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From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Council

Subject: Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION establishing the existence of a mass influx of displaced persons from Ukraine within the meaning of Article 5 of Council Directive 2001/55/EC of 20 July 2001, and having the effect of introducing temporary protection

– Statement of the Member States

Delegations will find attached a statement of the Member States to be entered in the Council minutes.

Statement of the Member States

With a view to supporting Member States who are the main entry points of the mass influx of displaced persons fleeing war from Ukraine covered by Council Implementing Decision of 4 March 2022 and to promoting a balance of efforts between all Member States, Member States agree not to apply Article 11 of Directive 2001/55/EC in relation to persons enjoying temporary protection in a given Member State in accordance with that Council Implementing Decision and moving to another Member State without authorisation unless on a bilateral basis Member States agree otherwise.
