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### **COMMUNICATION**

#### **WRITTEN PROCEDURE**

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Subject: Adoption of Council's positions on:

- draft amending budget No 2/2024: Entering the surplus of the financial year 2023
- the draft general budget of the European Union for the financial year 2025
- *End of written procedure*

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Delegations are informed that the written procedure, opened by CM 4030/24 of 6 September 2024 was completed on 13 September 2024 at 11:56 and that all delegations:

- (1) - voted in favour of the adoption of the Council Decision adopting the Council's position on draft amending budget No 2 to the general budget of the Union for 2024, as set out in document 12078/24, accepting the Commission proposal<sup>1</sup> without any changes, as explained in document 12077/24, and having it published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*;

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<sup>1</sup> Doc. 8685/24.

- agreed to mandate the Presidency to forward the Council's position together with the explanatory memorandum to the European Parliament, in accordance with Article 314(3) TFEU, and approved the draft letter set out in the ANNEX to document 12078/24 to that effect;
- (2) - voted in favour of the adoption of the Council Decision adopting the Council's position on the draft general budget of the European Union for the financial year 2025, as set out in document 12083/24, accepting the changes to the Commission proposal, as explained in documents 12082/24 + COR 1 + COR 2 + ADD 1 + ADD 2, and having it published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*;
- agreed to mandate the Presidency to forward the Council's position together with the explanatory memorandum to the European Parliament, in accordance with Article 314(3) TFEU, and approved the draft letter set out in the ANNEX to document 12082/24 to that effect; and
- approved the accompanying Council statements set out in document 12082/24 ADD 1.

Therefore,

- the above Decisions of the Council are adopted and will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*;
- the Council's positions together with the explanatory memoranda will be forwarded to the European Parliament, in accordance with Article 314(3) TFEU; and
- the abovementioned statements will be included in the summary of acts adopted by written procedure as statements to be entered in the Council minutes, in accordance with the third subparagraph of Article 12(1) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.