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## COUNCIL

**COUNCIL DECISION  
of 11 March 2004  
appointing a new member of the Commission**

(2004/250/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular the second paragraph of Article 215 thereof,

Whereas:

On 10 March 2004 Ms Anna DIAMANTOPOULOU resigned from her post as a member of the Commission. She should be replaced for the remainder of her term of office,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Mr Stavros DIMAS is hereby appointed a member of the Commission for the period from 11 March 2004 to 31 October 2004.

*Article 2*

This Decision shall take effect on 11 March 2004.

*Article 3*

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

Done at Brussels, 11 March 2004.

*For the Council*  
*The President*  
M. HARNEY

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