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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

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

Subject: Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union at the Extraordinary Conference of the Energy Charter Treaty on 24th June 2022
- Adoption

1. On 13 June 2022, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union at the Extraordinary Conference of the Energy Charter Treaty on 24th June 2022.
2. The proposal concerns several acts to be adopted in relation to the following points: (i) amendment of the Rules of Procedure of the Energy Charter Conference, (ii) withdrawal of the status of the Russian Federation as an observer to the Conference, and (iii) suspension of the provisional application of the Energy Charter Treaty in relation to Belarus and suspension of the status of Belarus as an observer to the Energy Charter Treaty.
3. The preliminary draft of the proposal was presented and discussed by the Working Party on Energy on 7 June 2022. The content of the draft of 13 June is exactly the same.

4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to:

- confirm the agreement on the draft Council Decision,
 - recommend that the Council adopt the draft Council Decision, as set out in 10089/22, as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting,
 - note that the European Parliament will be informed and the position will be transmitted to the European Parliament.
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