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**adopting the Arrangement for Cooperation between the European Commission and the  
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### adopting the Arrangement for Cooperation between the European Commission and the European Olympic Committees (EOC)

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 17(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Considering the central place of sport in the life of many Europeans and the shared values and principles of the European Union and the European Olympic Committees movement, such as the respect of the rights and principles enshrined in the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union, in particular human dignity and non-discrimination, as well as tolerance and solidarity.
- (2) Considering the autonomy and the active engagement of the European Olympic Committees, which is essential for the successful development of the European dimension of sport, the promotion of physical activity through the European Week of Sport, the promotion of women' participation in sport, the promotion of sustainability and legacy of major sport events and the improvement of good governance in sport.
- (3) Recalling the Resolution of the Council and of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States, meeting within the Council on the European Union Work Plan for Sport (2021-2024)<sup>1</sup>.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### *Sole Article*

The Arrangement for Cooperation attached to this Decision is hereby approved and shall be signed by the Commissioner in charge of Sport or her designated representative.

Done at Brussels, 20.1.2022

*For the Commission*  
*Mariya GABRIEL*  
*Member of the Commission*

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<sup>1</sup> Resolution of the Council and of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States meeting within the Council on the European Union Work Plan for Sport (1 January 2021-30 June 2024) (*OJ C* 419, 4.12.2020, p. 1)