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(Acts adopted before 1 December 2009 under the EC Treaty, the EU Treaty and the Euratom Treaty)

**COUNCIL DECISION****of 26 November 2007****on the signing, on behalf of the Community, of an Agreement between the United States of America and the European Community on cooperation in the regulation of civil aviation safety**

(2011/720/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Articles 80(2) and 133(4) in conjunction with the first sentence of the first subparagraph of Article 300(2) thereof,

The signing of the Agreement between the United States of America and the European Community on cooperation in the regulation of civil aviation safety (hereinafter referred to as 'the Agreement') is hereby approved on behalf of the Community, subject to a Council Decision concerning the conclusion of the Agreement.

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

*Article 2*

The President of the Council is hereby authorised to designate the person(s) empowered to sign the Agreement on behalf of the Community, subject to its conclusion.

Whereas:

*Article 3*

- (1) The Commission has negotiated on behalf of the Community an Agreement between the United States of America and the European Community on cooperation in the regulation of civil aviation safety (hereinafter referred to as 'the Agreement') in accordance with the Council Decision authorising the Commission to open negotiations.

Member States shall take all necessary measures to ensure that their bilateral agreements with the United States listed in Attachment 1 of the Agreement can be amended or terminated, as appropriate, upon entry into force of the Agreement.

Done at Brussels, 26 November 2007.

- (2) The Agreement should be signed, subject to its possible conclusion at a later stage,

*For the Council*

*The President*

J. SILVA

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