

EUROPEAN COMMISSION SECRETARIAT-GENERAL

The Secretary-General

Brussels UKTF/A.5/NVL

Your Excellency,

Please find attached the Note Verbale on the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community. The Note Verbale informs the other parties to the international agreements concluded by the Union (or Euratom), by Member States acting on behalf of the Union (or Euratom), or by the Union and its Member States acting jointly ("Union international agreements"), of the United Kingdom's upcoming withdrawal from the Union and Euratom, as well as of the transitional arrangements foreseen in the Withdrawal Agreement, notably that, during the transition period, the United Kingdom is treated as a Member State of the Union for the purposes of these Union international agreements.

This Note Verbale is sent in your Government's capacity as party or depository to international agreements concluded by the Union (or the European Atomic Energy Community – Euratom), or by Member States acting on behalf of the Union (or Euratom), or by the Union (or Euratom) and its Member States jointly.

I should be grateful if you would transmit the attached Note Verbale and its Annex at your earliest convenience to your authorities.

Yours faithfully,

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Enclosure: Note Verbale on the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community

c.c.: Michel Barnier, Head of Task Force for Relations with the United Kingdom

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