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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Council Decision appointing a member and two alternate members, proposed by the Republic of Slovenia, of the Committee of the Regions - Adoption

1. By letter of 10 January 2023¹, the Secretary-General of the Committee of the Regions notified the Council of the end of the mandate on the basis of which Ms Jasna GABRIČ was proposed for appointment and appointed.
2. Following the appointment of Mr Tine RADINJA and Mr Tomaž ROŽEN as members of the Committee of the Regions by Council Decision (EU) 2022/1678 of 26 September 2022², two alternate members' seats have become vacant.
3. Under Article 305 TFEU, the Council appoints members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions, acting by a qualified majority on proposals by the respective Member States.

¹ 5363/23.

² OJ L 252, 30.9.2022, p. 70.

4. In accordance with that provision, the Slovenian Government has proposed³ the appointment of Ms Jasna GABRIČ on the basis of a different local authority electoral mandate, *članica občinskega sveta, Občina Trbovlje* (member of the municipal council, Municipality of Trbovlje), as a member of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2025.
5. Moreover, the Slovenian Government has proposed the following representatives of local bodies who hold a local authority electoral mandate as alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2025: Mr Marko DIACI, *župan, Občina Šentjur* (Mayor, Municipality of Sentjur), and Mr Nejc SMOLE, *župan, Občina Medvode* (Mayor, Municipality of Medvode).
6. In view of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore invited to confirm its agreement on the text of the Decision set out in document 6309/23 and to suggest that the Council adopt that Decision as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

³ 6232/23.