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## **ADDENDUM TO I/A ITEM NOTE**

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Please find in annex the declarations made by delegations. The declarations should be added to the minutes of the JHA Council of 2 and 3 December 2004.

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## GREEK DECLARATION

Greece would like to declare that it has concerns about some of the guidelines to the Commission and cannot agree with the proposed text of the Presidency. We consider the authorization of the Commission to participate at the negotiations as a premature act, since the participating States have not decided to put rules of jurisdiction in the future Convention.

Greece would have preferred as primary guideline the sentence proposed by the Commission in doc. DS 695/04, i.e. "in the first place, the Commission shall endeavour to have any provision concerning jurisdiction withdrawn from the future instrument".

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## GERMAN DECLARATION

"Die Bundesrepublik Deutschland hat Bedenken gegen eine Befassung des AstV/Rates mit Verhandlungsleitlinien ohne einen Kommissionsvorschlag und eine förmliche Billigung des Vorschlages durch die entsprechenden Ratsgremien."

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