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Amended proposal for a

COUNCIL DECISION

**on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the Common Aviation Area
Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and Ukraine**

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

On 15 April 2014 the Commission adopted and subsequently submitted to the Council a proposal for a decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and Ukraine (COM(2014)17 final).

The present proposal amends the above-mentioned proposal. It accompanies the amended proposal for the decision on the signing, on behalf of the Union, and provisional application of the said Agreement. The proposed amendments are essentially of editorial nature.

In order to ease the examination by the Council, the whole of the relevant text is submitted as an amended proposal.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union and in particular Article 100 (2), in conjunction with Article 218 (6) point (a) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

Having regard to the consent of the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) In accordance with Council Decision [xxxx/xx]¹ the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and Ukraine (the ‘Agreement’) was signed on (xx/xx/xxxx), subject to its conclusion at a later date.
- (2) The Agreement has been ratified by all Member States.
- (3) The Agreement should be approved on behalf of the Union.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and Ukraine is hereby approved on behalf of the Union.

¹ Council Decision of [xx/xx/xxxx] on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and Ukraine (OJ L [xx], [xx], p. [xx]).

Article 2

The President of the Council shall designate the person empowered to proceed on behalf of the Union to the notification provided for in Article 38 of the Agreement in order to express the consent of the Union to be bound by the Agreement.

Article 3

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

The President

[...]