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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2015/322 of 2 March 2015 on the implementation of the 11th European Development Fund¹, and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2018/1877 of 26 November 2018 on the financial regulation applicable to the 11th European Development Fund, and repealing Regulation (EU) 2015/323², and in particular Article 24 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) By its Decision C(2017)7585 of 13.11.2017 the Commission has adopted the Annual Action Programme 2017 in favour of the Republic of Mozambique, including three actions.
- (2) It is now necessary to modify the action entitled "PFM Support Programme II in Mozambique" (Annex 1), in order to further strengthen the on-going Public Finance Management (PFM) reforms and related policy dialogue with the Government of Mozambique. Following the decision in July 2018 to discontinue the Good Governance and Development Contract (GGDC), and subsequent *ad-hoc review of the National Indicative Programme*, EUR 20 000 000 has been allocated for increasing support to the PFM and *Domestic Revenue Mobilisation (DRM)* reforms. The increase of EUR 20 000 000 will allow for an EU engagement in highly relevant new areas such as *Domestic Revenue Mobilisation (DRM)*.
- (3) The envisaged assistance is to comply with the conditions and procedures set out by the restrictive measures adopted pursuant Article 215 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union³.
- (4) Commission Decision C(2017)7585 should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (5) This amending decision is in accordance with the opinion of the EDF Committee established under Article 8 of the Internal Agreement.

¹ OJ L 58, 3.3.2015, p. 1.

² OJ L 307, 3.12.2018, p. 1.

³ www.sanctionsmap.eu. Note that the sanctions map is an IT tool for identifying the sanctions regimes. The source of the sanctions stems from legal acts published in the Official Journal (OJ). In case of discrepancy, the OJ prevails.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole Article

Commission Decision C(2017)7585 of 13.11.2017 on the Annual Action Programme 2017 in favour of the Republic of Mozambique to be financed from the 11th European Development Fund is amended as follows:

- (1) In Article 2, the words "EUR 39 500 000" are replaced by the other: "EUR 59 500 000".
- (2) Annex 1 "PFM Support Programme II in Mozambique" is replaced by the Annex to this Decision.

Done at Brussels, 30.10.2019

For the Commission
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Member of the Commission