



**COUNCIL OF  
THE EUROPEAN UNION**

**Brussels, 2 December 2009  
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**16937/09**

**INST 202**

**LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS**

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Subject: COUNCIL DECISION, taken by common accord with the  
President-elect of the Commission, adopting the list of the other persons  
whom the Council proposes for appointment as Members of  
the Commission

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**COUNCIL DECISION,  
taken by common accord  
with the President-elect of the Commission,**

**of**

**adopting the list of the other persons whom the Council proposes  
for appointment as Members of the Commission**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 17(3) and (4) and the second subparagraph of Article 17(7) thereof,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 106a thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) As a result of circumstances connected with the process of ratification of the Treaty of Lisbon, the Commission appointed on 22 November 2004 remained in office after 31 October 2009, pending completion of the process of appointment of the new Commission, in accordance with the provisions of the Treaty on European Union, as amended by the Treaty of Lisbon.
- (2) A new Commission, consisting of one national of each Member State, including its President and the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy, must be appointed until 31 October 2014.
- (3) The European Council nominated Mr José Manuel DURÃO BARROSO as the person put forward to the European Parliament as President of the Commission, and the European Parliament elected the proposed candidate.
- (4) In accordance with Article 18(1) of the Treaty on European Union, the European Council appoints the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy with the agreement of the President of the Commission.
- (5) The Council must adopt by common accord with the President-elect of the Commission the list of the other persons whom it proposes for appointment as Members of the Commission until 31 October 2014.

- (6) In accordance with Article 17(7), third subparagraph, of the Treaty on European Union, the President, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and the other Members of the Commission will be subject as a body to a vote of consent by the European Parliament,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

### *Article 1*

By common accord with Mr José Manuel DURÃO BARROSO, President-elect of the Commission, the Council proposes the following persons for appointment as Members of the Commission until 31 October 2014:

Mr Joaquín ALMUNIA AMANN

Mr László ANDOR

Mr Michel BARNIER

Mr Dacian CIOLOȘ

Mr John DALLI

Ms Maria DAMANAKI

Mr Karel DE GUCHT

Mr Štefan FÜLE

Ms Máire GEOGHEGAN-QUINN

Mr Johannes HAHN

Ms Connie HEDEGAARD

Ms Rumiana JELEVA

Mr Siim KALLAS

Ms Neelie KROES

Mr Janusz LEWANDOWSKI

Ms Cecilia MALMSTRÖM

Mr Günther H. OETTINGER

Mr Andris PIEBALGS

Mr Janez POTOČNIK

Ms Viviane REDING

Mr Olli REHN

Mr Maroš ŠEFČOVIČ

Mr Algirdas Gediminas ŠEMETA

Mr Antonio TAJANI

Ms Androulla VASSILIOU

*Article 2*

This Decision shall be forwarded to the European Parliament.

It shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels,

*For the Council*

*The President*

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