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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)/Council
Subject:	Amended proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the conclusion of the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Moldova, of the other part – Statement by Spain

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Delegations will find in annex the statement by Spain on the Request for the consent of the European Parliament concerning the Aviation Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Moldova, of the other part.

**Statement by Spain**

**Coreper I, 4 December 2019**

**Items 12, 13 and 15 of the agenda**

*(Council Decisions on the conclusion of aviation agreements with Jordan, Moldova and Israel)*

**Statement by Spain to be added to the minutes of the Coreper I and Council meetings**

*Spain hereby declares that the adoption of this Decision does not affect its legal position on the sovereignty dispute concerning the territory in which Gibraltar Airport is situated. Spain notes that on 20 November 2012 it informed the Commission that it no longer considered the Córdoba Statement to be in force and therefore, as from that date, it did not consider it acceptable to continue making reference to the Ministerial Statement of 18 September 2006 on Gibraltar Airport (Córdoba Statement) in European Union civil aviation legislation and accordingly requested a return to the situation prior to 18 September 2006 in any proposals for new legislation.*

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