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NOTE FOR SECRETARY GENERAL OF EURODEFENSE

Don Arturo Fernández, President of EURODEFENSE-ESPAÑA and acting President of the Council of EURODEFENSE in 2012, would like to know the actions that have been taken following the decisions undertaken in Brussels by our Presidents during the meeting of the Plenary that took place the 23rd October 2012. As you know, General Yaniz, Chairman of EWG-14, explained during that meeting the process of drafting the Note for the press that was decided in Baden. The final draft presented was approved at EWG-14 level and *it was agreed by the Presidents as the definitive text of the Note with the introduction of a minor stylistic changed suggested by the representative of EURODEFENSE-UK.*

The then Council President, Admiral Herteeler, suggested that the Note were sent *as soon as possible* to EU senior authorities (Lady Ashton and the Chairman of the EUMC were mentioned) with a letter of the President of EURODEFENSE (Admiral Herteeler). Later and once the reactions of those authorities were received, the President will inform members of EURODEFENSE and each national Association will remit the Note to pertinent national authorities. After this process is completed the Note (in the national language version) will be sent to the Press for publication. *All Presidents present agreed upon this procedure.*

Thank you, beforehand, for your kind information

With my best wishes

Manuel Bretón
Secretary General EURODEFENSE-ESPAÑA