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## LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS

Subject: COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the

Union, within the Trade Committee established by the Free Trade

Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Singapore, as regards the adoption of the rules of procedure of the Trade Committee

# **COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2022/...**

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on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the Union,
within the Trade Committee established by the Free Trade Agreement
between the European Union and the Republic of Singapore,
as regards the adoption of the rules of procedure of the Trade Committee

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Articles 91(1) and 100(2) and Article 207(4), first subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 218(9) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

#### Whereas:

- (1) The Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Singapore (the 'Agreement') was concluded by the Union by means of Council Decision 2019/1875<sup>1</sup>, and entered into force on 21 November 2019.
- (2) The Trade Committee was established by the Agreement.
- (3) Pursuant to Article 16.1, paragraph 4(f), of the Agreement, the Trade Committee may adopt its own rules of procedure.
- (4) It is therefore appropriate to establish the position to be adopted on the Union's behalf within the Trade Committee with regard to the adoption of its rules of procedure in order to ensure the effective implementation of the Agreement.
- (5) The position of the Union within the Trade Committee as regards the adoption of its rules of procedure should be based on the draft Decision of that committee attached to this Decision,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

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Council Decision (EU) 2019/1875 of 8 November 2019 on the conclusion of the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Singapore (OJ L 294, 14.11.2019, p. 1).

## Article 1

The position to be adopted, on the Union's behalf, within the Trade Committee established by the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Singapore, as regards the adoption of its rules of procedure ,shall be based on the draft Decision of that committee attached to this Decision.

### Article 2

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

Done at ...,

For the Council
The President