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NOTICE OF MEETING

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Subject:	UNCITRAL (Enforcement of settlement agreements) Coordination Meeting
Date:	5 February 2018
Time:	9.00
Venue:	Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations 666 Third Avenue, 31 st Floor New York NY 10017

1. Delegations are informed that the first coordination meeting in connection with the 68th session of UNCITRAL Working Group II (Dispute Settlement) on the topic 'Enforcement of international commercial settlement agreements resulting from mediation', 5 to 9 February 2018, will take place in New York at the abovementioned address on Monday, 5 February 2018, at 9:00 am.
2. Additional coordination meetings will be announced on the spot.

3. The following documents will serve as the basis for the coordination on the spot:
- (a) Council Decision authorising the Commission to negotiate instruments on the enforcement of international commercial settlement agreements resulting from conciliation in the framework of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) (doc. 12176/1/17 REV 1 JUSTCIV 205 (EN version)/doc. 12176/17 JUSTCIV 205 (other language versions)) and the negotiating directives attached in the addendum to this Council Decision (doc. 12176/17 ADD 1 JUSTCIV 205 **RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED**) - adopted by the Council on 29 September 2017 (by way of written procedure);
 - (b) Coordinated position prepared by the Council Working Party on Civil Law Matters (General Questions) on 18 January 2018 as revised by the Presidency in light of the comments made by delegations at that meeting (doc. 5586/18 JUSTCIV 14 **RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED**).
4. The delegations to whom this communication is sent are kindly requested to forward it to their delegates going to the UNCITRAL Working Group II session in New York so that they are informed of the EU coordination meeting.