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Subject:	Council Decision authorising France to apply a reduced rate of certain indirect taxes on 'traditional' rum produced in Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique and Réunion
	Adoption
	- Initiation of written procedure

Following the decision of the Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2) on 4 November 2020 to use the written procedure for the above-mentioned item, delegations are invited to state whether they agree to the adoption of the Council Decision authorising France to apply a reduced rate of certain indirect taxes on 'traditional' rum produced in Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique and Réunion as set out in document ST 11031/20 + COR 1 + COR 2 (fr) + COR 3 (bg) + COR 4 (ro) + REV 1 (de).

Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION to this question.

Any unilateral statements should be made at the same time as answering the question, except for those already made at Coreper.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council **by 18:00 (Brussels time) on 16**November 2020 and should be sent by email to **ecomp2.cohesionpolicy@consilium.europa.eu**

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