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COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION (EU) 2025/632
of 21 January 2025
on the appointment of the Chair of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the
Financing of Terrorism
(C/2025/632)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

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

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2024/1620 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 May 2024 establishing the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism and amending Regulations (EU) No 1093/2010, (EU) No 1094/2010 and (EU) No 1095/2010 ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 68 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

Having regard to the approval by the European Parliament,

Whereas:

- (1) Pursuant to Article 68(1) of Regulation (EU) 2024/1620, on 9 October 2024, the Commission prepared a shortlist of candidates for appointment as the Chair of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism ('the Chair') and provided it to the European Parliament.
- (2) The Council was informed of the shortlist on the same day.
- (3) Pursuant to Article 68(3) of Regulation (EU) 2024/1620, the term of office of the Chair is to be four years.
- (4) Pursuant to Article 68(1) of Regulation (EU) 2024/1620, on 6 December 2024, the Commission made a proposal for the appointment of Ms Bruna SZEGO as the Chair ('the proposal') and submitted that proposal to the European Parliament for approval.
- (5) On 18 December 2024, the European Parliament approved the proposal.
- (6) Ms Bruna SZEGO should therefore be appointed as the Chair for a term of office of four years,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Ms Bruna SZEGO is hereby appointed as Chair of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism for a term of office of four years from 16 February 2025.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels, 21 January 2025.

For the Council
The President
A. DOMAŃSKI

⁽¹⁾ OJ L, 2024/1620, 19.6.2024, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2024/1620/oj>.