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(Non-legislative acts)

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

Information relating to the entry into force of the Agreement between the European Union and the People's Republic of China on the short-stay visa waiver for holders of diplomatic passports

The Agreement between the European Union and the People's Republic of China on the short-stay visa waiver for holders of diplomatic passports will enter into force on 1 January 2017, the procedure provided for in Article 10(1) of the Agreement having been completed on 18 November 2016.

Notice concerning the provisional application between the European Union and the Republic of Ecuador of the Protocol of Accession to the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Colombia and Peru, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Ecuador

The European Union and the Republic of Ecuador have notified the completion of the procedures necessary for the provisional application of the Protocol of Accession to the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Colombia and Peru, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Ecuador ⁽¹⁾, signed in Brussels on 11 November 2016. Consequently, the Protocol shall be provisionally applied, pursuant to Article 27(4) thereof, as from 1 January 2017 between the European Union and the Republic of Ecuador. As a result, and by virtue of Article 3 of the Council Decision (EU) 2016/2369 ⁽²⁾ on the signing and provisional application of the Protocol, the provisions of the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Colombia and Peru, of the other part ⁽³⁾ shall be applied on a provisional basis by the European Union as provided for in Article 330(3) thereof, pending the completion of the procedures necessary for the conclusion of the said Protocol, with the exception of Article 2, Article 202(1) and Articles 291 and 292 of the Agreement.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 356, 24.12.2016, p. 3.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 356, 24.12.2016, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 354, 21.12.2012, p. 3.