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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Committee of the Regions
	- Letter from Italy - appointment of a member

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Delegations will find attached a translation of a letter dated 18 January 2018 from Mr Maurizio MASSARI, Permanent Representative of Italy to the European Union, addressed to Mr Jeppe TRANHOLM-MIKKELSEN, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union.

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Brussels, 18 January 2018

Dear Secretary-General,

The Italian Government has nominated Mr Gaetano Armao, Vicepresidente ed Assessore all'Economia della Regione Siciliana, to replace Mr Rosario Crocetta, member of the Committee of the Regions, who has lost his electoral mandate.

In view of the above, I would be grateful if the procedures for the new appointment could be set in motion. The proposed candidate's personal details are given in the annex to this letter.

(Complimentary close)

Maurizio Massari

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Mr Jeppe Tranholm-Mikkelsen  
Secretary-General  
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MEMBER

Name:	Gaetano ARMAO
Mandate:	Vicepresidente ed Assessore all'Economia della Regione Siciliana
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