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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012¹, and in particular Article 110 thereof,

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 480/2009², and in particular Article 23(6) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) By the Commission Implementing Decision C(2021) 8851 of 6.12.2021, the Commission approved an exceptional assistance measure regarding Ukraine.
- (2) The unprovoked and unjustified Russian war of aggression against Ukraine has caused large scale destruction throughout the country and continues to endanger the safety of civilians and civilian infrastructure also in the neighbouring Republic of Moldova.
- (3) The OSCE Special Monitoring Mission, which is the purpose of Component 2 of the Decision C(2021) 8851, was suspended on 28 April 2022. The purpose of the amendment of Component 2 is to allow for the provision of geospatial intelligence analysis based on satellite imagery for civilian purposes in Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova.
- (4) Commission Decision C(2021) 8851 should therefore be amended accordingly.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole Article *The measure*

The Commission Implementing Decision C(2021) 8851 of 6.12.2021 on an exceptional assistance measure regarding Ukraine, to be financed from the general budget of the European Union, is amended as follows:

- (1) The geographic scope of the measure is extended to the Republic of Moldova.

¹ OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1.

² OJ L 209, 14.6.2021, p. 1.

- (2) The activities of Component 2 of the Annex attached to the original decision are modified as per the amended Annex herewith attached.

Done at Brussels, 11.8.2022

For the Commission
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High Representative / Vice-President