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**DECISION No. 1215
RECOMMENDATION TO ADOPT A DECISION ON THE
OSCE CHAIRMANSHIP IN THE YEAR 2018**

The Permanent Council,

Taking note of the letter of the Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation of Italy from 15 June 2016 (CIO.GAL/95/16) expressing Italy's readiness to assume the OSCE Chairmanship in the year 2018,

1. Requests the Chairperson of the Permanent Council to transmit to the Chairperson-in-Office the draft decision of the Ministerial Council on the OSCE Chairmanship in the year 2018 (MC.DD/4/16 of 24 June 2016);
2. Recommends to the Ministerial Council the adoption of this decision through a silence procedure with the period of silence expiring on 27 July 2016, at noon CET.