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Subject: **Written Procedure with reply by Friday 26 June 2020 at 15:00 P.M. CET (Brussels time) by email to avia-mar@consilium.europa.eu**
COUNCIL DECISION on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of a Protocol amending the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Georgia, of the other part, to take account of the accession to the European Union of the Republic of Croatia

- Adoption
- = End of the written procedure

Delegations are informed that the written procedure, opened by CM 2459/20 of 24 June 2020, was completed on 26 June 2020 at 15:00.

All delegations voted in favour.

The result of the written procedure is that Council adopted the **Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of a Protocol amending the Common Aviation Area Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Georgia, of the other part, to take account of the accession to the European Union of the Republic of Croatia**, as set out, after lawyer-linguistic revision, in document ST 12227/14, in all languages, including in Irish and that the European Parliament is to be informed thusly.

The Council Decision will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union* in all languages, including in Irish, and the European Parliament will be informed thusly.

The statement by Spain is reproduced in the Annex to this CM.

The above statement will be included in the summary of acts adopted by the written procedure as statements to be entered in the Council minutes, in accordance with the third subparagraph of Article 12(1) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.

The Council Secretariat takes this opportunity to thank delegations for their kind cooperation.

Statement by Spain

(Decisiones del Consejo relativas a los Acuerdos de aviación con la República de Moldova, Georgia, Israel, Jordania, y Marruecos)

Declaración de España para ser incorporada a las actas del COREPER I y del Consejo

España declara que la aprobación de esta Decisión no modifica su posición legal en la disputa sobre la soberanía sobre el territorio en el que está situado el Aeropuerto de Gibraltar. España recuerda que el 20 de noviembre de 2012 comunicó a la Comisión que ya no consideraba en vigor la Declaración de Córdoba, por lo que, a partir de esa fecha, no podía considerar aceptable que se siguiera haciendo referencia en la reglamentación de la Unión Europea en materia de aviación civil a la Declaración Ministerial de 18 de septiembre de 2006 sobre el Aeropuerto de Gibraltar (Declaración de Córdoba) y solicitaba, en consecuencia, que en las propuestas de nueva reglamentación se volviese a la situación anterior a 18 de septiembre de 2006.
