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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Commission non-paper in relation to the position to be taken on behalf of the Union on the point of the Agenda of the OIV General Assembly of 4 November 2022 concerning the modification and adaptation of OIV's Internal Rules

Delegations will find attached a non-paper of the Commission in relation to the position to be taken on behalf of the Union on the point of the Agenda of the OIV General Assembly of 4 November 2022 concerning the modification and adaptation of OIV's Internal Rules.



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**NOTE FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT OF THE COUNCIL
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Subject: Non-paper of the Commission in relation to the General Assembly of the OIV to be held on 4 November 2022

Please find attached a non-paper of the Commission in relation to the position to be taken on behalf of the Union on the point of the Agenda of the OIV General Assembly of 4 November 2022 concerning the modification and adaptation of OIV's Internal Rules.

[e-signed]

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Annex: Non-paper



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Non-Paper of the European Commission in relation to the point in the OIV agenda of the General Assembly of 4 November 2022 concerning the modification and adaptation of OIV's Internal Rules

By letter of 29 July 2022, the OIV Director General informed OIV member states of his decision to initiate the procedure of article 28 of the Internal Rules to amend or complete these, after the Executive Committee's favourable opinion, and provided them with proposals to modify the OIV Internal Rules of Procedure.

These modifications concern:

- the representation of Presidents,
- the functioning of electronic working groups,
- the Rules Committee,
- the effective participation or presence and
- the housing allocation.

They should be presented to the General Assembly of 4 November 2022 in Mexico.

The European Commission considers that these proposals do not raise concerns in terms of effects for the European Union legal order.

Therefore, they could be supported by the EU in the OIV General Assembly of 4 November 2022.

Reference	Modification or adaptation	Topic	European Commission's opinion
AG_REG_2022_01_SupplPdt	Article 9 et 10.10.a	Representation of Presidents	Can be supported
AG_REG_2022_02_EWG	Article 10.16 et 11.8	Electronic Working Group	Can be supported
AG_REG_2022_03_RulesCom	article 28.1	Rules Committee	Can be supported
AG_REG_2022_04_Effective	Annex 2	Effective participation or presence	Can be supported
AG_REG_2021_05_Housing	article 70	Housing allocation	Can be supported