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**SUMMARY RECORD**  
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE  
19 and 21 May 2021

**I. Adoption of the agenda**

8782/1/21 REV 1 OJ CRP1 19  
8803/1/21 REV 1 OJ CRP2 19

The Committee adopted the agenda.

**II. Approval of the "I" items**

The Committee approved the "I" items as set out in the Annex.

**III. Discussion items**

**COREPER (PART 2)**

**WEDNESDAY 19 MAY 2021**

**Justice and Home Affairs**

2. Council Recommendation (EU) 2020/912 of 30 June 2020 on the temporary restriction on non-essential travel into the EU and the possible lifting of such restriction  
*Approval*

The Committee agreed to the text of the Council Recommendation.

## Statement by Greece

"Overall, Greece welcomes the amendment of Council Recommendation 2020/912. While we maintain our position that the third countries list in ANNEX I should be eventually abandoned, we believe that the proposed amendments go in the right direction, moving gradually from the "safe country" to the "safe passenger" approach.

Nonetheless, we would like to express our concerns regarding the following points of the amended Recommendation:

Firstly, regarding the 14-day cumulative Covid-19 case notification rate, we believe that **75** is particularly low and hard to justify, taking into account that the EU average is approximately 400. Besides, the case notification rate is not the only decisive factor to be taken into account as it is combined with other quantitative and qualitative criteria. In this context, the positivity rate is of particular relevance. Moreover, according to the Recommendation, MS can impose testing or quarantine requirements on incoming travelers from countries listed in Annex I. Therefore, Greece would favor a higher and more reasonable threshold, such as **200**, i.e. the half of the EU average.

Secondly, regarding the categories of accepted vaccines mentioned in point 6a, we believe that we should not include only those that have been authorized by EMA or have completed the WHO Emergency Use Listing process. MS should be given the flexibility to accept vaccination certificates for vaccines that have been granted authorization at national level as well. This will allow us to avoid discriminating between several vaccines which have been approved by the competent national authorities and are widely used in third countries, but have not yet completed the EMA or the WHO authorization process.

Thirdly, regarding the number of the administrated doses in point 6a, we also believe that limiting the entry of third country residents only to those who are fully vaccinated is unnecessarily over-restrictive, if we take into account the fact that in many cases a high level of immunity is achieved after the administration of the first dose. In this context, MS should have the flexibility to accept travellers who have received at least one dose of a Covid-19 vaccine."

## **General Affairs**

### 3. Digital Green Certificate

8719/21

- a) Regulation on Certificates on vaccination, testing and recovery

*Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament*

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency on the outcome of the trilogue with the EP, held an exchange of views and agreed to revert on this issue at its meeting on Friday.

- b) Regulation on Certificates on vaccination, testing and recovery (third country nationals)

*Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament*

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency on the outcome of the trilogue with the EP, held an exchange of views and agreed to revert on this issue at its meeting on Friday.

## **Foreign Affairs**

4. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/Trade) on  
20 May 2021: Preparation

- a) Conclusions on the trade policy review  
*Approval*

8488/2/21 REV 2

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.  
No agreement was reached on the text of the conclusions.

- b) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Presidency provided further information regarding the Council meeting.

## **General Affairs**

5. Preparation of the Special Meeting of the European Council on  
24 - 25 May 2021: conclusions  
*Exchange of views*

8265/21

The Committee held an exchange of views on the draft conclusions.

6. COVID-19 EU coordination - vaccines  
*Information from the Commission*

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Commission.

## **Foreign Affairs**

7. 18th EU-Canada Summit (Brussels, 15 June 2021 tbc)  
*Orientation debate*

6027/21  
COTRA

The Committee held an orientation debate and agreed to revert on this issue at one of its next meetings at the beginning of June.

**FRIDAY 21 MAY 2021**

**General Affairs**

3. Digital Green Certificate

8719/21

- a) Regulation on Certificates on vaccination, testing and recovery  
*Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement*

The Committee confirmed agreement on the text of the final compromise.

