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General Secretariat

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## **COMMUNICATION**

### **WRITTEN PROCEDURE**

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Subject: Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the World Customs Organization (WCO) with regard to the adoption of Explanatory Notes, Classification Opinions or other advice on the interpretation of the Harmonized System and recommendations to secure uniformity in the interpretation of the Harmonized System under the Harmonised System Convention

- Adoption
- Initiation of written procedure

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Following the decision by the Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2) on 11 November 2020 to use the written procedure, please state whether you agree to the adoption of Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the World Customs Organization (WCO) with regard to the adoption of Explanatory Notes, Classification Opinions or other advice on the interpretation of the Harmonized System and recommendations to secure uniformity in the interpretation of the Harmonized System under the Harmonised System Convention, as set out in documents 11650/20 and 11651/20 (texts revised by legal/linguistic experts).

Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION.

Any unilateral statements should be made separately.

Replies by e-mail to [customs2B@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:customs2B@consilium.europa.eu) must reach the General Secretariat of the Council by **Friday, 13 November 2020, 17:00 (Brussels time)**.

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