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Subject:	Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2006/112/EC on the common system of value added tax, with regard to the duration of the obligation to respect a minimum standard rate – Adoption

1. On 16 December 2015 the Commission transmitted to the Council the above-mentioned proposal.
2. There were no objections raised against the substance of this derogation at the meeting of the Fiscal Counsellors/Attachés on 8 February 2016.
3. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to suggest that the Council
 - adopt the abovementioned Council Directive, as finalised by the legal/linguistic experts and set out in doc. 5931/16 FISC 16 ECOFIN 75, as an "A" item on the agenda of a forthcoming meeting.