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"I/A" ITEM NOTE

from : Latin America Working Party
on : 27 February 2003
to : Coreper/Council

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1. On 4 December 2002, Commission presented to the Council a recommendation for the Council decision given in subject.
2. As the result of its examination of this recommendation, the Latin America Working Party suggests to Coreper to recommend to Council:
 - to authorise the Commission to negotiate a Political Dialogue and Co-operation Agreement between the European Community and its Member States and the Central American Republics of Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and Panama, in conformity with the negotiating directives for such an agreement contained in doc. 6902/1/03 REV 1 RESTRICTED. It is understood that in due time, supplementary negotiating directives will be established for articles 42 and 43, and that the Commission will be assisted by a special committee¹ appointed by the Council,

¹ In practice, the Working Party on Latin America.

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