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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

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

Having regard to Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council (EU) No 236/2014 establishing common implementing rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for external action, and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union and repealing Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 1605/2002¹ and in particular Article 84(2) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) On 9 September 2013, the Commission adopted Decision C(2013)5678 approving a measure to support education facilities in Lebanon in order to ensure access to education to Syrian and Palestine refugee children from Syria.

(2) The purpose of this modifying Decision is to authorise the receipt of a contribution to the action from the Kingdom of the Netherlands. The maximum contribution of the European Union for the implementation of this measure must therefore be increased.

(3) This Decision complies with the conditions laid down in Article 94 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1268/2012 of 29 October 2012 on the rules of application of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union².

(4) This Decision should provide that the Commission acknowledges and accepts the contribution from other donors pursuant to Article 21(2)(b) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012, subject to the signature of the relevant agreement, and should decide on the use of such contribution.

(5) The measure provided for in this Decision does not fall in the categories of measures for which the opinion of the Committee is required but constitute technical amendments in the sense of Article 2(3) of Regulation (EU) No 236/2014. The European Neighbourhood Instrument Committee set up by the basic act referred to in Recital 2 should be informed of this Decision within one month following its adoption.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Single Article

1. Article 2 of Decision C(2013)5678 is replaced by the following:
"The maximum contribution of the European Union for the implementation of this measure is set at EUR 43 million to be financed from the general budget of the European Union.
This amount includes contributions from other donors to be transferred to the general budget of the European Union as external assigned revenue as provided for in the annex".

2. The annex to Decision C(2013)5678 is replaced by the annex to this Decision.

Done at Brussels, 12.6.2014

For the Commission
Štefan FÜLE
Member of the Commission