Statement by Bulgaria

"Bulgaria has consistently supported that rapid antigen tests (RATs), which are considered appropriate and reliable for the test certificate (Art. 3 lit. b) of the final compromise text), should be also part of the "recovery certificate" (Art. 3 lit. c).

In order to avoid discrimination and in view of the fact that RATs are considered equivalent in the diagnosis of COVID-19, subject to certain criteria and according to the definition of ECDC, Bulgaria considers that among the first implementation steps of the Regulation should be the inclusion of RATs in the recovery certificate."

- b) Regulation on Certificates on vaccination, testing and recovery (third country nationals)  
*Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement*

The Committee confirmed agreement on the text of the final compromise.

**Foreign Affairs**

12. EU-United States Summit (Brussels, 15 June 2021 tbc)  
*State of play of preparations*

The Committee held an exchange of views.

13. EU-Japan Summit (VTC, 27 May)  
*State of play*

The Committee held an exchange of views.

Statement by Poland, joined by Hungary

"Poland understands wording "gender equality" as referring to "equality between women and men", in line with art. 2 and art. 3 of the Treaty on European Union. Also Poland understands wording "gender" as referring to "sex" in line with art. 10, art. 19 para 1 and art. 157 para 2 and 4 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union."

## General Affairs

5. Preparation of the Special Meeting of the European Council on 24 - 25 May 2021: conclusions 8266/21  
*Exchange of views*

The Committee held an exchange of views and took note of the information provided by the PEC Cabinet.

## Justice and Home Affairs

9. Blue Card Directive 8585/21  
*Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement*

The Committee confirmed agreement on the text of the final compromise.

### Statement by Spain

"Spain would have wished to maintain the highest possible level of ambition in the revision of the Directive on the conditions of entry and residence of third-country nationals for the purposes of highly skilled employment ("Blue Card Directive"). In particular, Spain considers the revised EU-wide "Blue Card" scheme should be open to recognising high-level professionals skills and relevant experience and not only formal qualifications. We are facing a changing labour market where companies are increasingly asking for skilled staff who may not have a degree or a formal qualification, but who have skills proving that they are high-level professionals. Therefore, we consider this should not have been limited to only one sector, the ICT sector. However, we support the compromise reached given the importance of having in place a revised Blue Card Directive that helps consolidating a European scheme for highly-skilled regular migration."

10. Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on 7/8 June 2021: Preparation

- a) Regulation amending Regulation (EC) N° 168/2007 8686/21  
establishing a EU Agency for Fundamental Rights  
*General approach*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

- b) EU accession to ECHR 8662/21  
*State of play*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council.

- c) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Presidency provided further information regarding the Council meeting.

## **Economic and Financial Affairs**

11. Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on 18 June 2021: Agenda

The Presidency presented the main items on the agenda.

## COREPER (PART 1)

WEDNESDAY 19 MAY 2021

### Transport, Telecommunications and Energy

45. Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 3 and 4 June 2021:  
Preparation

1. Mobility Package I 8639/21  
Directive amending Directive 2006/1/EC on the use of  
hired vehicles  
*General approach*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

2. Conclusions on "Putting rail at the forefront of sustainable  
and smart mobility" 8642/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

3. Directive amending Directive 2017/2397 concerning  
recognition of third country certificates 8604/21  
*General approach*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

4. Conclusions on the Commission Strategy for sustainable  
and smart mobility 8652/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

### Statement by Poland

"Równość kobiet i mężczyzn została zapisana w traktatach Unii Europejskiej jako podstawowe prawo. Polska zapewnia równość kobiet i mężczyzn w ramach polskiego krajowego systemu prawnego zgodnie z międzynarodowymi traktatami praw człowieka oraz w ramach podstawowych wartości i zasad Unii Europejskiej. Z tych powodów, w miejscach, w których konkluzje odnoszą się do równości płci, Polska będzie interpretowała ją jako równość kobiet i mężczyzn zgodnie z art. 2 Traktatu o Unii Europejskiej, art. 8 oraz 10 Traktatu o Funkcjonowaniu Unii Europejskiej, art. 23 Karty Praw Podstawowych."

