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Subject: UNCITRAL (ODR) Coordination Meeting
Date: 9 February 2015 (9:00 AM)
Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations
666 Third Avenue, 31st Floor
New York NY 10017

1. Delegations are informed that the first Coordination Meeting in connection with the 31st session of UNCITRAL Working Group III (Online Dispute Resolution), 9-13 February 2015, will take place in New York at the abovementioned address on Monday, 9 February 2015, at 9:00 AM. Additional coordination meetings will be announced on the spot.
2. Delegations are reminded of the Council Decision on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, in the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law and its Working Group III regarding the negotiation of a legal standard on online dispute resolution for cross-border electronic commerce transactions adopted by the Council on 13 May 2013 (doc. 8992/13 JUSTCIV 104 CONSOM 79 EJUSTICE 38 **RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED**).

3. In preparation of the coordination meeting, the attention of delegations is drawn, in particular, to the UNCITRAL notes¹:

- A/CN.9/801 (report on the 30th session of UNCITRAL Working Group III),
 - A/CN.9/WG.III/WP.133 and its **Add. 1** (draft procedural rules),
 - A/CN.9/WG.III/WP 134 (proposal by Columbia and the USA on payment systems chargebacks); and
 - A/CN.9/WG.III/WP 121 (proposal by the EU of May 2013).
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¹ All UNCITRAL documents pertaining to the work of Working Group III (Online Dispute Resolution) can be found on the UNCITRAL website under the following link:
http://www.uncitral.org/uncitral/en/commission/working_groups/3Online_Dispute_Resolution.html