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Delegations will find attached the correspondence table of articles and recitals, as well as the structure, of the Presidency text (clean version) as provided in document ST 16437/25.

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