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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION (EU) 2025/..... concerning the issuance of a commemorative coin with a common design celebrating 25 years since the 2004 EU enlargement - Adoption

1. Pursuant to Article 4(3) of Regulation (EU) No 651/2012 on the issuance of euro coins, the decision whether to issue commemorative coins with a common design collectively issued by all Member States whose currency is the euro is to be taken by the Council.
2. On 21 May 2025, the Euro Coin Subcommittee agreed on the issuance in 2029 of a common commemorative coin celebrating 25 years since the 2004 EU enlargement.
3. On 13 June 2025, the Economic and Financial Committee endorsed the principle of a common commemorative issuance for 2029, as set out in document ST 11674/25.
4. The Permanent Representatives Committee could therefore invite the Council to adopt, as an 'A' item at one of its forthcoming meetings, the relevant Council implementing decision, as finalised by the lawyer-linguists and set out in document ST 11713/25.