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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Draft Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on cross-border portability of online content services in the internal market <b>(first reading)</b> - Adoption of the legislative act

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1. On 10 December 2015 the Commission sent its proposal<sup>1</sup>, based on Article 114 TFEU, to the Council.
2. The European Economic and Social Committee delivered its opinion on 27 April 2016<sup>2</sup>. The Committee of the Regions delivered its opinion on 8 April 2016<sup>3</sup>.
3. The European Parliament adopted its position at first reading on the Commission proposal on 18 May 2017. The outcome of voting in the European Parliament reflects the compromise agreement reached between the institutions and should, therefore, be acceptable to the Council<sup>4</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> 15302/15.

<sup>2</sup> OJ C 264, 20.7.2016, p. 86.

<sup>3</sup> OJ C 240, 1.7.2016, p. 72.

<sup>4</sup> 9411/17.

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 9/17, 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.

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