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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
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Subject:	Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement between the European Union and the Government of the People's Republic of China on cooperation on, and protection of, geographical indications as regards the adoption of the rules of procedure of the Joint Committee - Adoption

1. On 18 August 2022, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for the above-mentioned Council Decision (doc. 11860/22 + ADD 1).

2. The Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) was consulted on this text and endorsed it as modified to take into account some necessary adjustments.

3. In the light of the above, and subject to confirmation by the Permanent Representatives Committee, the Council is invited to:

   - adopt the Council Decision as finalised by the legal-linguistic experts and set out in documents 11862/22 and 11863/22;

- decide to order the publication in the Official Journal of the European Union of the Decision of the EU - Colombia, Peru, Ecuador Trade Committee, as set out in document 11863/22, once adopted;

- note that the European Parliament will be informed in accordance with Article 218(10) TFEU, and that the Council Decision will be transmitted to the Parliament; and

- decide to enter in its minutes the statement contained in the addendum to this note.