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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Partial renewal of members of the Court of Auditors - PL nominee

Delegations will find attached a letter dated 15 December 2015 from Mr Marek PRAWDA, Ambassador, Permanent Representation of the Republic of Poland to the EU addressed to Mr Jeppe TRANHOLM-MIKKELSEN, Secretary General of the Council of the European Union.



Permanent Representation
of the Republic of Poland
to the European Union
in Brussels

Brussels, 15th of December 2015

WIP/MN/16930/2015

Mr. Jeppe Tranholm-Mikkelsen
Secretary-General
Council of the European Union
General Secretariat
Rue de la Loi 175
B-1048 Brussels

Dear Secretary-General,

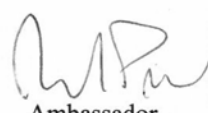
Partial renewal of the members of the Court of Auditors. Change of the candidate.

Following my previous letter of 5th of November 2015 (WIP/MN/14750/2015) I need to inform you that the Polish Government has decided to change the Polish candidate for the post of the the members of the Court of Auditors for the period 2016-2022.

In connection with the above, having regard to Article 286(1) and (2), first subparagraph, TFEU, please find enclosed a letter of Polish Prime Minister, Mrs. Beata Szydło, withdrawing candidacy of Mr. Maciej Berek and pointing Mr. Janusz Wojciechowski as a Polish candidate to the Court of Auditors for the period 2016-2022.

Furthermore, following instructions presented by General Secretariat of the Council in *the note setting out the procedure for the partial renewal of the members of the Court of Auditors* (document 9648/15), please find enclosed a set of required documents.




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PRIME MINISTER

Warsaw, 14 December 2015

Sir,

In accordance with Article 286(2) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, I am pleased to inform you that the Polish Government's candidate for the position of Member of the European Court of Auditors for the period 2016 to 2022 is Mr Janusz Wojciechowski. I enclose his curriculum vitae.

Mr Maciej Berek's candidacy for the above position, announced on 5 November 2015, is hereby withdrawn.

Complimentary close

PRIME MINISTER

Beata Szydło

Mr
Jeppe Tranholm-Mikkelsen
Secretary-General
Council of the European Union
Brussels

CURRICULUM VITAE

JANUSZ WOJCIECHOWSKI

Date of birth: OMISSIS 1954, Rawa Mazowiecka

Profession:

legal practitioner, former judge, currently a lawyer

Education:

advanced legal studies: master's degree in law, graduated from the University of Łódź, Department of Law and Administration (1977)

Professional career:

- Member of the European Parliament since 2004
- Deputy Speaker of the Polish Sejm (2001-2004)
- Chairman of the Najwyższa Izba Kontroli [Supreme Audit Office] (1995-2001)
- Member of the Polish Sejm (1993-1995)
- Judge at the district court of Rawa Mazowiecka, judge at the provincial court of Skierniewice, judge at Warsaw appeal court (1980-1993)
- Trainee public prosecutor (1977-1980)

Offices held in national parliament:

- Member of the Polish Sejm (1993-1995; 2001-2004)
- Deputy Speaker of the Polish Sejm (2001-2004)
- Chairman of the Committee on Codification Changes (2001-2004)

Offices held in national government:

- Under-Secretary of State at the Cabinet Office with responsibility for Legislative Affairs (1994-1995)

Offices held in external audit bodies:

- Chairman of the Najwyższa Izba Kontroli [Supreme Audit Office] (1995-2001)

Offices held in the judiciary:

- judge at district, provincial and appeal courts (1980-93)
- judge seconded to the Supreme Court (1990-91)
- member of the National Council of the Judiciary (1990-93)
- judge at the Tribunal of State (1991-93)

Offices held in the EU institutions:

- Member of the European Parliament since 2004
- Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development (since 2004)
- Member of the Committee on Budgetary Control (2004-2009)
- Delegation to the EU-Kazakhstan, EU-Kyrgyzstan and EU-Uzbekistan Parliamentary Cooperation Committees and for relations with Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Mongolia
- Observer at EP (2003-2004)

Offices held in other international organisations:

- Member of the Governing Board of EUROSAI — European Organisation of Supreme Audit Institutions (1995-1999)