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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee
Subject:	Recommendation for a COUNCIL DECISION on the approval of the withdrawal of the European Atomic Energy Community from the Energy Charter Treaty - Preparation for adoption

1. On 7 July 2023, the Commission submitted a Recommendation for a Council Decision on the approval of the withdrawal of the European Atomic Energy Community from the Energy Charter Treaty¹.
2. The proposal was discussed at the meeting of the Working Party on Energy on 5 September 2023, 13 and 20 February 2024, leading to a revised proposal. Changes can be seen in doc. 6514/24.

¹ 11691/23

3. It is the intention of the Presidency that, before the draft Council Decisions on the withdrawal of the Union and Euratom from the Energy Charter Treaty are presented to the Council for final adoption, subject to the consent of the European Parliament for the Union part, the Council should have in parallel completed the process for the draft Council Decisions on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union and Euratom in the relevant meeting of the Energy Charter Conference not exercising the Union/Euratom's right to vote and authorising Member States to approve or not to oppose the modernised Energy Charter Treaty, this with a view finally to adopt all draft Council Decisions by the Council on the same date.
4. In light of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to:
- confirm the agreement on the text of the draft Council Decision on the approval of the withdrawal of the European Atomic Energy Community from the Energy Charter Treaty as set out in doc. 6514/24;
 - agree to submit the text of the draft Council Decision on the approval of the withdrawal of the European Atomic Energy Community from the Energy Charter Treaty, after finalisation of the text by the legal-linguistic experts, to the Council for adoption as an A-item at one of its upcoming meetings.
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