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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
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Subject:	Commission delegated Regulation (EU) .../... of 18 December 2018 on the framework financial regulation for the bodies set up under the TFEU and Euratom Treaty and referred to in Article 70 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council – <i>Decision to request an extension of the time-limit</i>

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1. The Commission submitted to the Council the above-mentioned delegated act, in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 290 TFEU and in line with the procedure outlined in Article 269(5) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of 18 July 2018<sup>1</sup>. The Commission having notified the delegated act on 18 December 2018, the Council may object to it until 18 February 2019.
2. The General Secretariat of the Council launched a consultation on the delegated act through a silence procedure ending on 25 January 2019, as a result of which two delegations submitted comments related to the financing of new tasks not provided for directly in the agencies' constituent acts, as well as the need for a proper oversight of such tasks and the sources of agencies' financing.

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<sup>1</sup> Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013 (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).

3. The Budget Committee examined the matter at its meeting on 31 January 2019 and agreed that the period for objection should be extended by two months in order to allow delegations to fully clarify the issues raised and supported by a large number of delegations.
  4. It is therefore suggested that Coreper recommends that the Council decides to extend the period for raising objections by two months and that the Commission and the European Parliament are to be informed thereof.
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