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From: General Secretariat of the Council

To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

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Subject: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union in the relevant Committees of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe as regards the proposals for amendments to UN Regulations Nos 12, 14, 16, 17, 43, 44, 46, 48, 49, 110, 121, 129 and 134, to UN Global Technical Regulations Nos 6 and 15, to the Rules of Procedure of WP.29 and to the General Guidelines for UN regulatory procedures and transitional provisions in UN Regulations, and as regards proposals for three new UN Regulations, one new UN Global Technical Regulation and a proposal for a new Mutual Resolution
- Adoption

1. On 18 October 2017 the Commission submitted to the Council the above proposal.
2. The Commission gave an informal presentation of this proposal at the Working Party on Technical Harmonisation (Motor Vehicles) on 26 September 2017 on the basis of advance copies. The Working Party on Technical Harmonisation (Motor Vehicles) examined this proposal on 18 October 2017. All delegations agreed to the text of this proposal.

3. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited therefore:

- to confirm the agreement reached by the Working Party,
- to suggest to the Council to adopt, in part "A" of its agenda at a forthcoming meeting, the text of this Decision as set out in document 13191/17 following its finalisation by the lawyer-linguists.

4. In accordance with Article 218(10) TFEU, the General Secretariat of the Council will inform the European Parliament of the adoption of this Decision.
