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## **INFORMATION NOTE**

From:

Legal Service

To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)

Subject: Case brought before the Court of Justice

Case C-512/23 Poland / Parliament and Council

Action for annulment of Regulation (EU) 2023/956 establishing a carbon border adjustment mechanism

## DOCUMENT PARTIALLY ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC (28.09.2023)

- By an application notified to the Council on 18 August 2023, the Republic of Poland has brought an action, pursuant to Article 263 TFEU, for the annulment of Regulation (EU) 2023/956 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 May 2023 establishing a carbon border adjustment mechanism.
- 2. In support of its application, the applicant puts forward a single plea submitting that the Regulation should have been adopted on the basis of Article 192(2)(a) TFEU, and not Article 192(1) TFEU, as it allegedly constitutes a measure primarily of fiscal nature.
- 3. As one of the defendants, the Council is required, under Article 124(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the Court of Justice, to lodge a defence within two months of the notification of the application.

4. The Director-General of the Legal Service has appointed **DELETED**, **DELETED**, **DELETED**, and **DELETED**, legal advisers in the Council Legal Service, as the Council's agents in this case.