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Subject: WRITTEN PROCEDURE for adoption of:

- Council Decision amending Decision 2014/512/CFSP concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine
- Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 833/2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine
- Council Decision amending Decision 2014/145/CFSP concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine
- Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine
- Council Implementing Regulation implementing Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine

Extract from CM 3982/14

Following agreement in COREPER on 5 September 2014 to use the written procedure for the adoption of the Council Decision and Council Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine, as well as of the Council Decision, Council Regulation and Council Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine, the Presidency now proposes the adoption of those texts.

I. COUNCIL DECISION AMENDING DECISION 2014/512/CFSP

NOT DISCLOSED

Please state whether you agree to:

- 1. adopt the Council Decision amending Decision 2014/512/CFSP concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine as set out, after finalisation of the text by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 12817/14;**
- 2. adopt the Council Declarations, as set out in doc. 12935/14.**

Please answer "YES" or "NO" to these question. You may also reply "ABSTAIN" to both questions.

Any unilateral statements should be made separately.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council by **15h00 on 8 September 2014**. They should be sent by email (scanned reply with signature) to secretariat.relex@consilium.europa.eu, or faxed to +32 2 281 53 75 for the attention of **NOT DISCLOSED**.

II. COUNCIL REGULATION AMENDING REGULATION (EU) NO 833/2014

Please state whether you agree to:

- 1. adopt the Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 833/2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's actions destabilising the situation in Ukraine as set out, after finalisation of the text by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 12818/14.**

Please answer "YES" or "NO" to that question. You may also reply "ABSTAIN" to it.

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III. COUNCIL DECISION AMENDING DECISION 2014/145/CFSP

Please state whether you agree to:

- 1. adopt the Council Decision amending Decision 2014/145/CFSP concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine as set out, after finalisation of the text by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 12813/14 + ADD 1;**

- 2. approve the notice to be published in the Official Journal (“C” Series), as set out in the Annex to this Communication.**

Please answer "YES" or "NO" to these questions. You may also reply "ABSTAIN" to the second question.

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IV. COUNCIL REGULATION AMENDING REGULATION (EU) NO 269/2014

Please state whether you agree to:

- 1. adopt the Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine as set out, after finalisation of the text by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 12814/14.**

Please answer "YES" or "NO" to this question. You may also reply "ABSTAIN" to it.

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**V. COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING REGULATION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION
(EU) NO 269/2014**

Please state whether you agree to:

- 1. adopt the Council Implementing Regulation implementing Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine as set out, after finalisation of the text by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 12815/14 + ADD 1.**

Please answer "YES" or "NO" to this question. You may also reply "ABSTAIN" to it.

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Notice for the attention of the persons subject to the restrictive measures provided for in Council Decision 2014/145/CFSP¹, as amended by Council Decision 2014/[number]/CFSP⁺, and in Council Regulation (EU) No °269/2014² as implemented by Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No [number]/2014⁺⁺ concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine

The following information is brought to the attention of the persons that appear in the Annex to Council Decision 2014/145/CFSP, as amended by Council Decision 2014/[number]/CFSP⁺, and in Annex I to Council Regulation (EU) No °269/2014, as implemented by Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No [number]/2014⁺⁺ concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine.

The Council of the European Union has decided that the persons that appear in the above-mentioned Annexes, as amended and implemented, should be included in the list of persons and entities subject to restrictive measures provided for in Council Decision 2014/145/CFSP and in Council Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine. The grounds for designations of those persons appear in the relevant entries in those Annexes.

The attention of the persons concerned is drawn to the possibility of making an application to the competent authorities of the relevant Member State(s) as indicated in the web sites in Annex II to Council Regulation (EU) No °269/2014, in order to obtain an authorisation to use frozen funds for basic needs or specific payments (cf. Article 4 of the Regulation).

¹ OJ L 78, 17.03.2014, p. 16, .

⁺ OJ: please insert number and publication details for Decision in document 12813/14.

² OJ L 78, 17.03.2014, p. 6.

⁺⁺ OJ: please insert number and publication details for Regulation in document 12815/14.

The persons concerned may submit a request to the Council, together with supporting documentation, that the decision to include them on the above-mentioned list should be reconsidered, before **1 February 2015**, to the following address:

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Any observations received will be taken into account for the purpose of the Council's regular review, in accordance with the third subparagraph of Article 6 of Decision 2014/145/CFSP and Article 14(4) of Regulation (EU) No 269/2014, of the list of designated persons and entities.

The attention of the persons concerned is also drawn to the possibility of challenging the Council's decision before the General Court of the European Union, in accordance with the conditions laid down in Article 275, 2nd paragraph, and Article 263, 4th and 6th paragraphs, of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.
