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Subject: Proposal for a Council Decision on the submission, on behalf of the European Union, of a proposal for the listing of additional chemicals in Annex A to the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants
- Adoption

1. On 19 March 2015, the Commission submitted to Council a proposal for a Council Decision on the submission, on behalf of the European Union, of a proposal for the listing of additional chemicals in Annex A to the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants.
2. On 23 March the Working Party on the Environment (WPE) considered the Commission proposal as annexed to document 7365/15. The Presidency compromise text resulting from that discussion and as set out in the JL document 7552/15 is **acceptable** to all delegations.
3. The Committee of Permanent Representatives is invited to recommend that the Council adopts the Decision as set out in the JL document 7552/15 as an "A" item at its meeting on 20 April 2015.