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to the

Joint Proposal for a

Council Decision

**on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of the
Strategic Partnership Agreement between the European Union and its Member States,
of the one part, and Japan, of the other part**

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DECLARATION

by the European Union on Article 47(3) of the Agreement

The European Union declares that Article 47(3) of the Agreement is to be interpreted in a manner that is consistent with Article 25 of the Vienna Convention on the Law of the Treaties.