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To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

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Subject: Draft Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on  
minimum requirements for water reuse **(first reading)**  
- Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of  
the Council's reasons  
= Statement

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**Statement by the Commission for the COREPER minutes**

The Commission acknowledges that microplastics are substances of emerging concern in relation to water quality. In the light hereof, and considering that this is a general issue not limited to reclaimed water only, the Commission undertakes to pursue its efforts to further address this important issue.