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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 Republic of Korea[(1)], and in particular Article 13(1)b, c, e and g thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 gives effect to measures provided for in Council Decision (CFSP) 2016/849[(2)].

(2) Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 should be updated with the latest information provided by Member States regarding the identification of competent authorities.

(3) On 30 November 2016, the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) adopted Resolution 2321 (2016) providing for new measures against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, including an import ban for copper, nickel, silver, zinc and statues, and an export ban for helicopters and vessels. On 27 February 2017 the Council adopted Regulation (EU) 2017/330[(3)] amending Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 accordingly, adding Annexes Ih, IIIa and IIIb. The copper, nickel, silver and zinc, the statues and the helicopters and vessels to be included in these Annexes should now be identified, and they should be allocated the reference numbers taken from the Combined Nomenclature as set out in Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87[(4)].

(4) UNSCR 2321 (2016) also further refines the list of luxury goods, already subject to an export ban, set out in Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 329/2007.

(5) On 6 April 2017, the Council decided to add four natural persons to the list of persons and entities subject to restrictive measures.

(6) Annexes Ih, II, III, IIIa, IIIb and V of Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 should therefore be amended accordingly,

(7) In order to ensure that the measures provided for in this Regulation are effective, this Regulation must enter into force immediately,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

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Article 1

Regulation (EC) No 329/2007 is amended as follows:

(1) Annex Ih is replaced by the text in Annex I to this Regulation.

(2) Annex II is replaced by the text in Annex II to this Regulation.

(3) Annex III is amended in accordance with Annex III to this Regulation.

(4) Annex IIIa is replaced by the text in Annex IV to this Regulation.

(5) Annex IIIb is replaced by the text in Annex V to this Regulation.

(6) Annex V is amended in accordance with Annex VI to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day 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, 6 April 2017.

For the Commission,

On behalf of the President,

Acting Head of the Service for Foreign Policy Instruments

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ANNEX I

ANNEX II Copper, nickel, silver and zinc referred to in point (b) of Article 2(4)[(5)]:

Copper

	2603	Copper ores and concentrates
	74	Copper and articles thereof
	8536 90 95 30	Rivet contacts – of copper – plated with silver nickel alloy AgNi10 or with silver containing by weight 11,2 % (± 1,0 %) of tin oxide and of indium oxide taken together – with a thickness of the plating of 0,3 mm (– 0/ + 0,015mm)
ex	8538 90 99	Copper parts suitable for use solely or principally with the apparatus of heading 8535, 8536 or 8537
		– – Winding wire:
	8544 11	– – of copper
		– Other copper electric conductors, for a voltage not exceeding 1 000 V:
ex	8544 42	– – Fitted with connectors
ex	8544 49	– – Other

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		– Other electric conductors, for a voltage exceeding 1 000 V:
	8544 60 10	– – With copper conductors

Nickel

	2604	Nickel ores and concentrates
		Ferro-alloys:
	7202 60	– Ferro-nickel
		Wire of stainless steel:
	7223 00 11	– – Containing by weight 28 % or more but not more than 31 % of nickel and 20 % or more but not more than 22 % of chromium
	75	Nickel and articles thereof
	8105 90 00 10	Bars or wires made of cobalt alloy containing, by weight: — 35 % (± 2 %) cobalt, — 25 % (± 1 %) nickel, — 19 % (± 1 %) chromium and — 7 % (± 2 %) iron conforming to the material specifications AMS 5842, of a kind used in the aerospace industry

Silver

	2616 10	Silver ores and concentrates

Zinc

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	2608	Zinc ores and concentrates
	79	Zinc and articles thereof

ANNEX II

ANNEX IIWebsites for information on the competent authorities referred to in Articles 5, 7, 8, 10 and 15, and address for notifications to the European Commission:

BELGIUM

http://diplomatie.belgium.be/en/policy/policy_areas/peace_and_security/sanctions
BULGARIA

http://www.mfa.bg/en/pages/135/index.html
CZECH REPUBLIC

http://www.mfcr.cz/mezinarodnisankce
DENMARK

http://um.dk/da/Udenrigspolitik/folkeretten/sanktioner/
GERMANY

http://www.bmwi.de/DE/Themen/Aussenwirtschaft/aussenwirtschaftsrecht,did=404888.html
ESTONIA

http://www.vm.ee/est/kat_622/
IRELAND

http://www.dfa.ie/home/index.aspx?id=28519
GREECE

http://www.mfa.gr/en/foreign-policy/global-issues/international-sanctions.html
SPAIN

http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/en/PoliticaExteriorCooperacion/GlobalizacionOportunidadesRiesgos/Paginas/SancionesInternacionales.aspx
FRANCE

http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/fr/autorites-sanctions/
CROATIA

http://www.mvep.hr/sankcije
ITALY

http://www.esteri.it/MAE/IT/Politica_Europea/Deroghe.htm
CYPRUS

http://www.mfa.gov.cy/sanctions
LATVIA