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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Joint Committee established by the Euro-Mediterranean Aviation Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part and the government of the State of Israel, of the other part - Adoption

1. The Commission submitted the above-mentioned proposal for a Council Decision on 27 November 2020.
2. The proposal concerns the decision establishing the position to be taken on the Union's behalf in the Joint Committee set up by the Euro-Mediterranean Aviation Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, on the one part, and the government of the State of Israel, of the other part¹ adopting the Rules of procedure of the Joint Committee.

¹ OJ L 208, 2.8.2013, p. 3.

3. The Euro-Mediterranean Aviation Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the government of the State of Israel, of the other part, entered into force on 2 August 2020. The Joint Committee established in Article 22 of the Euro-Mediterranean Aviation Agreement is responsible for the administration of the Agreement and ensures its proper implementation.
4. The Aviation Working Party examined the draft Council Decision² and its annex³ on 3 December 2020.
5. The texts, as agreed upon at the Working Party, have been prepared by the Council's legal-linguistic service⁴.
6. Consequently, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to confirm the Working Party's agreement and to suggest to Council to adopt the Council Decision together with its annex as set out in documents 13482/20 and 13483/20 as a "I/A" item at one of its forthcoming sessions.

² Doc. 13462/20
³ Doc. 13462/20 ADD 1
⁴ Doc. 13482/20 + 13483/20