### Courtesy translation

"Equality between women and men is enshrined in the treaties of the European Union as a fundamental right. Poland ensures equality between women and men within the framework of the Polish national legal system in accordance with internationally binding human rights instruments and within the framework of fundamental values and principles of the European Union. For these reasons, in place where the conclusions refer to gender equality Poland will interpret it as a equality between women and men, according to Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union, Article 8 and 10 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, as well as art. 23 of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights."

## **Health**

46. Council Decision on the EU position in the seventy-fourth session of the World Health Assembly  
*Preparation for the adoption*

8625/1/21 REV 1  
8564/21

The Committee prepared this item for adoption decided on the use of the written procedure for the approval in case the Decision cannot be adopted at a Council meeting before 24 May 2021.

### Statement by the Commission

"The Commission considers that the deletion of the word 'full' as a qualifier of the Union's participation in the drafting and negotiation of a WHO Framework Convention on Pandemic Preparedness and Response, both in recital 6 and in article 1, is unwarranted and may indicate the possibility of a restricted participation with, for instance, limitations of the Union's opportunity to speak in formal and informal consultations, access to documents and ability to table proposals. Such restrictions would imperil the role of the Union in the negotiation process and its international standing. It is recalled that under Article 4(3) TEU third subparagraph, Member States must facilitate the achievement of the Union's tasks and refrain from any measure which would jeopardise the attainment of the Union's objectives.

The Commission reserves all its rights in this regard."



## **Agriculture and Fisheries**

47. Meeting of the Council (Agriculture and Fisheries) on 26 and 27 May 2021: Preparation

1. Study on the status of new genomic techniques 8546/21  
*Presentation by the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

2. Study on the Union's options to update the existing legislation on the production and marketing of plant reproductive material 8550/21  
*Presentation by the Commission*  
*Exchange of views*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

3. Conclusions on the EU's priorities for the 2021 United Nations Food Systems Summit (UNFSS) 8467/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

## **Competitiveness**

48. Meeting of the Council (Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)) on 27 and 28 May 2021: Preparation

1. Updating the new industrial strategy for Europe – the critical importance of securing access to critical raw materials 8618/21  
*Policy debate*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

2. Conclusions on data technologies to improve "Better Regulation" 8177/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

3. Regulation on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking (HPC) 8590/21  
*General approach*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

4. Conclusions on "Deepening the European Research Area: Providing researchers with attractive and sustainable careers and working conditions and making brain circulation a reality" 8621/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

5. Renewing the European Research Area - how to prepare the roll out of an ambitious ERA fit for the next decade 8592/21  
*Policy debate*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

6. Conclusions on "New Space for People" 8630/21  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

7. Conclusions on "Space for People in European coastal areas" 8631/21 + COR 1  
*Approval*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

8. Towards a better positioning of the EU in Space Traffic Management 8616/21 + ADD 1  
*Policy debate*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

## **FRIDAY 21 MAY 2021**

### **Transport, Telecommunications and Energy**

45. (continuation) Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 3 and 4 June 2021: Preparation

5. Regulation on European data governance (Data Governance Act) 8724/21  
*Progress report*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

6. Directive on measures for high common level of cybersecurity across the Union 8640/21  
*Progress report*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

7. 2030 Digital Compass: How to chart the way towards the EU's digital future? 8646/21  
*Policy debate*

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

### **Telecommunications**

49. Regulation on a temporary derogation from the ePrivacy Directive 8468/1/21 REV 1  
*Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement*

The Committee endorsed the text of the final compromise and mandated the Presidency to inform the European Parliament that, should the European Parliament adopt its position at first reading in accordance with this compromise (subject to revision by the legal linguists), the Council would approve the European Parliament's position and the act shall be adopted.

50. Regulation on ePrivacy  
*Presidency briefing on the outcome of the trilogue*

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency on the outcome of the trilogue of 20 May 2021.

## **Environment**

51. Meeting of the Council (Environment) on 10 June 2021: Agenda

The Presidency presented the main items on the agenda.

