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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

Subject: Draft Council Decision appointing an alternate member, proposed by
Romania, of the Committee of the Regions
- Adoption

1. On 25 September 2017, by Council Decision (EU) 2017/1762¹, an alternate member's seat on the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the appointment of Mr Marius Horia ȚUȚUIANU as a member of the Committee of the Regions,
2. Under Article 305 TFEU, members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions are appointed by the Council, acting by a qualified majority on proposals from the respective Member States.
3. In accordance with that provision, the Romanian Government has proposed² the following person as an alternate member for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2020:
 - Ms Daniela CÎMPEAN, *President of Sibiu County Council*.

¹ Council Decision (EU) 2017/1762 of 25 September 2017 appointing two members, proposed by Romania, of the Committee of the Regions.

² 8180/18.

4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to suggest that the Council adopt the Decision set out in 8181/18 as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.
 5. That Decision will be published in the Official Journal of the European Union pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 297(2) TFEU.
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