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COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING DECISION

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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2021/947 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 June 2021 establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe amending and repealing Decision No 466/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU) 2017/1601 and Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 480/2009¹, and in particular Article 16 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 14(1) of Regulation (EU) 2021/947 provides that the implementation of the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe is to be carried out for geographic programmes through multiannual country and multi-country indicative programmes.
- (2) In accordance with Article 9(5) of Council Decision (EU) 427/2010², this multiannual indicative programme has been prepared jointly by the European External Action Service (EEAS) and the relevant services in the Commission under the guidance of the Commissioner responsible for Neighbourhood and Enlargement, and submitted jointly with the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy/Vice-President of the Commission to the College of Commissioners for adoption by the Commission. The multiannual indicative programme for Palestine for the period 2021-2024 should be adopted by the Commission on behalf of the European Union.
- (3) To increase the impact of collective cooperation of the Union, the joint programming document for Palestine, which fulfils the conditions laid down in Article 14(4) of Regulation (EU) 2021/947, should replace the Union's multiannual indicative programme for Palestine.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument Committee,

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¹ OJ L 209, 14.6.2021, p. 1.

² Council Decision (EU) 427/2010 of 26 July 2010 establishing the organisation and functioning of the European External Action Service (OJ L 201, 3.8.2010, p. 30).

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole Article

Adoption of Multiannual indicative programmes

The Union's part of the joint programming document for Palestine set out in the Annex is approved. The Member of the Commission responsible for the European Neighbourhood Policy and Enlargement Negotiations, or the person designated by her or him for this purpose, is authorised to sign the joint programming document on behalf of the European Union.

Done at Brussels, 22.11.2022

For the Commission

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