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Subject: **Consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee by the Council**
Consultation of the Committee of the Regions by the Council

on a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on mercury, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1102/2008

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In accordance with the procedure adopted by the Council (see Article 12(2)(c) of its Rules of Procedure), we hereby submit the above consultation for approval by the Council.

Please e-mail any comments to dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu by **12.00 on Thursday 18 February 2016**.

If no objections are received by that deadline, the decision to consult will be deemed to have been adopted.