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on behalf of the European Commission
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The Commission monitors the proper implementation and application of EU law, including of Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939¹ ('the EPPO Regulation'), by the Member States. To this end, the Commission contracted an external study on the implementation of the EPPO Regulation that was finalised in September 2023². The study highlighted possible issues of implementation of the national systems of all Member States participating in the EPPO at the time with the EPPO Regulation. Further to the study, the Commission has been in touch with the competent authorities of all those Member States, including Croatia, and it is currently assessing the appropriate follow-up to ensure the proper implementation of the EPPO Regulation across Member States.

¹ Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 of 12 October 2017 implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office ('the EPPO'), OJ L 283, 31.10.2017, p. 1–71.

² https://www.europarl.europa.eu/cmsdata/280160/Final%20Report%20-%20DG%20JUST%20Study%20on%20the%20EPPO%20-%202029.09.2023_en.pdf