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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee
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Subject:	Council Decision on the financial contributions to be paid by the parties to the European Development Fund to finance that fund specifying the ceiling for 2026, the annual amount for 2025, the amount of the first instalment for 2025 and an indicative, non-binding forecast for the expected annual amounts of contributions for the years 2027 and 2028 - Decision to use the written procedure for the adoption

1. On 3 October 2024, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for a Council Decision on the financial contributions to be paid by the parties to the European Development Fund to finance that fund specifying the ceiling for 2026, the annual amount for 2025, the amount of the first instalment for 2025 and an indicative and non-binding forecast for the expected annual amounts of contributions for the years 2027 and 2028[1].

2. The ACP Working Party examined the Commission proposal and agreed on the text of the draft Council Decision on 5 November 2024.

[1] 14129/24 + ADD 1.

3. In view of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is accordingly invited:

– to confirm its agreement on the text of the Council Decision on the financial contributions to be paid by the parties to the European Development Fund to finance that fund, specifying the ceiling for 2026, the annual amount for 2025, the amount of the first instalment for 2025 and an indicative, non-binding forecast for the expected annual amounts of contributions for the years 2027 and 2028, as set out, after legal-linguistic finalisation, in document 14166/24, and

– to decide, in accordance with the first subparagraph of Article 12(1) of the Council's Rules of Procedure and Article 1 of Council Decision 2020/430, that the Council uses the written procedure for its adoption.