



**EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING**  
**DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT**  
**UNDERTAKING**

**No 23/2025**

**amending the Decision of the Governing Board of the EuroHPC Joint**  
**Undertaking No 18/2022 on the selection of the Hosting Entities for the**  
**Mid-Range Supercomputers (Amendment No 2)**

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EUROHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 of 13 July 2021 on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking and repealing Regulation (EU) 2018/1488<sup>1</sup>, (hereinafter, "the JU Regulation"), in particular Articles 9, 10, and 14 thereof,

Having regard to the Statutes of the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking annexed to the JU Regulation (thereinafter "JU Statutes") and in particular to Article 7(4), (d),

Having regard to the Council Regulation (EU) 2024/1732 of 17 June 2024 amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 as regards a EuroHPC initiative for start-ups in order to boost European leadership in trustworthy artificial intelligence<sup>2</sup>,

Having regard to the Governing Board Decision No 27/2021 of 12 November 2021 approving the launch of the calls for expression of interest for the selection of Hosting Entities for Mid-Range Supercomputer,

Having regard to the Governing Board Decision No 18/2022 of 14 June 2022 on the selection of the Hosting Entities for the Mid-Range Supercomputers,

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 256, 19.7.2021, p. 3.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L, 19.6.2024, p. 1-5.

Having regard to the Governing Board Decision No 05/2024 of 29 February 2024 amending the Decision of the Governing Board of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking No 18/2022 on the selection of the Hosting Entities for the Mid-Range Supercomputers,

## WHEREAS

- (1) By means of Governing Board Decision No 18/2022, the Governing Board approved the selection of the Governmental Agency for IT Development (KIFÜ) to host the EuroHPC Mid-Range Supercomputer Levente,
- (2) The Hosting Entity informed the EuroHPC JU that KIFÜ ceased to exist on 31 December 2024, and its legal successor, Digital Government Development and Project Management Ltd (“DKF”), became operational on 1 January 2025. DKF confirmed that it would continue the Levente project under the same conditions as provided for the call for expression of interest launched by means of the Governing Board Decision No 27/2021 of 12 November 2021,
- (3) The Hosting Entity informed the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking about its intention to adjust the budgets allocated to the acquisition costs and operating costs of the EuroHPC Mid-Range Supercomputer. In particular, the Hosting Entity informed about the intention to reallocate budget from the operating costs to the acquisition costs due to estimated larger costs needed for the acquisition of the Mid-Range supercomputer due to an update of the technical specifications,
- (4) The total costs of ownership remain the same as approved by the Governing Board Decision No 18/2022 of 14 June 2022,
- (5) The proposed adjustment of budgets does not affect the process of evaluation and selection of the Hosting Entity, in accordance with the conditions set out in the call for expression of interest approved by means of the Governing Board Decision No 27/2021 of 12 November 2021,
- (6) The proposed adjustment between the acquisition and operating costs for the LEVENTE Mid-Range Supercomputer will not affect the percentage of the Union’s financial contribution, nor the Union’s access time,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

### *Article 1*

The Governing Board approves the adjustment of budgets allocated to the acquisition costs and operating costs of the Levente Mid-Range Supercomputer. The maximum acquisition costs shall be EUR 21,876,223.00. The maximum operating costs shall be EUR 20,420,126.00.

The maximum total costs of ownership remain the same as approved by means of the Governing Board Decision No 18/2022 of 14 June 2022.

*Article 2*

Annex 1 of the Governing Board Decision No 18/2022 is replaced by Annex 1, annexed to this Decision.

*Article 3*

Other provisions of the Governing Board Decisions No 18/2022 of 14 June 2022 and No 05/2024 of 29 February 2024 remain unchanged.

*Article 4*

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

Done at Luxembourg, on 27 June 2025.

For the Governing Board

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The Chair

*Annex 1. Updated Ranked list of selected applicants retained as Hosting Entities for the Mid-Range supercomputers with indications of the maximum Union funding to be allocated for each Mid-Range supercomputer.*

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Rank	Application acronym	Final score	Evaluation status	Requested EU contribution (EUR)	Acquisition costs (a)	Operating costs (b)	TCO (a + b)
1	EHPCPL – Poland	98	Final	14,650,000.00	24,620,000.00	17,230,000.00	41,850,000.00
2	Daedalus – Greece	85	Final	18,851,835.75	36,228,287.85	17,634,100.00	53,862,387.85
3	CASPIr – Ireland	85	Final	20,117,100.00	28,737,500.00	33,761,500.00	62,499,000.00
4	Levente - Hungary	81	Final	14,803,722.00	21,876,223.00	20,420,126.00	42,296,349.00