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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee
Subject:	Attendance of the EU Agency for the Space Programme (EUSPA) at the Working Party on Space on 18 December 2023
	- Approval

1. The EU Agency for the Space Programme (EUSPA) is tasked with the implementation of the space programme activities.
2. The Presidency would like to invite two representatives of EUSPA (the Executive Director and the interinstitutional officer) to inform the Working Party on Space about the latest activities of EUSPA.
3. The Presidency considers that this is in the interest of the Council and in line with the framework applicable to the occasional presence of third parties, including interest representatives, at meetings of the Council or of its preparatory bodies consolidated in the Comments on the Council's Rules of Procedure.
4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to approve the attendance of the EUSPA representatives at the Working Party on Space of 18 December 2023 for the specific agenda item mentioned above.