

**COUNCIL DECISION****of 29 October 2009****appointing the Deputy Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union for the period from 1 November 2009 until 31 December 2009**

(2009/792/EC, Euratom)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Secretary-General of the Council shall end on the date of entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 207(2) thereof,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 121(2) thereof,

*Article 1*

Mr Pierre DE BOISSIEU is hereby appointed Deputy Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union for the period from 1 November 2009 until 31 December 2009, or until the date of entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon, whichever is the earlier.

Whereas:

*Article 2*

This Decision shall be notified to Mr Pierre DE BOISSIEU by the President of the Council.

(1) The term of office of Mr Pierre DE BOISSIEU, Deputy Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union, will end on 31 October 2009 <sup>(1)</sup>.

(2) That term of office should be renewed until 31 December 2009, or until the date of entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon, whichever is the earlier.

It shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

(3) It is recalled that Article 6 of the Protocol on Transitional Provisions, which the Treaty of Lisbon will annex to the Treaty on European Union, to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union and to the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community, provides that the term of office of the Deputy

Done at Brussels, 29 October 2009.

*For the Council*

*The President*

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 277, 22.10.2009, p. 20.