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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, amending Regulation (EU) No 913/2010 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 680/2007 and (EC) No $67/2010^{1}$ and in particular Article 17 thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 347/2013 of European Parliament and of the Council of 17 April 2013 on guidelines for trans-European energy infrastructure and repealing Decision No 1364/2006/EC and amending Regulations (EC) No 713/2009, (EC) No 714/2009 and (EC) No 715/2009², and in particular Articles 14 and 15 thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU, EURATOM) No 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012³, and in particular Article 110 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The multiannual work programme for granting financial aid in the field of trans-European energy infrastructure under the Connecting Europe Facility was adopted by Commission Implementing Decision (C(2014)2080) for the period 2014-2020.
- (2) It is appropriate to again amend the multiannual work programme with the view to launch the calls for proposals, programme support actions and the procurement activities in 2019.
- (3) It is necessary to allow for the payment of interest due for late payment on the basis of Article 116 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046 and Article 116 of Delegated Regulation (EU) No 2018/1520.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the CEF Coordination Committee established by Article 25 of Regulation Regulation (EU) No 1316/2013,

¹ OJ L 348 of 20.12.2013, p.129

² OJ L 115 of 25.4.2013, p.39

³ OJ L 193 of 30.7.2018, p.1

Article 1

1) Commission Decision C(2014)2080 is amended as follows: Article 2 is replaced by the following:

"Article 2

The maximum contribution for the period 2014-2020 authorised by this Decision for the implementation of this multiannual work programme is set at EUR 4 079 515 648 to be financed from the following budget lines of the General Budget of the European Union:

32 02 01 01 Further integration of the internal energy market and the interoperability of electricity and gas networks across borders EUR 1 335 402 722,

32 02 01 02 Enhancing Union security of energy supply EUR 1 334 245 607,

32 02 01 03 Contributing to sustainable development and protection of the environment EUR 1 320 578 319,

32 02 01 04 Creating an environment more conducive to private investment for energy projects EUR 89 289 000.

The detailed breakdown is set out in point 2 of the Annex. The appropriations shall cover interest due for late payment.";

2) The Annex is replaced by the Annex to this Decision.

Done at Brussels, 20.3.2019

For the Commission Miguel ARIAS CAÑETE Member of the Commission