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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee (part 2)/Council
Subject:	Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2023/137 as regards the application of certain data transmission requirements – Decision to request an extension of the time-limit

1. On 2 September 2024, the Commission submitted to the Council a Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2023/137 as regards the application of certain data transmission requirements¹ adopted on the basis of Article 6(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006.²

¹ ST 13035/24.

² Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 December 2006 establishing the statistical classification of economic activities NACE Revision 2 and amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3037/90 as well as certain EC Regulations on specific statistical domains, OJ L 393, 30.12.2006, p. 1, as amended by Regulation (EU) 2019/1243 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 adapting a number of legal acts providing for the use of the regulatory procedure with scrutiny to Articles 290 and 291 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, OJ L 198, 25.7.2019, p. 241.

2. The Commission having notified the abovementioned delegated act on 2 September 2024, the Council may object to it until 3 December 2024, in accordance with Article 6a(6) of Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006.
 3. During the written consultation of the Working Party on Statistics, which expired on 30 September 2024, one delegation raised concerns over the date of application of certain transmission requirements set in the delegated act.
 4. The members of the Working Party on Statistics examined the delegated act in an informal videoconference on 6 November 2024, where a majority of delegations expressed support to request an extension of the objection period.
 5. It is therefore suggested that the Permanent Representatives Committee recommend that the Council decides to extend the period for raising objections by three months, i.e. until 3 March 2025, in accordance with Article 6a(6) of Regulation (EC) No 1893/2006.
 6. The Commission and the European Parliament are to be informed accordingly.
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