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From: ACP Working Party
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

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Subject: Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors regarding the amendment of Decision No 3/2016 of the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors on the Centre for the Development of Enterprise (CDE)
- Adoption

1. On 30 March 2021, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors regarding the amendment of Decision No 3/2016 of the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors on the Centre for the Development of Enterprise (CDE)¹.
2. On 23 April 2021, the ACP Working Party reached agreement on the proposal.

¹ 7493/21.

3. The Permanent Representatives Committee is accordingly invited to recommend that the Council at one of its upcoming meetings:
 - adopt the draft Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors regarding the amendment of Decision No 3/2016 of the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors on the Centre for the Development of Enterprise (CDE), as set out after finalisation by the Legal/Linguistic experts in document ST 8521/21;
 - order the publication of the Council Decision in the Official Journal;
 - inform the European Parliament of the adoption of the Council Decision;
 - order the publication of the ACP-EU Decision, once adopted, in the Official Journal.
4. Following the adoption by the Council, a draft ACP-EU Decision will be sent to the ACP side for adoption by the ACP-EU Committee of Ambassadors by exchange of letters.