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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

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Subject: Proposal for a Council Decision establishing provisional measures in the area of international protection for the benefit of Italy and Greece  
- Adoption

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1. On 28 May 2015, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for a Council Decision establishing provisional measures in the area of international protection for the benefit of Italy and Greece<sup>1</sup> on the basis of Article 78(3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.
2. The Asylum Working Party, the JHA Counsellors and COREPER examined the proposal and, on 20 July 2015, the Council reached an agreement on a general approach on the abovementioned draft Decision<sup>2</sup>.
3. On 15 June 2015, the Council decided to consult the European Parliament on this proposal. The European Parliament will deliver its opinion on 10 September 2015.

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<sup>1</sup> 9355/15 ASIM 30 MIGR 30 COMIX 247 + ADD 1

<sup>2</sup> 11132/15 ASIM 64

4. COREPER is therefore invited to:

- confirm the agreement on the text as revised by legal-linguistic experts in document 11161/15;
- recommend that the Council adopt the Council Decision establishing provisional measures in the area of international protection for the benefit of Italy and Greece, appearing in the above document 11161/15;
- decide to publish the above-mentioned Decision in the Official Journal.

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