## **Transport, Telecommunications and Energy**

52. Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 11 June 2021:  
Agenda

The Presidency presented the main items on the agenda.

#### **IV. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

##### **COREPER (PART 2)**

None.

##### **COREPER (PART 1)**

Bilateral EU-UK consultations for fishing opportunities for 2021 and, for deep-sea stocks, for 2021 and 2022

*Information from the Commission*

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Commission.

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**"I" items approved****COREPER (PART 2)****WEDNESDAY 19 MAY 2021****Institutional Affairs****Appointments**

14. A member and an alternate member (IT) of the Committee of the Regions  
*Adoption* 8512/21  
8295/21  
+ REV 1 (en)  
CDR
15. A member (DE) of the Committee of the Regions  
*Adoption* 8511/21  
8297/21  
CDR

**Transparency**

16. Public access to documents  
Confirmatory application No 10/c/01/21  
*Adoption* 7783/21  
7784/21  
INF  
API

**Economic and Financial Affairs**

17. Letter to the ECB on the use of the ECB accounts for the implementation of NGEU  
*Approval of a letter* 8703/21  
FIN

**General Affairs**

18. Exceptional measures on the continuation of decision-making in the Council  
*Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption* 8797/21  
POLGEN  
INST
19. Regulation on the European Parliament's right of inquiry  
*Approval of a letter* 8661/21  
PE
20. Conclusions on a sustainable blue economy  
*Approval* 8712/1/21 REV 1  
POLGEN  
POLMAR
21. Informal meeting of the members of the EEA Council on 28 May 2021 - Joint Statement  
*Approval* 8628/21  
EEE

## **Justice and Home Affairs**

22. Opinion of the Council Legal Service on the New Pact on Migration and Asylum  
*Approval of a letter* 8606/21  
MIGR
23. Conclusions setting the EU's priorities for the fight against serious and organised crime for EMPACT 2022 - 2025  
*Approval* 8666/21  
8665/21  
COSI
24. Conclusions on the transfer of PNR data to third countries, in particular Australia and the United States  
*Approval* 8635/21  
IXIM
25. Conclusions on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the threat posed by terrorism and violent extremism  
*Approval* 8633/21  
CT
26. Lines to Take for the 4th Session of the UN Group of Governmental Experts on advancing responsible state behaviour in cyberspace in the context of international security  
*Approval* 8593/21  
CYBER

## **Foreign Affairs**

27. EU delegation to ASEAN  
*Approval* 8490/21  
COASI
29. Conclusions on EU partnerships with Middle income countries  
*Approval* 8595/21  
DEVGEN
30. Conclusions on Strengthening Team Europe's commitment to Human Development  
*Approval* 8654/21  
DEVGEN

### **Statement by Poland**

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31. European Union's position for the 18th EU-Kyrgyz Republic Cooperation Council (Brussels, 4 June 2021)  
*Establishment of the EU position* 8704/21  
COEST

32. Regulation establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)  
*Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons*

8198/21 + ADD 1-3  
6879/21 + ADD 1  
CADREFIN

Statements by the Commission

"on a geopolitical dialogue with the European Parliament on the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe:

The European Commission, mindful of the European Parliament's functions of political control laid down in Article 14 of the Treaty on the European Union, commits to conduct a high-level geopolitical dialogue between the two institutions on the implementation of Regulation (EU) XXX/XXX of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI) – Global Europe. This dialogue should allow exchanges with the European Parliament, whose positions on the implementation of the NDICI will be fully taken into consideration.

The geopolitical dialogue will discuss general orientations on the implementation of the NDICI, including on programming before the adoption of programming documents, and concerning specific subjects such as the use of the emerging challenges and priorities cushion or applying leverage leading to possible changes in allocation of funding dedicated to migration or suspension of assistance to a partner country when it persistently fails to observe the principles of democracy, the rule of law, good governance, respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms.

The geopolitical dialogue will be structured as follows:

- i) A high-level dialogue between the High Representative/Vice President and the Commissioners in charge of International Partnerships and of Neighbourhood and Enlargement and the European Parliament.
- ii) A permanent dialogue at senior officials' level with AFET and DEVE working groups to ensure an adequate preparation and follow-up to the high-level dialogue.

