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Partnership on Metrology jointly undertaken by several Member States  
- Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the trilogue  
- Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement  
- *Statement by Poland*

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**ANNEX**

**Proposal for a DECISION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL  
on the participation of the Union in the European Partnership on Metrology jointly  
undertaken by several Member States**

**Oświadczenie Polski**

Równość kobiet i mężczyzn została zapisana w traktatach Unii Europejskiej jako podstawowe prawo. Polska zapewnia równość kobiet i mężczyzn w ramach polskiego krajowego systemu prawnego zgodnie z międzynarodowymi traktatami praw człowieka oraz w ramach podstawowych wartości i zasad Unii Europejskiej. Z tych powodów w wyrażeniach zawierających termin płeć (gender), Polska będzie interpretowała ją jako równość kobiet i mężczyzn zgodnie z art. 8 TFUE.

***English courtesy translation***

**Statement by Poland**

Equality between women and men is enshrined in the treaties of the European Union as a fundamental right. Poland ensures equality between women and men within the framework of the Polish national legal system in accordance with internationally binding human rights instruments and within the framework of fundamental values and principles of the European Union. For these reasons, in wordings referring to gender Poland will interpret it as a equality between women and men, according to Article 8 TFEU.