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from: General Secretariat of the Council
to: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2) / Council

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Subject: European Economic and Social Committee
- Appointment of a member (DE)

1. On 13 June 2014 the German Government put forward¹ for membership of the European Economic and Social Committee Mr Peter SCHMIDT in place of Ms Michaela ROSENBERGER, who had resigned.
2. Under Article 302 TFEU, the Council appoints the Committee's members after consulting the Commission.
3. The Commission was consulted on the nomination on 2 July 2014 and gave a favourable opinion on it on 18 July 2014.

¹ cf. doc. 11365/14 CES 34.

4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore invited
 - to suggest that the Council adopt the Decision as set out in 11837/13 CES 39;
 - to decide to use the simplified written procedure in order to allow the new member to participate in the next Plenary Session of the European Economic and Social Committee on 10-11 September 2014, in absence of a session of the Council before this date.

5. That Decision will be published in the Official Journal of the European Union in conformity with Article 297(2), second subparagraph TFEU.
