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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)
Subject:	Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Competitiveness and Growth (Internal Market) on 17 March 2025 - <i>Approval</i>

1. At the meeting of the Working Party on Competitiveness and Growth (Internal Market) on 17 March 2025, the members will exchange views on the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on combating late payment in commercial transactions.
2. The Presidency would like to invite the following third parties to this meeting:
 - European Entrepreneurs CEA-PME (Transparency Register identification number: 077142018281-86);
 - European Small Business Alliance (Transparency Register identification number: 741179426673-35).

3. The purpose of the attendance of the third-party representatives is to present their views on the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on combating late payment in commercial transactions.
 4. The Presidency considers that these invitations are in the interest of the Council and in line with the framework applicable to the occasional presence of third parties, including interest representatives, at meetings of the Council or of its preparatory bodies consolidated in the Comments on the Council's Rules of Procedure.
 5. Considering the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to approve the attendance of the third parties mentioned above at the meeting of the Working Party on Competitiveness and Growth (Internal Market) on 17 March 2025.
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