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COUNCIL DECISION (CFSP) 2026/2600

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amending Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 on a European Union Military Assistance Mission in Mozambique (EUMAM Mozambique)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Articles 42(4) and 43(2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy,

Whereas:

(1) On 12 July 2021, the Council adopted Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 ([1]) on a European Union Military Training Mission in Mozambique (EUTM Mozambique). EUTM Mozambique was renamed the European Union Military Assistance Mission in Mozambique (EUMAM Mozambique) by means of Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/1354 ([2]).

(2) On 25 February 2026 in the context of the Strategic Review of EUMAM Mozambique the Political and Security Committee (PSC) recommended that the mandate of EUMAM Mozambique be extended for 6 months until 31 December 2026 and invited the European External Action Service to present a Strategic Assessment in September 2026.

(3) On 12 May 2026, the Council adopted Decision (CFSP) 2026/1084 ([3]) extending EUMAM Mozambique until 31 December 2026.

(4) On 29 September 2026 in the context of the Assessment of EUMAM Mozambique, the PSC agreed to extend EUMAM Mozambique until 31 December 2028.

(5) Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 should be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 is hereby amended as follows:

(1) Article 1 is amended as follows:

(a) paragraph 2 is replaced by the following:

‘2. The strategic objective of EUMAM Mozambique shall be to support the Mozambican Armed Forces in their efforts to develop autonomous and sustainable capacity to plan, conduct, sustain and coordinate operations in Cabo Delgado, in particular through improved command and control, force sustainment and operational support capacities, including the integration of International Humanitarian Law (IHL), International Human Right Law (IHRL) and the protection of civilians into the Mozambican Armed Forces’ planning and conduct process, with a view to contributing to a safer and more secure environment for the population of Cabo Delgado.’;

([1]) Council Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 of 12 July 2021 on a European Union Military Assistance Mission in Mozambique (EUMAM Mozambique) (OJ L 247, 13.7.2021, p. 93, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2021/1143/oj).

([2]) Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/1354 of 14 May 2024 amending Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 on a European Union Military Training Mission in Mozambique (EUTM Mozambique) (OJ L, 2024/1354, 15.5.2024, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2024/1354/oj).

([3]) Council Decision (CFSP) 2026/1084 of 12 May 2026 amending Decision (CFSP) 2021/1143 on a European Union Military Assistance Mission in Mozambique (EUMAM Mozambique) (OJ L, 2026/1084, 13.5.2026, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2026/1084/oj).

(b) paragraph 3 is replaced by the following:

'3. For that purpose, the EUMAM Mozambique shall have the following tasks:

(a) support the Mozambican Armed Forces in their efforts to establish an effective strategic (Joint Operations Centre) and operational (Tactical Operations Centre) command and control centres to plan and conduct their operational activities in Cabo Delgado;

(b) support the Mozambican Armed Forces to set-up of a Force Readiness and Certification System;

(c) support the Mozambican Armed Forces to establish an annual plan for the regeneration and training of their respective Quick Reaction Force, as well as for the Mobile Training Teams requests;

(d) provide training, mentoring and advisory support to the Mozambican Armed Forces, with a particular focus on command and control, force readiness and certification, regeneration and training planning, logistics, maintenance, operational cycle, communications, intelligence, civil-military cooperation, IHL, IHRL, protection of civilians and gender equality.';

(c) paragraphs 3a, 3b and 3c are deleted;

(2) in Article 10, the following paragraph is added:

'5. The financial reference amount for the common costs of the EUMAM Mozambique for the period from 1 January 2027 until 31 December 2028 shall be EUR 17 170 000. The percentage of the reference amount referred to in Article 51(2) of Decision (CFSP) 2021/509 shall be 0 % for commitments and 0 % for payments.';

(3) in Article 13, paragraph 2 is replaced by the following:

'2. EUMAM Mozambique shall end on 31 December 2028.'.

Article 2

Entry into force

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 23 November 2026.

For the Council

The President

M. HEYDON