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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1316/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 establishing the Connecting Europe Facility<sup>1</sup> (hereafter "CEF Regulation"), and in particular Article 18 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Implementing Decision C(2016) 1778 of 31 March 2016 established the annual work programme for 2016 for a multi-sectoral call for proposals under the Connecting Europe Facility.
- (2) When establishing the work programme the Commission applied the criteria laid down in Article 7 of the CEF Regulation and the objectives and priorities defined in Regulation (EU) No 1315/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013<sup>2</sup> and in Regulation (EU) No 347/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 April 2013<sup>3</sup>.
- (3) Following the call for proposals launched on 28 September 2016 and based on the eligibility, selection and award criteria laid down in sections 5, 6 and 7 of Annex I of Commission Implementing Decision C(2016) 1778, the Commission selected projects of common interest for receiving EU financial assistance under the Connecting Europe Facility. All selected projects meet the required criteria.
- (4) The Commission, acting in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 25(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1316/2013, should decide on the amount of financial assistance to be granted to the projects or parts of projects selected.
- (5) The list of projects of common interest selected by this Decision is in accordance with the opinion of the Committee referred to in Article 25(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1316/2013.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 348, 20.12.2013, p. 129.

<sup>2</sup> Regulation (EU) No 1315/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 on Union guidelines for the development of the trans-European transport network, OJ L 348, 20.12.2013, p. 1.

<sup>3</sup> Regulation (EU) No 347/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 April 2013 on guidelines for trans-European energy infrastructure, OJ L 115, 25.4.2013, p.39.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The list of projects of common interest selected for receiving EU financial assistance under the Connecting Europe Facility, the estimated total eligible costs of the actions, the percentage of the financial assistance out of the estimated total eligible costs and the respective maximum amounts of the financial assistance, as laid down in the Annex, are approved.

*Article 2*

The Commissioner responsible for Mobility and Transport is hereby authorised to inform those applicants whose projects have not been selected of the final outcome of their application.

Done at Brussels, 3.5.2017

*For the Commission*

*Violeta BULC*

*Member of the Commission*

