

**NOTE VERBALE**

The General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union presents its compliments to the Mission of Ukraine to the European Union and, on behalf of the President of the Council, has the honour to notify it that the European Union has completed its internal procedures necessary for the application in part on a provisional basis of the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and Ukraine, of the other part, signed at Brussels on 21 March 2014 and on 27 June 2014.

Ukraine having also completed the internal procedures necessary for this purpose in accordance with its Article 486, the following parts of the Agreement shall therefore be applied on a provisional basis from 1 November 2014 between the Union and Ukraine, but only to the extent that they cover matters falling within the Union's competence, including matters falling within the Union's competence to define and implement a common foreign and security policy.

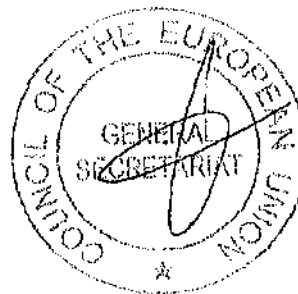
- Title I;
- Articles 4, 5 and 6 of Title II;
- Title III: Articles 14 and 19;

- Title V: Chapter 1 (with the exception of Article 338(k) and Articles 339 and 342), Chapter 6 (with the exception of Articles 361, Article 362(1)(c), Article 364, and points (a) and (c) of Article 365), Chapter 7 (with the exception of Article 368(3) and points (a) and (d) of Article 369<sup>1</sup>), Chapters 12 and 17 (with the exception of Article 404(h)), Chapter 18 (with the exception of Article 410(b) and Article 411), Chapters 20, 26 and 28, as well as Articles 353 and 428;
- Title VI;
- Title VII (with the exception of Article 479(1)), to the extent that the provisions of that Title are limited to the purpose of ensuring the provisional application of the Agreement in accordance with this Note Verbale;
- Annex XXVI, Annex XXVII (with the exception of nuclear issues), Annexes XXVIII to XXXVI (with the exception of point 3 in Annex XXXII),
- Annexes XXXVIII to XLI, Annexes XLIII and XLIV, as well as Protocol III.

This Agreement, in accordance with its Article 486, shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following the date of the deposit of the last instrument of ratification or approval. The Union intends to provisionally apply the DCFTA on 1 January 2016 subject to a further notification in accordance with Art 486.

The General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Mission of Ukraine to the European Union the expression of its highest consideration.

Brussels, 30 September 2014



<sup>1</sup> The reference in point (c) of Article 369 to the "development of funding strategies focusing on maintenance, capacity constraints and missing link infrastructure" does not create any funding obligations on Member States.