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Subject: COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement between the European Community and the Principality of Monaco on the application of certain Community Acts on the territory of the Principality of Monaco concerning amendments to the Annex to that Agreement

COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2026/...

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on the application of certain Community acts
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concerning amendments to the Annex to that Agreement**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 207(4), first subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 218(9), thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 2003/885/EC of 17 November 2003 concerning the conclusion of the Agreement on the application of certain Community acts on the territory of the Principality of Monaco¹, and in particular Article 3(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

¹ OJ L 332, 19.12.2003, p. 41, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2003/885/oj>.

Whereas:

- (1) The Agreement between the European Community and the Principality of Monaco on the application of certain Community acts on the territory of the Principality of Monaco² (the ‘Agreement’) was concluded by the Community by means of Council Decision 2003/885/EC.
- (2) Pursuant to Article 1(1) of the Agreement, the Joint Committee established by Article 3(1) thereof (the ‘Joint Committee’) is able to amend the Annex to the Agreement in order to ensure that Union acts falling within the scope of the Agreement apply on the territory of the Principality of Monaco.
- (3) The Annex to the Agreement was last amended by Decision No 1/2013 of the Joint Committee³. Since the adoption of that Decision, the Union has adopted a number of acts that fall within the scope of the Agreement, while certain acts listed in the Annex to the Agreement have been repealed. The Joint Committee is scheduled to adopt, by written procedure, a decision amending the Annex to the Agreement in order to include the new acts that fall within the scope of the Agreement and remove the acts that have been repealed (the ‘Joint Committee Decision’).
- (4) The Joint Committee Decision will, if adopted, produce legal effects for the Union.

² OJ L 332, 19.12.2003, p. 42, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/agree_internation/2003/885/oj.

³ Decision No 1/2013 of the EU-Monaco Joint Committee established under the Agreement between the European Community and the Principality of Monaco on the application of certain Community acts on the territory of the Principality of Monaco of 12 July 2013 amending the Annex to the Agreement (OJ L 279, 19.10.2013, p. 73, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2013/513/oj>).

- (5) It is therefore appropriate to establish the position to be taken within the Joint Committee concerning the amendments to the Annex to the Agreement,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:



Article 1

The position to be taken on the Union's behalf within the Joint Committee established by Article 3(1) of the Agreement between the European Community and the Principality of Monaco on the application of certain Community acts on the territory of the Principality of Monaco shall be based on the draft Decision of the Joint Committee (the 'Joint Committee Decision') attached to this Decision.

Article 2

Minor technical changes to the position set out in the attached draft Joint Committee Decision may be agreed upon without a further decision of the Council.

Article 3

The Joint Committee Decision shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Article 4

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its adoption.

Done at ..., ...

For the Council
The President
