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From: General Secretariat of the Council  
To: Permanent Representatives Committee

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Subject: POLITICAL AND SECURITY COMMITTEE DECISION (CFSP) on the acceptance of a third State's contribution to the European Union maritime security operation to safeguard freedom of navigation in relation to the Red Sea crisis (EUNAVFOR ASPIDES) (EUNAVFOR ASPIEDES/2/2025)  
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1. On 4 February 2025, the Political and Security Committee, pursuant to Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/583 of 8 February 2024 on a European Union maritime security operation to safeguard freedom of navigation in relation to the Red Sea crisis (EUNAVFOR ASPIDES)<sup>1</sup>, and in particular Article 4(2) thereof, adopted the following decision:
  - POLITICAL AND SECURITY COMMITTEE DECISION (CFSP) on the acceptance of a third State's contribution to the European Union maritime security operation to safeguard freedom of navigation in relation to the Red Sea crisis (EUNAVFOR ASPIDES) (EUNAVFOR ASPIEDES/2/2025) as set out, after finalisation by the legal/linguistic experts, in document 5355/25 COPS 16 POLMIL 6 EUMC 26 MOG 3 MAMA 9 COAFR 9 CFSP/PESC 78 CSDP/PSDC 29 ATALANTA 2 PSC DEC 2.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L, 2024/583, 12.2.2024, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2024/583/oj>.

2. The Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to decide, in accordance with Article 19(7) (g) of the Council Rules of Procedure, that the above-mentioned PSC decision be published under "II Non-legislative acts" part of the Official Journal.
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