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From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council

Subject: Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the establishment of a Union framework for the collection, management and use of data in the fisheries sector and support for scientific advice regarding the Common Fisheries Policy and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 199/2008 (recast) **(first reading)**
- Adoption of the legislative act

1. On 18 June 2015 the Commission sent its proposal¹, based on Article 43(2) of the TFEU, to the Council.
2. The European Economic and Social Committee delivered its opinion on 16 September 2015². The Committee of the Regions delivered its opinion on 10 February 2016³.
3. The European Parliament adopted its position at first reading on the Commission proposal on 16 March 2017. The outcome of voting in the European Parliament reflects the compromise agreement reached between the institutions and should, therefore, be acceptable to the Council⁴.

¹ 10143/15.

² OJ C 13, 15.1.2016, p. 201.

³ OJ C 120, 5.4.2016, p. 40.

⁴ 7241/17.

4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to confirm its agreement and to suggest that the Council approve the European Parliament's position, as set out in PE-CONS 6/17, as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

If the Council approves the European Parliament's position, the legislative act will be adopted.

After being signed by the President of the European Parliament and the President of the Council, the legislative act will be published in the Official Journal of the European Union.
