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Delegations will find in annex the statement by Spain on the Amended proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Air Transport Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the United States of America, of the other part (Irish language version).

ANNEX

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Item 30 on the agenda

Amended proposal for a Council Decision on the Air Transport Agreement between the European Union and the United States of America (Irish language version)

Statement by Spain to be added to the minutes of the Coreper I and Council meetings

Spain hereby declares that the adoption of this Decision does not affect its legal position on the sovereignty dispute concerning the territory in which Gibraltar Airport is situated. Spain notes that on 20 November 2012 it informed the Commission that it no longer considered the Córdoba Statement to be in force and therefore, as from that date, it did not consider it acceptable to continue making reference to the Ministerial Statement of 18 September 2006 on Gibraltar Airport (Córdoba Statement) in European Union civil aviation legislation and accordingly requested a return to the situation prior to 18 September 2006 in any proposals for new legislation.