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Subject: Request for the European Parliament's consent on the Council Regulation extending to the non-participating Member States the application of Regulation (EU) No .../2018 establishing an exchange, assistance and training programme for the protection of the euro against counterfeiting for the period 2021-2027 (the "Pericles IV" programme)

– *Initiation of written procedure*

Following the decision of the Permanent Representatives Committee Part 2 on 3 February 2021 to use the written procedure, **delegations that have not yet responded are requested to state whether they agree to** request the consent of the European Parliament on Council Regulation extending to the non-participating Member States the application of Regulation (EU) No .../2018 establishing an exchange, assistance and training programme for the protection of the euro against counterfeiting for the period 2021-2027 (the "Pericles IV" programme), as set out in document 13255/1/2020 REV 1, as finalised by the legal-linguistic experts.

Please answer "YES", "NO" or "ABSTENTION".

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 **on Monday 8 February by 12:00 (Brussels time) at the latest**. They should be sent by e-mail to grazia-mattea.targa@consilium.europa.eu, athina.bai@consilium.europa.eu and karen.geeraert@consilium.europa.eu.
