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From: To:	General Secretariat of the Council Working Party on Energy
Subject:	Council Conclusions on energy security: FI comments (ST 8525/25)

Delegations will find in the annex the FI comments on the Council Counclusions on energy security (ST 8525/25).

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Finland's written Comments on the Draft Council Conclusions on strengthening the Energy Union through reinforcing energy security ST 8525/25

- Inclusion to the Conclusions a paragraph regarding the protection of critical infrastructure in the light of recent events:

There has been unprecedented frequency in damage to underwater infrastructure in the EU waters. Joint EU action is needed regarding security, resilience and repair of critical infrastructure and intend to cooperate on promoting regional and more efficient solutions and cooperation frameworks. The EU Action Plan on Cable Security recognizes the need for common cable repair capacity in the EU. Cooperation in funding would also be needed to repair the ruptures in the EU's common critical infrastructure and of those that can be identified as hybrid attacks.