



EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING
DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT
UNDERTAKING No 27/2020

**approving the date on which the EuroHPC JU will have the capacity to
implement its own budget**

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2018/1488 of 28 September 2018 establishing the European High Performance Computing (HPC) Joint Undertaking (hereinafter "Regulation")¹, and in particular Article 29 thereof.

WHEREAS

- (1) Article 29 of Council Regulation (EU) 2018/1488 stipulates that the European Commission shall be responsible for the establishment and initial operation of the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking, and that it appointed an official to act as interim Executive Director in accordance with Article 29, paragraph 2, letter (a) of the aforementioned Regulation.
- (2) Paragraph 4 of the article mentioned above establishes that the interim Executive Director shall, with the agreement of the Executive Director of the EuroHPC JU and subject to the approval of the Governing Board, determine the date on which the EuroHPC JU will have the capacity to implement its own budget.
- (3) The Executive Director was appointed by the Governing Board Decision 17/2020 of 15 May 2020.
- (4) As agreed with the responsible European Commission services, EuroHPC JU will be able to access the IT tools and in particular the accounting system to implement its own budget on the 23 September 2020.
- (5) The assessment report annexed to this Decision demonstrates and documents the capacity of EuroHPC JU to implement its own budget.
- (6) Article 11 of the Governing Board Rules of Procedure allows to obtain the approval of Governing Boards members by a written procedure.

¹ OJ L 252, 08.10.2018, p. 1

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

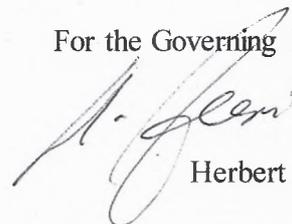
The Governing Board establishes 23 September 2020 as the date on which EuroHPC JU will have the capacity to implement its own budget.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its adoption.

Done at Luxembourg, on 22 September 2020.

For the Governing Board



Herbert Zeisel

The Chair

Annex: EuroHPC JU Readiness Assessment Report