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From: Political and Security Committee

To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council

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Subject: Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the European Union within the Trade Committee set up by the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Colombia and Peru, of the other part, as regards the adoption of the Rules of Procedure for the Trade Committee, the Rules of Procedure and Code of Conduct for arbitrators, the establishment of the lists of arbitrators and the list of experts of the Group of Experts, and the adoption of the Rules of Procedure for the Group of Experts on Trade and Sustainable Development

- Adoption

1. On 24 March 2014, the Commission submitted to the Council the above mentioned proposal.
2. The proposal was examined by the Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) at its meeting on 4 April 2014 and was subsequently endorsed, as modified, to take into account a necessary adjustment.

3. The Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2) is therefore invited to recommend that the Council, as an "A" item on the agenda of one of its forthcoming meetings, adopt the Council Decision as finalised by the Legal/Linguistic experts and set out in documents 8236/14 and 8237/14, and decide to order the publication in the Official Journal of the European Union of the draft decisions of the EU-Colombia-Peru Trade Committee as set out in document 8237/14, once adopted.
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