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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 Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the use of phosphoric acid – phosphates – di – tri – and polyphosphates (E 338-452) in certain meat preparations  
- *Decision not to oppose adoption*

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1. On 2 March 2017, the Commission submitted for scrutiny by the European Parliament and the Council the above draft Regulation, on the basis of Article 10(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>.
2. The Working Party on Foodstuffs considered through an informal written procedure<sup>2</sup>, 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
  - recommend to the Council to confirm, as an "A" item on its agenda, that there are no grounds for opposing the draft measures.

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<sup>1</sup> Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on food additives (OJ L 354, 31.12.2008, p. 16).

<sup>2</sup> WK 2492/2017 INIT.