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### THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom), and in particular the third paragraph of Article 101 thereof,

Having regard to the Agreement between the Government of Japan and the European Atomic Energy Community for the Joint Implementation of the Broader Approach Activities in the field of Fusion Energy Research, signed at Tokyo on 5 February 2007<sup>1</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement"),

### Whereas:

- (1) EURATOM and the Government of Japan recognise the successful joint implementation of the Broader Approach Activities in the Field of Fusion Energy Research carried out under the Agreement, and the benefit that the Broader Approach Activities have brought to the ITER Project,
- (2) EURATOM and the Government of Japan recognise the positive outcomes of the collaboration that has already taken place under the Agreement, and acknowledge the significant potential benefits of further cooperation.
- (3) The Joint Declaration by the Representatives of the Government of Japan and EURATOM for the Joint Implementation of the Broader Approach Activities, signed in Brussels on 22 November 2006 should be supplemented with additional contributions<sup>2</sup> to allow the continuation of the cooperation under the Agreement.

## HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

### Article 1

The Joint Declaration by the Representatives of the Government of Japan and the European Atomic Energy Community for the Further Implementation of the Broader Approach Activities, as annexed to this Decision, is approved.

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Subject to budget availability, the EURATOM additional contributions to these activities are estimated at 50.000 Broader Approach Unit of Account (BAUA) per year. One thousand BAUA equals to six hundred seventy eight thousand EURO (value 5 May 2005).

## Article 2

The Commissioner responsible for Energy, or the person designated by her, is authorised to sign the Joint Declaration by the Representatives of the Government of Japan and the European Atomic Energy Community for the Further Implementation of the Broader Approach Activities on behalf of the European Atomic Energy Community.

Done at Brussels, 25.2.2020

For the Commission Kadri SIMSON Member of the Commission