The high-level dialogue will take place at least twice a year. One of the meetings may coincide with the presentation by the Commission of the draft annual budget."

"on Recitals 50 and 51 and Article 8.10:

Regional migration support programmes will support comprehensive, balanced and tailor-made partnerships with relevant countries of origin or transit and host countries, following a flexible incitative approach, and supported by the coordination mechanism within the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe. They will be complemented by actions under the country programmes, where appropriate. In order to ensure the most efficient and impactful use of these funds, in line with the Union's and partner countries' policy priorities, the European Commission will actively implement these priorities using all relevant Union instruments and participate in the coordination with the Member States in a synchronised and efficient manner. It will ensure that the European Parliament and the Council are closely and regularly informed, allowing for exchanges of views."



### Statement by Hungary

"Hungary had been in favour of the swift adoption and implementation of the NDICI regulation, and has accepted several compromises throughout the negotiations, while also recognizing that most of our red lines have been addressed too. Hungary supports that tackling migration and enforcing cooperation on migration will play a key role in implementing the NDICI instrument.

However, Hungary continues to have serious concerns regarding legal migration, which is part of the NDICI regulation. When it comes to legal migration, it cannot be disregarded that the pandemic has brought about serious changes in the economic situation and the labour markets of the European Union. Worrying developments are characterized by the fact that hundreds of thousands of EU citizens have lost their jobs since the crisis began. The pandemic has caused an unprecedented health emergency in most countries of the world, highlighting the fact that the uncontrolled flow of masses – in addition to being an extremely serious security threat – also poses a serious health risk. Hungary's primary goal in this critical situation is to protect its own citizens, as well as to protect the European Union and all its inhabitants from an epidemiological point of view. Hungary has therefore made the decision not to support any forms of legal migration to the European Union in addition to illegal migration, underlining that legal migration is not the right solution to address economic and labour market challenges. Focus instead should be placed on providing decent work and living conditions to our own citizens. In light of the above position, and without wishing to block the adoption of the NDICI regulation, Hungary abstains from voting.

Concerning references to the EU Gender Action Plans and relevant Council Conclusions in the regulation, it must be pointed out that the third Gender Action Plan (GAP III) adopted by the European Commission and the High Representative on 25 November 2020, has not been endorsed by all Member States by means of Council Conclusions. As the third Gender Action Plan is based on a definition of gender which is not compatible with our national position, Hungary shall not take part in the implementation of the GAP III."

33. Conclusions on Commission's Communication on the EU's humanitarian action  
*Approval*

8726/21  
8725/21  
COHAFA

### Statement by Poland

"Poland understands wording "gender equality" as referring to "equality between women and men", in line with art. 2 and art. 3 of the Treaty on European Union. Also Poland understands wording "gender" as referring to "sex" in line with art. 10, art. 19 para 1 and art. 157 para 2 and 4 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union."

## Statement by Hungary

"First, let me thank the Portuguese Presidency for its tireless work to conclude the negotiations on the Council Conclusions on the Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the EU's humanitarian action: new challenges, same principles.

Hungary welcomes the Communication from the Commission and the Council Conclusions especially in light of the rising humanitarian needs, the shrinking humanitarian space and the growing funding gap. We are experiencing more and more conflicts and disasters around the world and the COVID-19 pandemic has further deteriorated the already fragile situations. Humanitarian aid is one of the most tangible examples of the EU's external action and proof of our solidarity to people in need.

However, regarding paragraph 10, I would like to highlight that Hungary recognizes and promotes equality between women and men in accordance with the Fundamental Law of Hungary, and the primary law, principles and values of the European Union, as well as commitments and principles stemming from the international law. Furthermore, equality between women and men is enshrined in the Treaties of the European Union as a fundamental value. For these reasons and in line with its national legislation, Hungary interprets the concept of 'gender' – in paragraph 10 – as reference to 'sex'."

