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## OUTCOME OF PROCEEDINGS

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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Delegations  
Subject: Second Council conclusions on the 10th World Trade Organization  
Ministerial Conference

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Delegations will find attached the second Council conclusions on the 10th World Trade Organization Ministerial Conference as adopted by the Council on 19 December 2015.

**Second Council conclusions  
on the 10th World Trade Organization Ministerial Conference**

1. The Council was informed by the Commission of latest developments in the 10th WTO Ministerial Conference. It shared the Commission's assessment of the overall package and welcomed the conclusion of the negotiations on the revised Information Technology Agreement.
  
  2. In the absence of final texts, the Council agreed that the EU's position joining the consensus in the Ministerial meeting would be presented to the WTO and reflected in the written conclusions of the Conference, on the understanding that the EU will follow up the results of the Ministerial Meeting in accordance with its internal procedures and without prejudice to the division of competencies between the EU and its Member States.
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