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Subject: Draft REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL amending Regulation (EU) No 654/2014 concerning the exercise of the Union's rights for the application and enforcement of international trade rules [2019/0273 (COD)]

Initiation of the written procedure:

- Adoption of the legislative act, and
 - Approval of the joint declarations
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Following the decision of the Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2) on 29 January 2021 to use the written procedure, please state:

- 1) whether you agree to the adoption of the draft Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 654/2014 concerning the exercise of the Union's rights for the application and enforcement of international trade rules, as set out in document PE-CONS 52/20.

Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION.

- 2) whether you agree to the approval of the draft joint declarations as set out in document 5448/21 ADD 2 and their publication in the Official Journal of the European Union together with the Commission statement and declarations, as set out in document 5448/21 ADD1 REV1.

Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION.

Any unilateral statements should be made at the same time as answering the question, except for those already made at Coreper¹.

Replies to both questions by e-mail to codecision.adoption@consilium.europa.eu must reach the General Secretariat of the Council at the latest by **Wednesday, 3 February 2021 at 10.00 (Brussels time)**.

¹ 5448/21 ADD 1 REV 1.