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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee
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Subject:	Public access to documents - Confirmatory application No 27/c/02/20 - Decision to use the written procedure for adoption = Statements

Statement by the Netherlands

The Netherlands cannot concur with the draft reply to confirmatory application No 27/c/02/20. The Netherlands is of the opinion that it has not been sufficiently motivated that there is an actual and concrete risk that full disclosure of documents WK 9557/2020, WK 2871/2020 REV 1, WK 2871/2020 REV 2 would (seriously) undermine the protection of the public interest as regards the financial, monetary or economic policy of the Community or a Member State and the institution's decision-making process and this risk is reasonably foreseeable and not only hypothetical.