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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Draft REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on compulsory licensing for crisis management and amending Regulation (EC) 816/2006 (first reading) - Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons

1. On 27 April 2023 the Commission submitted its proposal¹, based on Articles 114 and 207 TFEU, to the Council.
2. The European Economic and Social Committee delivered its opinion on 20 September 2023².
3. The European Parliament adopted its position at first reading on 13 March 2024³.
4. The Permanent Representatives Committee confirmed on 13 June 2025 the provisional agreement reached by the co-legislators on the above Regulation⁴, after informal contacts had taken place between the Council and the European Parliament.

¹ 8901/23 + ADD 1 to 5.

² OJ C, C/2023/865, 8.12.2023, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/C/2023/865/oj>

³ 10634/24.

⁴ 9765/25.

5. On 24 June 2025 the European Parliament's Committee on Legal Affairs (JURI) confirmed the provisional agreement. Subsequently, its Chair sent a letter to the Chair of the Permanent Representatives Committee stating that the European Parliament should, at its second reading, approve the Council's position at first reading (following a legal-linguistic revision) without amendments⁵.
6. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to suggest that the Council adopt its position at first reading, as set out in 10498/25, and the statement of reasons, as set out in 10498/25 ADD1, as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

⁵ 11109/25.