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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 Italian Republic, of the European Economic and Social Committee - Adoption

1. By letter dated 31 May 2024<sup>1</sup>, the President of the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) notified the Council of the resignation of Mr Giovanni SABATINI, member of the EESC.
2. By letter dated 28 August 2024<sup>2</sup>, the Italian Government has proposed Mr Marco Elio ROTTIGNI, *Direttore Generale Associazione Bancaria Italiana (ABI)* (Director-General of the Italian Banking Association (ABI)), for appointment as a member of the EESC for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 20 September 2025.
3. Under Article 302 TFEU, the Council appoints the EESC's members after consulting the Commission. The Commission was consulted on the nomination on 6 September 2024 and gave a favourable opinion on 3 October 2024.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 10809/24.  
<sup>2</sup> 12913/24.  
<sup>3</sup> C(2024) 6843.

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 13963/24 and to suggest that the Council adopt that Decision as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.
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