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STATE DECREE containing General Administrative Orders of May 7, 2024, supplementing Annex I and Annex II of the Interim State Decree on Priority Sanctions Regimes concerning the entries for Guatemala, and Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad

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The Minister of General Affairs,
Innovation, Government Organization,
Infrastructure and Spatial Planning,
E.C. Wever-Croes

IN THE NAME OF THE KING!

THE GOVERNOR of Aruba,

Having considered:

- that in the interest of international legal order and the foreign policy of the Kingdom, it is desirable to supplement Annex I to the Interim State Decree on Priority Sanctions Regimes with Council Regulation (EU) 2024/287 of January 12, 2024, concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Guatemala, and Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/254 of January 12, 2024, concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Guatemala;
- that it is also desirable to supplement the same Annex I with Council Regulation (EU) 2024/386 of January 19, 2024, establishing restrictive measures against those who support, facilitate or enable violent actions by Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad, and Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/385 of January 19, 2024, establishing restrictive measures against those who support, facilitate or enable violent actions by Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad;
- that, furthermore, it is desirable to supplement Annex II to the Interim State Decree on Priority Sanctions Regimes within the framework of the humanitarian exemption;

Having regard to:

Articles 2 and 2a of the Sanctions State Ordinance 2006;

Having heard the Advisory Council, has decided:

Article I

The Interim State Decree on Priority Sanctions Regimes shall be amended as follows:

A in article 1, in the definition corresponding to “Annex II”, “countries” shall be replaced by: “countries, states, territories, groups or organizations”.

B Annex I shall be amended as follows:

1. in the table, in the alphabetical order of countries, the following entry for Guatemala shall be inserted between the entries for Congo and Guinea:

Guatemala	<p>The Annex to Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/254 of January 12, 2024 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Guatemala (OJEU January 15, 2024, number 00254). <i>{Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/254}</i></p> <p>Annex I to Council Regulation (EU) 2024/287 of January 12, 2024 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Guatemala (OJEU January 15, 2024, number 00287). <i>{Council Regulation (EU) 2024/287}</i></p>
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2. in the table, in the alphabetical order of countries, the following entry for Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad shall be inserted between the entries for Haiti and Iraq:

Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad	<p>The Annex to Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/385 of January 19, 2024 establishing restrictive measures against those who support, facilitate or enable violent actions by Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad (OJEU January 19, 2024, number 00385). <i>{Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/385}</i></p> <p>Annex I to Council Regulation (EU) 2024/386 of January 19, 2024 establishing restrictive measures against those who support, facilitate or enable violent actions by Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad (OJEU January 19, 2024, number 00386). <i>{Council Regulation (EU) 2024/386}</i></p>
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C in Annex II, the following shall be inserted in alphabetical order:

Guatemala;

Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad.

Article II

This State Decree shall enter into force as of the day following the day of its publication in the Official Bulletin of Aruba.

Given in Oranjestad, May 7, 2024
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