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| 34. Sudan UN Transposition - Implementing Decision and<br>Implementing Regulation<br><i>Adoption</i> | 8713/21<br>7316/21 + ADD1<br>7318/21 + ADD1<br>CORLX |
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## **FRIDAY 21 MAY 2021**

### **Economic and Financial Affairs**

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| 35. Council Decision amending Decision 2003/77/EC laying down<br>multiannual financial guidelines for managing the assets of the<br>ECSC in liquidation and, on completion of the liquidation, the<br>Assets of the Research Fund for Coal and Steel<br><i>General approach</i> | 8705/21<br>ECOFIN |
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### **General Affairs**

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| 36. Regulation on the Statute of the European Ombudsman<br><i>Endorsement</i><br><i>Approval of a letter</i> | 8692/21 + COR 1<br>8698/21<br>OMBUDS<br>AG |
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### **Justice and Home Affairs**

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| 37. EU position for the Special Session of the United Nations<br>General Assembly against corruption<br><i>Approval</i> | 8637/21 + ADD 1<br>COPEN |
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| 38. | Conclusions on the protection of public spaces<br><i>Approval</i>                          | 8663/21<br>ENFOPOL |
| 39. | Conclusions on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on internal security<br><i>Approval</i> | 8651/21<br>ENFOPOL |
| 40. | Conclusions on sports-related violence<br><i>Approval</i>                                  | 8648/21<br>ENFOPOL |

### **Foreign Affairs**

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| 41. | Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on an EU-Angola investment facilitation agreement<br><i>Adoption</i> | 8543/21<br>8441/21 + ADD 1<br>ACP |
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#### Statement by the Commission

"The Commission considers it legally incorrect that a Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations indicates a substantive legal basis. The Decision authorising the opening of negotiations is premised solely on the existence of conferred powers of the Union and not on a determination of a specific competence. Its effect is limited to authorising the Commission or the High Representative, as the case may be, to use its prerogatives under the EU Treaties in order to start negotiations. The scope of these negotiations is therefore determined by the scope of the powers of the Union. Besides, the freedom of the envisaged treaty partner of the Union as regards the determination of the scope of the negotiations cannot be limited by the Council Decision authorising the opening of the negotiations. Thus, the precise legal basis for the future agreement can only be determined after the content of the agreement is known. The Commission reserves all its rights in this regard."

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| 42. | Draft Council Decision on the Overseas Association, including Greenland<br><i>Decision to consult an institution or body</i>      | 8655/21<br>8656/21<br>ACP              |
| 43. | PSC Decision EUAM Ukraine/1/2021 – Extension of the Head of Mission<br><i>Decision to publish in the Official Journal</i>         | 7849/21<br>8711/21<br>PSC DEC          |
| 44. | Council Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Syria<br><i>Adoption</i> | 8575/21<br>8572/21<br>8574/21<br>CORLX |
| 28. | EU-Japan Green Alliance<br><i>Approval</i>  | 8763/21<br>COASI                       |

The above-mentioned item is withdrawn.

## **COREPER (PART 1)**

### **Institutional Affairs**

#### **Appointments**

53. One member (MT) of the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training  
*Adoption* 8747/21  
SOC
54. One alternate member (MT) of the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training  
*Adoption* 8748/1/21 REV 1  
SOC
55. One member (NL) of the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training  
*Adoption* 8745/21  
SOC
56. One alternate member (NL) of the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training  
*Adoption* 8746/21  
SOC
57. One member (RO) of the Management Board of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions  
*Adoption* 8750/1/21 REV 1  
SOC
58. One member (IT) of the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training  
*Adoption* 8798/21  
SOC

### **Judicial Affairs**

59. Case C-259/21 (European Parliament v Council of the European Union)  
*Information note for the Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)* 8699/21  
JUR

### **Delegated or Implementing Acts**

#### **Agriculture**

60. Commission Regulation (EU) .../... of XXX amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regard the use of polyols in certain energy-reduced confectionery products  
*Decision not to oppose adoption* 8645/21  
8012/21 + ADD 1  
DENLEG