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#### 'I/A' ITEM NOTE

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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council
Subject:	Draft Amendments of the Rules of Procedure of the General Court – Approval by the Council

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1. By letter dated 22 September 2022, the President of the General Court of the European Union transmitted draft amendments of the Rules of Procedure of the General Court for approval by the Council in accordance with the fifth paragraph of Article 254 TFEU (document ST 12697/22).
2. The Working Party on the Court of Justice examined the said draft amendments at its meeting on 7 September 2022.

3. Following this meeting, the General Court submitted a revised draft of the new Article 71a of its Rules of Procedure (document ST 14226/2022), which was circulated to delegations. No further observations were received.
  4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore invited to recommend that the Council approve, as an A-item in one of its next meetings, the draft amendments to the Rules of Procedure of the General Court as they appear in document ST 12697/22, and, as regards Article 71a, in document ST 14226/2022<sup>1</sup>.
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<sup>1</sup> Following the approval by the Council, the General Court will adopt the amended Rules of Procedure under the fifth paragraph of Article 254 TFEU and have them published in the Official Journal.