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Notice for the attention of the shipowner of the vessel AVAX, which is added to the list of designated vessels referred to in Article 1, point (h), and in Article 15 of Council Regulation (EU) 2016/44, imposing certain specific restrictive measures directed against vessels designated by the United Nations Security Council Committee established pursuant to United Nations Security Council Resolution 1970 (2011) in accordance with paragraph 11 of United Nations Security Council Resolution (UNSCR) 2146 (2014), by virtue of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2026/1941

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1. Council Decision (CFSP) 2015/1333 ([1]) calls upon the Member States to direct vessels, as referred to in the list drawn up in Annex V of Decision (CFSP) 2015/1333, not to load, transport, or discharge petroleum, including crude oil and refined petroleum products, illicitly exported from Libya, to deny entry into Member States ports of the designated vessels and prohibits the provision of certain services and certain financial transactions linked to such oil exports.

2. On 22 July 2026, the United Nations Security Council Sanctions Committee established pursuant to Resolution 1970 (2011) decided to designate the vessel AVAX, pursuant to paragraphs 10(a), 10(b), 10(c) and 10(d) of Resolution 2146 (2014), as amended by paragraph 2 of Resolutions 2441 (2018) and 2509 (2020) and extended in Resolution 2819 (2026).

Those concerned may submit at any time a request to the United Nations Security Council Committee established pursuant to Resolution 1970 (2011), together with any supporting documentation, for the decision to include the vessel in the list referred to above, to be reconsidered. Such request should be sent to the following address:

United Nations – Focal point for delisting
Security Council Subsidiary Organs Branch
Room S-3055 E
New York, NY 10017
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
See for more information at: https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/delisting

3. Further to the UN decision referred to in paragraph 2, the Commission has adopted Implementing Regulation (EU) 2026/1941 ([2]), which amends Annex V to Council Regulation (EU) 2016/44 of 18 January 2016 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in Libya and repealing Regulation (EU) No 204/2011 ([3]). The amendment, made pursuant to Article 20(b) of Regulation (EU) 2016/44, adds the name of the vessel AVAX to the list in Annex V of that Regulation ('Annex V').

4. The attention of the shipowner of the vessel AVAX is also drawn to the possibility of challenging the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2026/1941 before the General Court of the European Union, in accordance with the conditions laid down in the fourth and sixth paragraphs of Article 263 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.

([1]) OJ L 206, 1.8.2015, p. 34, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2015/1333/oj.
([2]) OJ L, 2026/1941, 7.8.2026, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2026/1941/oj.
([3]) OJ L 12, 19.1.2016, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/44/oj.