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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

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

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 of 17 March 2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine[(1)], and in particular Article 14(1) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) On 17 March 2014, the Council adopted Regulation (EU) No 269/2014.

(2) In view of the gravity of the situation, the Council considers that additional persons and entities should be added to the list of natural and legal persons, entities and bodies subject to restrictive measures as set out in Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 269/2014.

(3) Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

[X1 Article 1

Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 is amended as follows:

(a) the heading ‘Persons’ is inserted after the existing heading ‘List of natural and legal persons, entities and bodies referred to in Article 2’;

(b) after the existing list of persons, the heading of a new section entitled ‘Entities’ is inserted;

(c) the persons and entities listed in the Annex to this Regulation shall be added to the relevant section of Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 269/2014.**]**

Editorial Information

X1 Substituted by Corrigendum to Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No 477/2014 of 12 May 2014 implementing Regulation (EU) No 269/2014 concerning restrictive measures in respect of actions undermining or threatening the territorial integrity, sovereignty and independence of Ukraine (Official Journal of the European Union L 137 of 12 May 2014).

Changes to legislation: *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No 477/2014. (See end of Document for details)*

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the date 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.

ANNEX

List of persons and entities referred to in Article 1

	Name	**Identifying information**	**Reasons**	**Date of listing**
1	Vyacheslav Viktorovich **VOLODIN**	Born 4 February 1964 in Alekseevka, Saratov region.	First Deputy Chief of Staff of the Presidential Administration of Russia. Responsible for overseeing the political integration of the annexed Ukrainian region of Crimea into the Russian Federation.	12.5.2014
2.	Vladimir **SHAMANOV**	Born 15.02.1954 in Barnaul.	Commander of the Russian Airborne Troops, Colonel-General. In his senior position holds responsibility for the deployment of Russian airborne forces in Crimea.	12.5.2014
3.	Vladimir Nikolaevich **PLIGIN**	Born 19.05.1960 in Ignatovo, Vologodsk Oblast, USSR.	Chair of the Duma Constitutional Law Committee. Responsible for facilitating the adoption of legislation on the annexation of Crimea and Sevastopol into the Russian Federation.	12.5.2014
4.	Petr Grigorievich **JAROSH**		Acting Head of the Federal Migration Service office for Crimea. Responsible for the systematic	12.5.2014

			and expedited issuance of Russian passports for the residents of Crimea.	
5.	Oleg Grigorievich **KOZYURA**	Born 19.12.1962 in Zaporozhye	Acting Head of the Federal Migration Service office for Sevastopol. Responsible for the systematic and expedited issuance of Russian passports for the residents of Crimea.	12.5.2014
6.	Viacheslav **PONOMARIOV**		Self-declared mayor of Slaviansk. Ponomarev called on Vladimir Putin to send in Russian troops to protect the city and later asked him to supply weapons. Ponomarev's men are involved in kidnappings (they captured Ukrainian reporter Irma Krat and Simon Ostrovsky, a reporter for Vice News, both were later released, they detained military observers under OSCE Vienna Document).	12.5.2014
7.	Igor Mykolaiovych **BEZLER**	Born in 1965	One of the leaders of self-proclaimed militia of	12.5.2014