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From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)
Subject: Impact assessment within the Council - 2018 Annual Report

1. On 8 and 24 May 2018, the Mertens group discussed the draft 2018 Annual report on Impact Assessment within the Council, prepared by the Presidency with the assistance of the General Secretariat of the Council¹ and agreed on the main conclusions and recommendations set out in the report, subject to a few amendments to the text of the report.
2. Coreper is therefore invited to endorse the 2018 Annual report on Impact Assessment within the Council as set out in 8900/18.

¹ 8423/18 and 8423/1/18