |
| 2. ENTERPRISE GROUP                          | Identification characteristics           |  |  |
|  | Demographic characteristics              |  |  |
|  | Economic/ stratification characteristics |  |  |
| 3. ENTERPRISE                                | Identification characteristics           |  |  |
|  | Link to other units                      |  |  |
|  | Demographic characteristics              |  |  |
|  | Economic/ stratification characteristics |  |  |
| 4. LOCAL UNIT                                | Identification characteristics           |  |  |
|  | Demographic characteristics              |  |  |
|  | Economic/ stratification characteristics |  |  |
|  | Links to other units and registers       |  |  |
| 5. KIND OF ACTIVITY UNIT                     | Identification characteristics           |  |  |
| if covered as statistical unit in accordance | Demographic characteristics              |  |  |
| with Article 3(2a)iii                        | Economic/ stratification characteristics |  |  |
|  | Links to other units and registers       |  |  |

### **Annex IV**

## Amendments of Regulation (EC) No184/2005

In Annex I, table 3 is replaced by the following:

#### "Table 3

International trade in services – accounting elements

Deadline: T + 9 months

Periodicity: Annual

First reference period: 2013

|   | Credit | Debit | Balance |
|---|--------|-------|---------|
| Compensation of employees   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo 5   |
| Personal transfers  | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo 5   |
| Workers' remittances  | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo 5   |
| SERVICES  | Geo 6  | Geo 6 | Geo 6   |
| Travel  |        |       |         |
| Business travel   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Acquisition of goods and services by border, seasonal, and other short-term workers | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Other business travel   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Personal travel   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Health-related expenditure  | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Education-related expenditure   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Other personal travel   | Geo 5  | Geo 5 | Geo5    |
| Financial intermediation service indirectly measured (FISIM)                        | Geo 3  | Geo 3 | Geo 3   |

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