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Subject: **Consultation of the European Economic and Social Committee by the Council**  
**Consultation of the European Central Bank**

**on a proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive (EU) 2015/849 on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing and amending Directive 2009/101/EC**

**[ref. 2016/0208 (COD) - COM(2016) 450 final - 10678/16]**

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In accordance with the procedure adopted by the Council (see Article 12(2)(c) of its Rules of Procedure), we hereby submit the above consultation for approval by the Council.

Please email any comments to [dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:dri.consult@consilium.europa.eu) by **12.00 on Friday 19 August 2016**.

If no objections are received by that deadline, the decision to consult will be deemed to have been taken.