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'A' ITEM NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Council

Subject: Council Decision amending Decision 2009/908/EU, laying down measures for the implementation of the European Council Decision on the exercise of the Presidency of the Council, and on the chairmanship of preparatory bodies of the Council
- Adoption

1. In February 2021, the Permanent Representatives Committee approved a new list of the preparatory bodies that should be applied as from 1 July 2021 and tasked the Antici and Mertens Groups to coordinate the establishment of mandates of 23 new working groups, including the Working Party "E-justice".
2. The approval of the mandate of the Working Party "E-justice" requires a consequential modification of the Council Decision 2009/908/EU laying down measures for the implementation of the European Council Decision on the exercise of the Presidency of the Council, and on the chairmanship of preparatory bodies of the Council.

3. On 4 June 2021, the Permanent Representatives Committee approved¹ the above-mentioned 23 mandates. It also agreed on the transmission to the Council of the text of the Council Decision amending Decision 2009/908/EU, laying down measures for the implementation of the European Council Decision on the exercise of the Presidency of the Council, and on the chairmanship of preparatory bodies of the Council, subject to its revision by lawyer-linguists.
4. In light of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee recommends that the Council:
- adopt the text of the Council Decision amending Decision 2009/908/EU, laying down measures for the implementation of the European Council Decision on the exercise of the Presidency of the Council, and on the chairmanship of preparatory bodies of the Council, as finalised by the legal/linguistic experts and as set out in document 9422/21;
 - decide to publish the text of the above-mentioned Council Decision in the Official Journal, once it is adopted.

¹ Doc. 8728/21