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SUMMARY RECORD

Subject: 2369th meeting of the PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE
(Part 1) held in Brussels on 22 June 2011

EXTRACT OF THE SUMMARY RECORD

22. **Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of the Protocol setting out the fishing opportunities and financial compensation provided for in the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Morocco**
- **Adoption**
 - 11121/11 PECHE 140
 - 11225/11 PECHE 145
 - 11455/11 PECHE 155
23. **Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of a Protocol setting out the fishing opportunities and financial compensation provided for in the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Kingdom of Morocco**
- **Request by the Council for the consent of the European Parliament**
 - 11122/11 PECHE 141
 - 11226/11 PECHE 146
 - 11455/11 PECHE 155
24. **Proposal for a Council Regulation concerning the allocation of the fishing opportunities under the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Morocco**
- **Adoption**
 - 11137/11 PECHE 142
 - 11229/11 PECHE 148
 - 11455/11 PECHE 155

The Committee examines the package of three proposals aiming at putting into force a new fisheries protocol with Morocco, which was initialled on 25 February 2011 and covers the period 28 February 2011 to 27 February 2012. These points are examined to establish whether a qualified majority exists in favour of the proposals.

The Commission representative presents the Commission's analysis of the question of benefits to the region. The Commission considers on the basis of the information received that the agreement provides socio-economic benefits for the region, including Western Sahara.

EE, ES, FR, IT, LV, MT and PT consider the contents of the protocol in line with the mandate and support its adoption. DK and SE indicate that they will probably vote against the proposals. UK expects to abstain.

AT, DE, FI, IE and NL reserve their position while scrutinizing the information available.

The Presidency concludes that no qualified majority exists at the moment while recognising that several delegations have yet to finalise their position. The Presidency will decide on the further handling of this text once the position of delegations with scrutiny reservations is known.