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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 the statute and funding of European political parties and European political foundations (recast) **(first reading)** - Adoption of the legislative act

1. On 25 November 2021 the Commission submitted its proposal[1], based on Article 224 TFEU and Article 106a of the Euratom Treaty, to the Council.

2. The European Economic and Social Committee delivered its opinion on 23 February 2022[2].

3. The Court of Auditors delivered its opinion on 7 April 2022[3].

4. The Committee of the Regions delivered its opinion on 28 April 2022[4].

[1] 14386/21 + ADD 1 - 4.
[2] OJ C 275, 18.7.2022, p. 66.
[3] OJ C 182, 4.5.2022, p. 14.
[4] OJ C 301, 5.8.2022, p. 102.

5. On 21 October 2025 the European Parliament adopted its position at first reading on the Commission proposal[5]. The outcome of voting in the European Parliament reflects the compromise agreement reached between the institutions and should, therefore, be acceptable to the Council.

6. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to confirm its agreement and to suggest that the Council approve the European Parliament's position, as set out in PE-CONS 34/25, as an "A" item at a forthcoming meeting.

7. The statement for the minutes of the Council meeting is set out in the Addendum to this note.

8. If the Council approves the European Parliament's position, the legislative act will be adopted.

   After being signed by the Presidents of the European Parliament and of the Council, the legislative act will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

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[5] 14247/25.