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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

Subject: Council Decision appointing a member, proposed by the Federal Republic of Germany, of the Committee of the Regions
- Adoption

1. By letter of 4 February 2022, the Secretary-General of the Committee of the Regions notified the Council of the resignation of Mr Mark WEINMEISTER, member of the Committee of the Regions.¹
2. Under Article 305 TFEU, members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions are appointed by the Council, acting by a qualified majority on proposals by the respective Member State.

¹ 6138/22.

3. In accordance with that provision and for the purpose of the replacement of Mr WEINMEISTER, the German Government has proposed² Mr Uwe BECKER, representative of a regional body who is politically accountable to an elected assembly, *Staatssekretär für Europaangelegenheiten, politische Verantwortung gegenüber dem Hessischen Landtag* (State Secretary for European Affairs, politically accountable to the Parliament of the Federal State of Hesse), as a member of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2025.
4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to suggest that the Council adopt the Decision set out in document [7422/22](#) as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

² [7281/22](#).