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**'I/A' ITEM NOTE**

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council
No. Cion doc.:	11505/23 + ADD 1-7 and 11506/23 + ADD 1-7
Subject:	<p>Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of the interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union, of the one part, and the Republic of Chile, of the other part</p> <p>- Adoption</p> <p>and</p> <p>Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union, of the one part, and the Republic of Chile, of the other part</p> <p>- Request for the consent of the European Parliament</p>

1. On 5 July 2023, the Commission submitted to the Council:
  - a) a proposal for a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, of the Interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union and the Republic of Chile (ST 11505/23 + ADD 1-7); and
  - b) a proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the Interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union and the Republic of Chile (ST 11506/23 + ADD 1-7).

2. The above-mentioned proposals were examined by the Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) at its meeting of 6 July 2023 and endorsed, with amendments to take into account a number of necessary adjustments, on 20 July 2023.
3. In light of the above, and subject to confirmation by the Permanent Representatives' Committee, the Council is invited to:
- adopt the Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, of the Interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union and the Republic of Chile as finalised by the legal-linguistic experts and set out in document 11666/23 and 11668/23 + ADD 1-2
  - note that the European Parliament will be informed in accordance with Article 218(10) TFEU and that the Council Decision on the signing will be transmitted to the European Parliament;
  - decide to forward the draft Decision on the conclusion of the Interim Agreement on Trade between the European Union and the Republic of Chile as finalised by the legal linguistic experts and set out in documents 11667/23 and 11668/23 + ADD 1-2, to the European Parliament for its consent.
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