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Transmission of the updated Europol Programming Document 2020-2022

Dear Mr Ostojić,

Dear Mr López Aguilar,

With my letter dated 21 February 2020 (ref. MBS 027.2020), I sent you the Programming Document (PD) 2020-2022 as adopted by the Management Board (MB) in November 2019 pursuant to Article 12(1) of the Europol Regulation.

With my previous letter dated 13 December 2019 (ref. MBS 217.2019), I had informed you that the aforementioned PD had to be aligned with the final Europol budget 2020, as the latter was significantly lower than the initial estimate. The MB entrusted the Agency with a thorough re-assessment of the priorities set out in the Work Programme (WG) 2020, and planned to consider the resulting updated version of the PD 2020-2022 at the earliest possible opportunity, namely at its 10-11 March 2020 meeting.

Eventually, further to the cancellation of such meeting due to the COVID-19 outbreak, the MB has dealt with the matter by means of a written procedure with deadline on 25 March 2020.

Today, following its adoption by the MB and pursuant to Article 51(3)(c) of the Europol Regulation, I am pleased to transmit the updated version of the PD 2020-2022 to the Joint Parliamentary Supervisory Group (JPSG).

Specifically, compared to the first version adopted by the MB in November 2019, this updated PD results from the re-assessment of the WP 2020 priorities (Section III), and includes technical adjustments in light of the final Europol budget 2020 as regards the 2020-2022 resource outlook (Section II) and relevant annexes to the document.

I remain at the disposal of the JPSG for any further information or clarification concerning this document.

Yours sincerely,



Andrei Linta

Chairperson

Attachment: Updated Europol Programming Document 2020-2022 (#1003783v20E).