

**COUNCIL DECISION 2003/853/CFSP**  
**of 5 December 2003**  
**extending the mandate of the Head of Mission of the European Union Monitoring Mission**  
**(EUMM)**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 23(2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Joint Action 2002/921/CFSP of 26 November 2002 extending the mandate of the European Union Monitoring Mission <sup>(1)</sup>, and in particular Article 5(1) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) By Decision 2003/562/CFSP <sup>(2)</sup> the Council appointed Ms Maryse DAVIET as Head of Mission of the European Union Monitoring Mission until 31 December 2003, following the resignation of Mr Antóin MAC UNFRAIDH.
- (2) The mandate of the Head of Mission of the European Union Monitoring Mission should be extended,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The mandate of Ms Maryse DAVIET as Head of Mission of the European Union Monitoring Mission is hereby extended.

*Article 2*

This Decision shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

It shall apply until 31 December 2004.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels, 5 December 2003.

*For the Council*

*The President*

P. LUNARDI

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 321, 26.11.2002, p. 51, and corrigendum in OJ L 324, 29.11.2002, p. 76.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 190, 30.7.2003, p. 19.