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#### INFORMATION NOTE

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Subject: Recovery of the culture sector after the COVID-19 pandemic  
- *Information from the European Commission*

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Delegations will find attached an information note from the European Commission on the above subject, which has been put on the agenda under ‘Any other business’ for the next Education, Youth, Culture and Sport Council meeting on 29-30 November 2021

**Recovery of the culture sector after the COVID-19 pandemic**

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**Objective**

The Commission would like to present the latest developments concerning its support designed to promote the recovery of the cultural and creative sectors at European level.

**Context**

This information point will touch upon the latest developments regarding EU support to the cultural and creative sectors. It will include figures on the impact of the crisis on culture, the Creative Europe programme, the web platform CreativesUnite, the EU guidelines for the safe re-opening of the cultural and creative sectors published in June, the support provided under the state aid temporary framework, as well as general information on the Recovery and Resilience Facility relevant for these sectors.

Member States shall have the opportunity to communicate any relevant updates from their side.