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"I/A" ITEM NOTE

From : General Secretariat of Council

To : COREPER/Council

N° Cion prop : 13898/08 AVIATION 217 RELEX 725 CDN 7

Subject : Proposal for a Council decision on the signature of the Agreement between the European Community and Canada on civil aviation safety

- *Adoption*

1. This draft agreement is the result of the Commission's mandate to open negotiations with Canada on cooperation in the regulation of civil aviation safety, adopted by the Council on 21 April 2004.
2. The text of the above draft Council decision was examined by the Aviation Working Party, and the text, adjusted in light of that examination, has been prepared by the Legal Linguist Services¹.
3. FR, PL and UK have a Parliamentary reservation.
4. COREPER could now invite the Council to adopt the above draft Council decision, as it appears in Document 15561/08, so that the signature of the agreement can proceed.

¹ 15561/08 AVIATION 263 RELEX 890 CDN 10