

**Brussels, 18 September 2026
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**INST 285
CMPT 7**

LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS

Subject: COUNCIL DECISION appointing a member of the Court of Auditors

COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2026/...

of ...

appointing a member of the Court of Auditors

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 286(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Republic of Austria,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament¹,

¹ Opinion of 16 September 2026 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

Whereas:

- (1) The term of office of Ms Helga BERGER expired on 31 July 2026.
- (2) The Republic of Austria has proposed that Mr Gerald LOACKER be appointed as a member of the Court of Auditors for the period from 1 October 2026 to 30 September 2032.
- (3) A member should therefore be appointed to the Court of Auditors,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Mr Gerald LOACKER is hereby appointed as a member of the Court of Auditors for the period from 1 October 2026 to 30 September 2032.

Article 2

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

Done at ..., ...

For the Council
The President
