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DK Statement on the Council Decision on the EU position on supplying vehicle registration data to the UK (Vehicle Registration Data)

“The Trade and Cooperation Agreement is binding on all the Member States by virtue of Decision (EU) 2021/689, which has Article 217 TFEU as its substantive legal basis. Moreover, the TCA’s binding nature in relation to Member States with a special status in the field of JHA has been confirmed by the CJEU in the case C-479/21 PPU, Governor of Cloverhill Prison and Others.

Denmark notes that it is therefore taking part in the adoption and application of the proposed Council Decision, which implements the Trade and Cooperation Agreement.

Denmark has accepted the proposed text. It remains of paramount importance for Denmark that there can be no doubt as to Denmark’s full participation in relation to all parts of the Trade and Cooperation Agreement.”
