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Subject:	OUTCOME OF PROCEEDINGS of the Working Party on Codification of Legislation with regard to the Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on uniform procedures for checks on the transport of dangerous goods by road (codification) COM(2021) 483 final of 19.8.2021 - 2021/0275 (COD)

1. The Commission proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on uniform procedures for checks on the transport of dangerous goods by road (codification) COM(2021) 483 final of 19.8.2021 – 2021/0275 (COD) was circulated to delegations on 8 September 2021 by document ST 11640/21 + ADD1.

The delegations were requested to submit their comments on the codification proposal within the established deadline (22 September 2021).

Horizontal comments submitted by delegations were taken into consideration by the Consultative Working Party consisting of the respective legal services of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.

2. **CZ, SK and LV** submitted language-related comments, which will be dealt with by the lawyer-linguists at the stage of the legal-linguistic revision.
3. The opinion of the Consultative Working Party of Legal Services was circulated to delegations on 28 March 2022 (document ST 7256/22). The analysis of the three legal services confirms that the codification proposal is a straightforward codification of existing texts, without any change in their substance.

4. The Committee of the Regions was consulted on the codification proposal. The decision of the Committee of the Regions not to issue an opinion was circulated to the delegations on 5 April 2022 (document ST 7968/22).
 5. The European Economic and Social Committee was consulted on the codification proposal. The Opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee was circulated to delegations on 26 October 2021 (document ST 13228/21). The European Economic and Social Committee endorsed the content of the codification proposal.
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