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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 995/2010 of 20 October 2010 laying down the obligations of operators who place timber and timber products on the market¹, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The European Commission received on 21 February 2013 an application for recognition by ICILA S.R.L., Italy, declaring that they intend to function as a monitoring organisation in Italy.
- (2) The European Commission acknowledged receipt of the application on 27 February 2013.
- (3) A meeting of a Commission Steering group set up specifically to assess applications for monitoring organisations was held on 18 December 2013 in Brussels, at which the applicant presented its application in person.
- (4) In accordance with Article 2(5) of Commission delegated Regulation (EU) 363/2012 of 23 February 2012 on the procedural rules for the recognition and withdrawal of recognition of monitoring organisations as provided for in the Regulation (EU) No 995/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the obligations of operators who place timber and timber products on the market² the European Commission sent the application on 27 March 2014 for consultation to the Member States concerned. Comments were received from Italy within the statutory deadline of one month.
- (5) In accordance with Article 3 of Regulation (EU) 363/2012 the applicant was requested to provide additional information in emails dated 27 March 2014 and 10 June 2014.
- (6) The applicant provided the requested additional information and submitted a revised application on 15 April 2014 and 19 June 2014, respectively.
- (7) On the basis of the documents submitted by the applicant the Steering group reached a conclusion on 28 October 2014 that the application fulfils the requirements set out in Article 8(2) of Regulation (EU) No 995/2010 and that the applicant could be recognised by the Commission as a monitoring organisation.
- (8) The European Commission has assessed on the basis of all the documentary evidence submitted whether the applicant fulfils the requirements set out in Article 8(2) of

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OJ L 295, 12.11. 2010, p. 23.

OJ L 115, 27.4.2012, p. 12.

Regulation (EU) No 995/2010 and considers that ICILA S.R.L., Italy, Lissone (MB), Piazzale Giotto, 1 CAP 20851, fulfils the requirements of Article 8(2) of Regulation (EU) No 995/2010,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

ICILA S.R.L., Italy, Lissone (MB), Piazzale Giotto, 1 CAP 20851, is recognised as a monitoring organisation in accordance with Article 8(3) of Regulation (EU) No 995/2010.

Article 2

The Director-General of the Directorate-General for Environment is instructed to ensure that the applicant and the competent authorities in all the Member States are notified of this Decision and that this Decision is published on the Commission's website without delay.

Done at Brussels, 30.1.2015

For the Commission Karmenu VELLA Member of the Commission