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To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
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Subject:	Commission Regulation (EU) .../... of XXX amending Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1151 as regards the emission type approval procedures for light passenger and commercial vehicles - decision not to oppose adoption

1. On 13 September 2022, the Commission submitted the above draft Regulation to the Council, in accordance with Articles 5(3) and 14(3) of Regulation (EC) No 715/2007¹.
2. The above draft Regulation is in accordance with the positive opinion of the Committee, expressed on 5 July 2022. The Committee voted in favour of the draft measure with 22 votes 'yes' and 2 abstentions.
3. Before being formally adopted by the Commission, the amendments are submitted for scrutiny to the European Parliament and the Council. If neither the Parliament nor the Council have opposed the envisaged measures, the draft Regulation shall be adopted by the Commission.

¹ Regulation (EC) No 715/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 on type approval of motor vehicles with respect to emissions from light passenger and commercial vehicles (Euro 5 and Euro 6) and on access to vehicle repair and maintenance information (OJ L 171, 29.6.2007, p. 1).

4. On 14 September 2022, delegations were asked to indicate their possible opposition to the draft Regulation by 25 October 2022. No delegation raised any relevant grounds for opposition. The Commission will formally adopt the draft measures after the 3-month deadline expires on 13 December 2022.
 5. Against this background, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to recommend to the Council to confirm the non-opposition to the adoption of the draft Commission Regulation, as set out in document ST 12421/22 + ADD 1-4 as an item without discussion at one of its forthcoming meetings.
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