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Subject:	Adoption of the Council's position on draft amending budget No 1 to the general budget for 2014 – <i>Initiation of written procedure</i>

On 27 March 2014, the Permanent Representatives Committee reached an agreement on the Council's position on draft amending budget No 1 (DAB) for the general budget for 2014 and on the use of the written procedure.

Would you therefore please state whether you agree to:

- confirm the outcome of the Permanent Representatives Committee's proceedings as recorded in document 8188/14 and to consequently adopt the Council's position on DAB No 1/2014;
- instruct the Presidency, assisted by the General Secretariat of the Council, to forward the Council's position together with the explanatory memorandum to the European Parliament, in accordance with Article 314(3) of the TFEU, and to approve the draft letter in Annex 2 to document 8188/14;

- have the Council's position, as set out in Annex 1 to document 8188/14, published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Please answer "YES", "NO" or "ABSTAIN" to this question.

Any unilateral statements should be made separately.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council **by 16H00 on Wednesday 9 April 2014**.

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