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| From: | General Secretariat of the Council |
| To: | Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)/Council |
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| Subject: | Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union at the 19th meeting of the Ministerial Council of the Energy Community as regards the appointment of the Director of the Energy Community Secretariat<br>- Adoption |

1. On 12 October 2021, the Commission submitted a proposal to the Council on the position to be adopted on behalf of the Union at the Ministerial Council meeting of the Energy Community, to be held in Belgrade, Serbia on 25 November 2021. The proposal covers the agenda item on the appointment of the Director of the Energy Community Secretariat.

2. The Working Party on Energy examined the above proposal at its meetings on 14 October and 28 October 2021 and reached agreement on the text as set out in the annex to this note.

3. In light of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to:
   – confirm its agreement on the text of the Council decision as set out in document 13181/21;
   – suggest to the Council to adopt the draft Decision as set out in 13181/21.