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INFORMATION NOTE

From: Legal Service
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)
Subject: Case before the General Court:
- Case T-52/15 (Sharif University of Technology v. Council)

1. By an application notified to the Council on 12 February 2015, the applicant brought an action for annulment, pursuant to Article 263 TFEU, of the Annex to Council Decision 2014/776/CFSP, Annex II to Council Decision 2010/413/CFSP, the Annex to Council Implementing Regulation (EU) 1202/2014 and Annex IX to Council Regulation (EU) 267/2012 concerning restrictive measures against Iran, insofar as they apply to the applicant. The applicant also asks for compensation of the damage to its reputation caused by the Council's actions and requests the Court to order the Council to pay the costs of the proceedings.
2. The applicant invokes the following grounds in support of his application:
 - violation of the rights of defence and the right to judicial protection;
 - manifest error of assessment;
 - violation of the right to property and the principle of proportionality;
 - misuse of powers.
3. The Director-General of the Council Legal Service has appointed Mr Vincent PIESSEVAUX and Mr Michael BISHOP, legal advisors in the Council Legal Service, as the Council's agents in this case.