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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
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Subject:	Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the World Customs Organization in relation to the Harmonised System
	- Adoption

- On 1 March 2019, <u>the Commission</u> submitted to the Council the above Proposal, based on Article 218(9) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.
- 2. On 8 March 2019, <u>the Working Party on Customs Union</u> examined the Proposal, and agreed on the text as laid down in doc. ST 7353/1/19 REV 1.
- 3. Against this background, the Permanent Representatives Committee could:
  - confirm the agreement reached within the Working Party, and
  - invite <u>the Council</u> to adopt the draft Decision as set out in doc. 7138/19 (text revised by legal/linguistic experts) as an item without discussion at one of its forthcoming meetings.