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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Draft REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL amending Protocol No 3 on the Statute of the Court of Justice of the European Union **(first reading)** - Adoption of the legislative act

1. On 30 November 2022, the Court of Justice of the European Union transmitted a request[1] under Article 281, second paragraph, TFEU for an amendment of Protocol No 3 on the Statute of the Court of Justice of the European Union.

2. The Commission delivered its opinion on 10 March 2023[2].

3. On 27 February 2024 the European Parliament adopted its position at first reading to the requested amendment to Protocol No 3 on the Statute of the Court of Justice. The outcome of voting in the European Parliament reflects the compromise agreement reached between the institutions and should, therefore, be acceptable to the Council[3].

1 15936/22.
2 7321/1/23 REV 1.
3 7155/24.

4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to confirm its agreement and to suggest that the Council approve the European Parliament's position, as set out in PE-CONS 85/23, as an "A" item at a forthcoming meeting.

5. The statement for the minutes of the Council meeting is set out in the Addendum to this note.

6. If the Council approves the European Parliament's position, the legislative act will be adopted.

   After being signed by the Presidents of the European Parliament and of the Council, the legislative act will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.