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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union and, in particular, Articles 28, 31(2) and 33 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

- On 21 July 2003, the Council adopted Joint Action 2003/537/CFSP⁽¹⁾ appointing Mr Marc OTTE European Union Special Representative (EUSR) for the Middle East peace process.
- (2) On 16 February 2009, the Council adopted Joint Action 2009/136/CFSP⁽²⁾ amending and extending the mandate of the EUSR until 28 February 2010.
- (3) The mandate of the EUSR should be extended until 31 August 2010. However, the mandate of the EUSR may be terminated earlier, if the Council so decides, on a recommendation of the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (HR) following the entry into force of the decision establishing the European External Action Service.
- (4) The EUSR will implement his mandate in the context of a situation which may deteriorate and could harm the Common Foreign and Security Policy objectives set out in Article 21 of the Treaty,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Council Decision 2010/107/CFSP, Introductory Text. (See end of Document for details)

- (**1**) OJ L 184, 23.7.2003, p. 45.
- (**2**) OJ L 46, 17.2.2009, p. 65.

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