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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 of 27 March 2007 concerning restrictive measures against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea[(1)], and in particular Article 13(1)(e) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 lists persons, entities and bodies who, not having been listed in Annex IV, have been listed by the Council, and are covered by the freezing of funds and economic resources under that Regulation.

(2) On 12 June 2017, the Council decided to remove one person and one entity from the list of persons and entities subject to restrictive measures, set out in Annex II to Council Decision (CFSP) 2016/849[(2)]. The other entries have been updated. Annex V of this Regulation should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 is replaced by the text set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 12 June 2017.

For the Commission,

On behalf of the President,

Head of the Service for Foreign Policy Instruments

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List of persons, entities and bodies referred to in Article 6(2)

(a) Natural persons referred to in Article 6(2)(a):

	Name (and possible aliases)	**Identifying information**	**Reasons**
1.	CHON Chi Bu (alias CHON Chi-bu)		Member of the General Bureau of Atomic Energy, former technical director of Yongbyon. Photographs connected him to nuclear reactor in Syria before it was bombed by Israel in 2007.
2.	CHU Kyu-Chang (alias JU Kyu-Chang; JU Kyu Chang)	DOB: 25.11.1928 POB: South Hamgyo'ng Province, DPRK	Former member of the National Defence Commission, which was a key body for national defence matters in the DPRK before it was reformed into the State Affaires Commission (SAC). Former director of the department of munitions of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea. Reported with KIM Jong Un on a warship in 2013. Director of the Machine Building Industry Department of the Workers' Party of Korea. Elected Workers'

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			Party of Korea Central Committee alternate member in May 2016 at 7th Congress of Workers' Party of Korea, where WPK adopted a decision to continue the DPRK's nuclear programme. As such, responsible for supporting or promoting the DPRK's nuclear-related, ballistic-missile-related or other weapons of mass destruction-related programmes.
3.	HYON Chol-hae (alias HYON Chol Hae)	DOB: 1934 POB: Manchuria, China	Korean People's Army Marshal since April 2016. Deputy Director of the General Political Department of the Korean People's Army (military adviser to late Kim Jong-Il). Elected Workers' Party of Korea Central Committee member in May 2016 at 7th Congress of Workers' Party of Korea where WPK adopted a decision to continue the DPRK's nuclear programme.
4.	KIM Yong-chun (alias Young-chun; KIM Yong Chun)	DOB: 4.3.1935 Passport: 554410660	Korean People's Army Marshal. Former deputy Chairman of the National Defence Commission, which was a key body for national

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			defence matters in the DPRK before it was reformed into the State Affaires Commission (SAC). Former Minister of the People's Armed Forces, special adviser to late Kim Jong-Il on nuclear strategy. Elected Workers' Party of Korea Central Committee member in May 2016 at 7th Congress of Workers' Party of Korea where WPK adopted a decision to continue the DPRK's nuclear programme.
5.	O Kuk-Ryol (alias O Kuk Ryol)	DOB: 1931 POB: Jilin Province, China	Former deputy Chairman of the National Defence Commission, which was a key body for national defence matters in the DPRK before it was reformed into the State Affaires Commission (SAC), supervising the acquisition abroad of advanced technology for nuclear and ballistic programmes. Elected Workers' Party of Korea Central Committee member in May 2016 at 7th Congress of Workers' Party of Korea where WPK adopted a decision to continue the