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From:	Mission of Switzerland to the European Union
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Delegations will find attached the notification from Switzerland regarding the fulfilment of its constitutional requirements of the above-mentioned Regulation.



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The Mission of Switzerland to the European Union presents its compliments to the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union and herewith informs, in accordance with Article 7, paragraph 2, letter b, of the agreement between the European Union, the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on the Swiss Confederation's association with the implementation, application and development of the Schengen acquis signed in Luxembourg on 26 October 2004, the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union about Switzerland's fulfilment of its constitutional requirements concerning the following exchange of notes:

[Exchange of notes of 14 August 2024 between Switzerland and the European Union regarding the acceptance of the Regulation (EU) 2024/1349 establishing a return border procedure, and amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1148]

Ref. 796.0.00-SD-437a/2024-073

The above mentioned exchange of notes shall enter into force on the date of the present note.

A copy of the present note is addressed to the European Commission, General Secretariat, SG.B.2, Brussels.

The Mission of Switzerland to the European Union avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union the assurances of its highest consideration

Brussels, 26 January 2026



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