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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, proposed by the Federal Republic of Germany, of the Committee of the Regions
	- Adoption

- 1. By letter of 4 February 2022, the Secretary-General of the Committee of the Regions notified the Council of the resignation of Mr Mark WEINMEISTER, member of the Committee of the Regions.¹
- 2. Under Article 305 TFEU, members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions are appointed by the Council, acting by a qualified majority on proposals by the respective Member State.

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- 3. In accordance with that provision and for the purpose of the replacement of Mr WEINMEISTER, the German Government has proposed² Mr Uwe BECKER, representative of a regional body who is politically accountable to an elected assembly, *Staatssekretär für Europaangelegenheiten, politische Verantwortung gegenüber dem Hessischen Landtag* (State Secretary for European Affairs, politically accountable to the Parliament of the Federal State of Hesse), as a member of the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2025.
- 4. The Permanent Representatives Committee is therefore asked to suggest that the Council adopt the Decision set out in document 7422/22 as an 'A' item at a forthcoming meeting.

² 7281/22.

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