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LEGISLATIVE ACTS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS

Subject: COUNCIL DECISION appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025, and repealing and replacing the Council Decision appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025 adopted on 18 September 2020

COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2020/...

of ...

**appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee
for the period from 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025,
and repealing and replacing the Council Decision appointing the members
of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period 21 September 2020
to 20 September 2025 adopted on 18 September 2020**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 300(2) and Article 302 thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision (EU) 2019/853 of 21 May 2019 determining the composition of the European Economic and Social Committee¹,

Having regard to the proposals made by each Member State,

After consulting the European Commission,

¹ OJ L 139, 27.5.2019, p. 15.

Whereas:

- (1) Pursuant to Council Decisions (EU, Euratom) 2015/1600¹ and (EU, Euratom) 2015/1790², the term of office of the current members of the European Economic and Social Committee expired on 20 September 2020. Members should therefore be appointed for a period of five years as from 21 September 2020.
- (2) Each Member State was requested to submit to the Council a list of candidates, consisting of representatives of organisations of employers, of the employed and of other parties representative of civil society, notably in socio-economic, civic, professional and cultural areas, for appointment as members of the European Economic and Social Committee.

¹ Council Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/1600 of 18 September 2015 appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2015 to 20 September 2020 (OJ L 248, 24.9.2015, p. 53).

² Council Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/1790 of 1 October 2015 appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2015 to 20 September 2020 (OJ L 260, 7.10.2015, p. 23).

- (3) On 18 September 2020 the Council adopted a Decision appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025 ('Decision adopted on 18 September 2020')¹. However, the Annex to the Decision adopted on 18 September 2020 contained some material errors. Therefore, the Decision adopted on 18 September 2020 should be repealed and should be replaced by this Decision.
- (4) This Decision should appoint the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025. This Decision should therefore apply retroactively as from 21 September 2020,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

¹ See documents ST 10463/20 and ST 10463/20 COR 1 at <http://register.consilium.europa.eu>.

Article 1

The persons listed in the Annex to this Decision are hereby appointed members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period from 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025.

Article 2

This Decision repeals and replaces the Council Decision appointing the members of the European Economic and Social Committee for the period 21 September 2020 to 20 September 2025 adopted on 18 September 2020.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

It shall apply as from 21 September 2020.

Done at ...,

For the Council

The President

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