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from: General Secretariat of the Council
to: Permanent Representatives Committee

Subject: Special Report No. 7/2009 concerning the management of the Galileo programme's development and validation phase

1. On 1 July 2009, the General Secretariat of the Council received Special Report No. 7/2009 concerning the management of the Galileo programme's development and validation phase together with the Commission's replies (11860/09 FIN 248 TRANS 278 MAR 102 AVIATION 101 CAB 29 RECH 227).
2. Under the rules laid down in the Council conclusions on improving the examination of Special Reports drawn up by the Court of Auditors¹, it is suggested that the Permanent Representatives Committee instruct the Working Party on Transport - Intermodal Questions and Networks to examine that report in accordance with those rules.

¹ 7515/00 FIN 127 + COR 1.