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Delegations will find in Annex the notification of the wish of Latvia to join enhanced cooperation on the draft Regulation.



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Subject: *Draft Regulation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office - Information to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on the wish to participate in the establishment of enhanced cooperation*

Dear Sirs,

Following the notifications by sixteen Member States to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on 3 April 2017, the authorisation to proceed with enhanced cooperation referred to in Article 20(2) TEU and Article 329(1) TFEU is deemed to be granted and the provisions on enhanced cooperation apply as from 3 April 2017, in accordance with the third subparagraph of Article 86(1) TFEU.

Following the said authorisation, the Republic of Latvia hereby informs the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission of its wish to participate in the establishment of enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office.

Yours sincerely,

Minister for Justice  
of the Republic of Latvia

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