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In ST 6351/19 INIT:

Article 49aa, page 15, should read:

Article 49aa

[...]

2. The Commission shall adopt such authorisation decisions or decisions on refusal to authorise a Member State to amend, extend, adapt or renew or conclude an agreement with a third country within 90 days of receipt of the [] notification referred to in paragraph 01. **++[Such decisions shall be adopted in accordance with the advisory procedure referred to in Article 51a of this Directive.]**

- 2a. In the event that the Commission does not grant an authorisation pursuant to paragraph 1, it shall inform the Member State concerned thereof and state the reasons.
- 2aa. Where additional information is needed to take a decision, the 90-day period shall run from the date of receipt of the additional information. *(text of the negotiation mandate reinstated)* The decision shall be adopted in accordance with the advisory procedure referred to in Article 4 of Regulation [] 182/2011. The Commission shall be assisted by a committee.

Article 51a, page 17, is deleted:

(11) The following Article is inserted:

Article 51a

1. The Commission shall be assisted by a committee. That committee shall be a committee within the meaning of Regulation (EU) No 182/2011.
2. Where reference is made to this paragraph, Article 4 of Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 shall apply.