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**Declaration by the High Representative on behalf of the
European Union on the alignment of certain third countries
with the Council Decision 2011/872/CFSP updating the list of
persons, groups and entities subject to Articles 2, 3 and 4 of
Common Position 2001/931/CFSP on the application of specific
measures to combat terrorism and repealing Decision
2011/430/CFSP**

On 22 December 2011, the Council adopted Council Decision 2011/872/CFSP¹. The Council Decision consists of an update of the list of persons, groups and entities subject to the measures provided for in Common Position 2001/931/CFSP on the application of specific measures to combat terrorism.

The Acceding Country Croatia*, the Candidate Countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia* and Montenegro*, the Countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Serbia, and the EFTA country Liechtenstein, member of the European Economic Area, as well as the Republic of Moldova and Georgia align themselves with this decision.

They will ensure that their national policies conform to this Council Decision.

The European Union takes note of this commitment and welcomes it.

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* Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Montenegro continue to be part of the Stabilisation and Association Process.

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