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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee
Subject:	Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on Own Resourves on 8 October 2021 *- Approval*

1. On 25 June 2021, the Commission submitted a proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 609/2014 in order to enhance predictability for Member States and to clarify procedures for dispute resolution when making available the traditional, VAT and GNI based own resources[1].

2. The European Court of Auditors is expected to deliver its opinion on the Commission proposal on 5 October 2021.

3. The Presidency considers that it is in the interest of the Council to allow the Court to present its opinion to delegations during the informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on Own Resources (WPOR) on 8 October 2021 and to provide delegations with the opportunity to ask questions on the opinion.

[1] Doc. 10135/21 (COM(2021) 327 final).

4. The Presidency therefore intends to invite representatives of the Court to attend the informal videoconference of the members of the WPOR on 8 October 2021.

5. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to approve this attendance, in accordance with its responsibilities under the Council's Rules of Procedure.