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Statement by the Council and the Commission

The Council and the Commission confirm that the Genval criteria, as reviewed by the Council (Ecofin) on 08.10.02, remain the principles on which any future macrofinancial assistance should continue to be based upon.

Statement by the Council

In giving its consent, the Council emphasises the fact that in view of the general review of the Comitology Decision 1999/468/EC of 28 June 1999, the envisaged creation of an advisory committee to monitor implementation of macro-financial assistance for Moldavia does not set forth a precedent for subsequent legislative proposals on macro-financial assistance. The Council supports further discussions with the European Parliament to agree on a joint approach to the macro-financial assistance in the light of the Genval criteria in the version of 8 October 2002.