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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

Subject: Council Decision appointing a member, proposed by the Republic of Austria, of the Committee of the Regions
- Adoption

1. By letter of 11 November 2022, the Secretary-General of the Committee of the Regions notified the Council of the end of the national mandate on the basis of which Mr Günther PLATTER, member of the Committee of the Regions, was proposed for appointment and appointed.¹
2. Under Article 305 TFEU, members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions are appointed by the Council, acting by a qualified majority on proposals by the respective Member States.

¹ 14814/22.

3. In accordance with that provision and for the purpose of the replacement of Mr Günther PLATTER, the Austrian Government has proposed² Mr Anton MATTLE, representative of a regional body who holds a regional authority electoral mandate, *Landeshauptmann von Tirol* (Governor of Tyrol), as a member of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2025.
4. In view of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore invited to confirm its agreement on the text of the Decision set out in document 15937/22 and to suggest that the Council adopts that Decision as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

² 15661/22.