

Luxembourg, 8 June 2017

Formal sitting of the Court of Justice

## Entry into office of a new Member at the General Court of the European Union

By decision of 29 March 2017, the representatives of the governments of the Member States appointed Mr Colm Mac Eochaidh as Judge at the General Court of the European Union for a term of office expiring on 31 August 2019.

A formal sitting of the Court of Justice will take place today on the occasion of the taking of the oath of the new Judge called upon to take up office.

The ceremony will be streamed live from 12.30 on the following site: <u>http://c.connectedviews.com/cdi</u>

## Curriculum vitae of Mr Colm Mac Eochaidh

Born 1963; graduated in law from University College Dublin, National University of Ireland (1984); Barrister, Honorable Society of King's Inns, Dublin (1987); European Officer at the Law Society, Chancery Lane, London (1988-90); Representative of the Law Society of England and Wales and the Law Society of Scotland in Brussels (1990-93); Barrister (1993-2009) and Senior Counsel (2009-12); lecturer in competition law at the Honorable Society of King's Inns, Dublin (1993-99); lecturer at the EU-China Law School (2008-12); Judge (2012-17), in charge of the Immigration and Asylum Division (2014-17), at the High Court (Ireland); Judge at the General Court since 8 June 2017.

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