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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	COUNCIL DECISION on the authority to release EU classified information to third States and international organisations (doc. 5124/19) - Adoption of the Decision

1. In 2011, the Council adopted two Council Decisions authorising the Secretary-General to release, on his behalf, EUCI to third States and international organisations (doc. 10918/11 and 10919/11).
2. To bring these two Council Decisions in line with the 2013 Council Security Rules, and in order to streamline administrative procedures, the Council Security Committee discussed a limited number of changes, which it endorsed on 25 September 2018.
3. In the light of the above, COREPER is invited to recommend that the Council adopt the draft amended Council Decision on the authority to release EUCI to third States and international organisations (doc. 5124/19).