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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 laying down additional procedural rules on the enforcement of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 **(first reading)** - Adoption of the legislative act

1. On 4 July 2023 the Commission submitted its proposal[1], based on Article 16 TFEU, to the Council.

2. The European Data Protection Supervisor and the European Data Protection Board delivered a joint opinion on 19 September 2023[2].

3. The European Economic and Social Committee delivered its opinion on 13 December 2023[3].

[1] 11657/23 + ADD 1 + COR 1.
[2] 13279/23.
[3] OJ C, C/2024/1578, 5.3.2024, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/C/2024/1578/oj.

4. On 21 October 2025 the European Parliament adopted its position at first reading on the Commission proposal[4]. The outcome of voting in the European Parliament reflects the compromise agreement reached between the institutions and should, therefore, be acceptable to the Council.

5. 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 31/25, as an "A" item at a forthcoming meeting.

6. The statements for the minutes of the Council meeting are set out in the Addendum to this note.

7. 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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[4] 14283/25.