COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION (CFSP) 2018/16

of 8 January 2018

implementing Decision (CFSP) 2016/849 concerning restrictive measures against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 31(2) thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision (CFSP) 2016/849 of 27 May 2016 concerning restrictive measures against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and repealing Decision 2013/183/CFSP (1), and in particular Article 33(1) thereof,

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

Whereas:

- (1) On 27 May 2016, the Council adopted Decision (CFSP) 2016/849.
- (2) On 22 December 2017, the United Nations Security Council adopted Resolution 2397(2017) which added sixteen persons and one entity to the list of persons and entities subject to restrictive measures.
- (3) Annex I to Decision (CFSP) 2016/849 should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Annex I to Decision (CFSP) 2016/849 is hereby amended as set out in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

Done at Brussels, 8 January 2018.

For the Council The President E. KRALEVA

ANNEX

The persons and entity listed below shall be added to the list of persons and entities subject to restrictive measures set out in Annex I to Decision (CFSP) 2016/849:

A. Persons

	Name	Alias	Date of birth	Date of UN designation	Statement of reasons
64.	CH'OE SO'K MIN		DOB: 25.7.1978 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ch'oe So'k-min is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative. In 2016, Ch'oe So'k-min was the deputy representative of the Foreign Trade Bank branch office in that overseas location. He has been associated with cash transfers from that overseas Foreign Trade Bank office to banks affiliated with North Korean special organizations and Reconnaissance General Bureau operatives located overseas in an effort to evade sanctions.
65.	СНИ НУО'К	Ju Hyok	DOB: 23.11.1986 Passport No 836420186 issued 28.10.2016 expires 28.10.2021. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Chu Hyo'k is a North Korean national who is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative.
66.	KIM JONG SIK	Kim Cho'ng-sik	YOB: 1967-1969. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male Address: DPRK	22.12.2017	A leading official guiding the DPRK's WMD development efforts. Serving as Deputy Director of the Workers' Party of Korea Munitions Industry Department.
67.	KIM KYONG IL	Kim Kyoʻng-il	Location: Libya DOB: 1.8.1979 Passport No 836210029. Nationality: DPRK. Gender: male	22.12.2017	Kim Kyong Il is a Foreign Trade Bank deputy chief representative in Libya.
68.	KIM TONG CHOL	Kim Tong-ch'o'l	DOB: 28.1.1966 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Kim Tong Chol is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative.
69.	KO CHOL MAN	Ko Ch'o'l-man	DOB: 30.9.1967 Passport No 472420180 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ko Chol Man is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative.



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70.	KU JA HYONG	Ku Cha-hyo'ng	Location: Libya DOB: 8.9.1957 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ku Ja Hyong is a Foreign Trade Bank chief representative in Libya
71.	MUN KYONG HWAN	Mun Kyo'ng- hwan	DOB: 22.8.1967 Passport No 381120660 expires 25.3.2016. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Mun Kyong Hwan is an overseas Bank of East Land representative.
72.	PAE WON UK	Pae Wo'n-uk	DOB: 22.8.1969 Nationality: DPRK Passport No 472120208 expires 22.2.2017 Gender: male	22.12.2017	Pae Won Uk is an overseas Daesong Bank representative.
73.	PAK BONG NAM	Lui Wai Ming; Pak Pong Nam; Pak Pong-nam	DOB: 6.5.1969 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Pak Bong Nam is an overseas Ilsim International Bank representative.
74.	PAK MUN IL	Pak Mun-il	DOB 1.1.1965 Passport No 563335509 expires 27.8.2018. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Pak Mun Il is an overseas official of Korea Daesong Bank.
75.	RI CHUN HWAN	Ri Ch'un-hwan	DOB: 20.8.1965 Passport No 563233049 expires 11.3.2019. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ri Chun Hwan is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative.
76.	RI CHUN SONG	Ri Ch'un-so'ng	DOB: 30.10.1965 Passport No 654133553 expires 11.3.2019. Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ri Chun Song is an overseas Foreign Trade Bank representative.

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77.	RI PYONG CHUL	Ri Pyo'ng-ch'o'l	YOB: 1948 Nationality: DPRK Gender: Male Address: DPRK	22.12.2017	Alternate Member of the Political Bureau of the Workers' Party of Korea and First Vice Director of the Muni- tions Industry Department
78.	RI SONG HYOK	Li Cheng He	DOB: 19.3.1965 Nationality: DPRK Gender: male	22.12.2017	Ri Song Hyok is an overseas representative for Koryo Bank and Koryo Credit Development Bank and has reportedly established front companies to procure items and conduct financial transactions on behalf of North Korea.
79.	RI U'N SO'NG	Ri Eun Song; Ri Un Song	DOB: 23.7.1969 Nationality: DPRK Gender: Male	22.12.2017	Ri U'n-so'ng is an overseas Korea Unification Development Bank rep- resentative.

B. Entities

	Name	Alias	Location	Date of UN designation	Other information
54.	MINISTRY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMED FORCES (MPAF)		Pyongyang, DPRK	22.12.2017	The Ministry of the People's Armed Forces manages the general administrative and logistical needs of the Korean People's Army