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Subject: Consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee by the Council

Consultation of the European Committee of the Regions by the Council

on a Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council suspending the application of the rules on the appointment of authorised representatives for extended producer responsibility for waste, waste electrical and electronic equipment and single use plastic waste

[ref. 2025/0396 (COD) - COM (2025) 983 final - 16754/25]

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In accordance with the procedure adopted by the Council (see Article 12(2)(c) of its Rules of Procedure), we hereby submit the above consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee and the European Committee of the Regions on the proposal in the subject for approval by the Council.

Please email any comments to [consultations@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:consultations@consilium.europa.eu) by **16:00 on Friday 20 March 2026**.

If no comments are received by that deadline, the decision to consult both Committees will be deemed to have been adopted.