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Subject: **Consultation of the European Parliament by the Council**  
**Consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee by the Council**

**on a proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2006/112/EC on the common system of value added tax, with regard to the obligation to respect a minimum standard rate**

**[ref. 2017/0349 (CNS) - COM(2017) 783 final - 15904/17]**

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In accordance with the procedure adopted by the Council (see Article 12(2)(c) of its Rules of Procedure), we hereby submit the above consultation for approval by the Council.

Please email any comments to [dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu) by **16.00 on Tuesday 9 January 2018**.

If no objections are received by that deadline, the decision to consult will be deemed to have been taken.