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Subject:	Council Decision on the position to be taken, on behalf of the European Union, in the Council for Trade in Goods of the World Trade Organization as regards the rules of procedure of the Committee on Trade Facilitation - Adoption

1. On 15 October 2019, the Commission submitted to the Council the above-mentioned proposal (doc. 13140/19 + ADD 1).

2. On 25 October 2019, the Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) examined and endorsed the proposal, as modified to take into account some necessary adjustments.

3. In the light of the above, and subject to confirmation by the Permanent Representatives' Committee[1], the Council is invited to:

- adopt the Council Decision as finalised by the legal-linguistic experts and set out in document 13143/19;

- note that the European Parliament will be informed in accordance with Article 218(10) TFEU, and that the Decision will be transmitted to the Parliament.

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[1] At the meeting of the Permanent Representatives' Committee on 6 November 2019, the United Kingdom indicated its intention to abstain.