



DECISION OF THE COLLEGE OF THE EUROPEAN PUBLIC PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE OF 9 FEBRUARY 2023

ON THE RESIGNATION OF MS ELENA ZHIVKOVA POPOVA FROM HER POSITION AS EUROPEAN DELEGATED PROSECUTOR

The College of the European Public Prosecutor's Office (EPPO),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 of 12 October 2017 implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office ('EPPO'), and in particular Articles 9, 13 and 17 thereof,

Noting that, on 1 February 2023, Ms Elena Zhivkova Popova, European Delegated Prosecutor from the Republic of Bulgaria, appointed by this College on 25 October 2021 with Decision n° 115/2021, has communicated to the European Chief Prosecutor her intention to resign from her position,

Having considered the proposal of the European Chief Prosecutor to take note of the resignation and waive the notice period provided for by Article 24(1) of the Conditions of Employment of the European Delegated Prosecutors (CEEDP)¹ in consideration of the fact that Ms Zhivkova Popova has assumed office as a judge in the Sofia Administrative Court while continuing to exercise the function of European Delegated Prosecutor,

HAS DECIDED HAS FOLLOWS:

1. To take note of the decision to resign of Ms Elena Zhivkova Popova, European Delegated Prosecutor from the Republic of Bulgaria,
2. To approve waiving partially the notice period provided by Article 24(1) of the CEEDP following the resignation, giving effect to her resignation from 1 March 2023.

¹ Decision n° 001/2020 of the College of the EPPO of 29 September 2020 laying down rules on conditions of employment of the European Delegated Prosecutors, as subsequently amended.



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Done at Luxembourg on 9 February 2023.

On behalf of the College,

Laura Codruța KÖVESI
European Chief Prosecutor



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