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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Committee of the Regions - Letter from the Federal Republic of Germany - appointment of one member and one alternate member

Delegations will find in the annex the translation of a letter dated 4 May 2022, from Mr Michael CLAUß, Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany, addressed to the Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union.

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SUBJECT **Nomination of members to the Committee of the Regions for the seventh term
of office**

Brussels, 4 May 2022

Dear Sir/Madam,

I would kindly ask you to initiate the appointment procedure laid down in Article 305 TFEU for the following new nominations to the Committee of the Regions (CoR):

The Deutscher Landkreistag (German Counties Association) has nominated Mr Thomas Habermann, Landrat (Head of District Authority), who until now has been an alternate member, as a new member of the CoR for the remainder of its seventh term of office, effective 5 September 2022. This new nomination has been necessitated by the departure of the incumbent, Mr Bernd Lange, Landrat, (Head of District Authority), as of 4 September 2022.

Dr Christoph Schnaudigel, Landrat (Head of District Authority) has been nominated as the new alternate member.

The Federal Government hereby proposes that Mr Thomas Habermann, Landrat, and Dr Christoph Schnaudigel, Landrat, be appointed as a member and alternate member, respectively, of the CoR for its seventh term of office, with effect from 5 September 2022.

(Complimentary close)