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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1638/2006 of the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union¹ laying down general provisions establishing a European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument (ENPI), and in particular Article 13.2 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Decision C(2009)9388 adopted on 30th November 2009 approved the special conditions of the ENPI in favour of the West Bank and Gaza Strip.
- (2) The purpose of this modifying Decision is to allow for the opening of an additional "window" to the action, "Private Sector Reconstruction in Gaza", which would encompass those not covered by the existing programme (such as agriculture or those that suffered due to the prolonged siege rather than Operation "Cast Lead") as well as to permit financial support to businesses in the Gaza Strip which existed prior to "Operation Cast Lead" and were damaged by it, but operated without a business registration at the time.
- (3) The special measure provided for in this Decision is in accordance with the opinion of the ENPI Committee set up under Article 26 of Regulation (EC) No 1638/2006,

¹ OJ L 310/1 of 9.11.2006.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole article

Annex IV of Commission Decision C(2009)9388 is replaced by the annex of this decision.

Done at Brussels, 14.7.2011

For the Commission
Štefan FÜLE
Member of the Commission

ANNEX

Action fiche "PEGASE: Private Sector Reconstruction in Gaza (PSRG)"