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From: Working Party on Latin America and the Caribbean
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council

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10917/15 COLAC 81 WTO 152 + ADD 1 + COR 1

Subject: Draft COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the EU-Chile Association Committee regarding the replacement of Appendix II to Annex III to the Agreement establishing an association between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Chile, of the other part
Draft COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the EU-Chile Association Committee regarding the replacement of Article 12 of Annex III to the Agreement establishing an association between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Chile, of the other part
- Adoption

1. On 14 July 2015, the Commission submitted two proposals on the above to the Council, as contained in doc. 10911/15 COLAC 78 WTO 149 + ADD 1 + COR 1 (product specific rules) and in doc. 10917/15 COLAC 81 WTO 152 + ADD 1 + COR 1 (direct transport).
2. The Working Party on Latin America and Caribbean took note of these proposals at its meeting on 14 July 2015 and asked the Customs Union Working Party and the Trade Policy Committee to examine these proposals. These two latter preparatory bodies of the Council considered these proposals at their meetings on 8 September 2015 (Customs Union Working Party) and on 25 September 2015 (Trade Policy Committee).

3. The Working Party on Latin America and Caribbean took note of the result of these proceedings at its meeting on 29 September and agreed to invite the Committee of Permanent Representatives to approve the texts as they stand in the version revised by the legal/linguistic experts (docs. 10913/15 COLAC 80 WTO 151 + COR 1 and 10919/15 COLAC 83 WTO 154 + COR 1) and to recommend to the Council to adopt these texts at one of its upcoming meetings.
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