

## **DECISION No GB/2021/7**

of

The Governing Board of European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre

empowering the Interim Executive Director to request the Commission's agreement to adopt the decision on the delegation to the Executive Director and the Interim Executive Director of the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre of the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the appointing authority and by the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants on the authority authorised to conclude contracts of employment

#### THE GOVERNING BOARD

Having regard to the Staff Regulations of Officials ('Staff Regulations') and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants ('CEOS') of the European Union laid down by Council Regulation (EEC, Euratom, ECSC) No 259/68<sup>1</sup>, and in particular Articles 2(1), 110 (2) of the Staff Regulations and Article 6 of the CEOS,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2021/887 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2021 establishing the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre and the Network of National Coordination Centres ('the founding Regulation'),<sup>2</sup> and in particular Article 30 (2)-(5) and Article 46 (2) and (3) thereto,

## WHEREAS,

- (1) Pursuant to Article 30 (2) of the founding Regulation, the Governing Board is to exercise, with respect to the staff of the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre ('ECCC'), the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the Appointing Authority and the powers conferred by the Conditions of Employment on the authority empowered to conclude contract (the 'appointing authority powers').
- (2) According to Article 30 (3) of the founding Regulation, the Governing Board is to adopt, in accordance with Article 110 (2) of the Staff Regulations, a decision based on Article 2(1) of the Staff Regulations and on Article 6 of the CEOS delegating the relevant appointing authority powers to the Executive Director and defining the conditions under which that delegation may be suspended. The Executive Director is authorised to sub-delegate those powers.
- (3) Pursuant to Article 30 (4) of the founding Regulation, where exceptional circumstances so require, the Governing Board may, through a decision, temporarily suspend the delegation of the appointing authority powers to the Executive Director and any sub-delegation made by the latter. In such a case the Governing Board shall exercise itself the appointing authority powers or delegate them to one of its members or to a member of staff of the ECCC other than the Executive Director.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ L 56, 4.3.1968, p. 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> OJ L 202, 8.6.2021, p. 1–31.



- (4) Pursuant to Article 30 (5) of founding Regulation, the Governing Board shall adopt implementing rules as regards the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment in accordance with Article 110 of the Staff Regulations.
- (5) Pursuant to the Communication C(2014)6543 final of 26 September 2014 from Vice-President Šefčovič to the Commission on the guidelines on the implementation of Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations with regard to the implementing rules applicable in the agencies, the Governing Board shall empower the interim Executive Director to request the Commission's agreement for the adoption of the Governing Board Decision concerning the delegation to the Executive Director and the Interim Executive Director of the ECCC of the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the appointing authority and by the CEOS on the authority authorised to conclude contracts of employment.

# HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

The interim Executive Director is empowered to request the Commission's agreement on the adoption of the Governing Board Decision concerning the delegation to the Executive Director and the Interim Executive Director of the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre of the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the appointing authority and by the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants on the authority authorised to conclude contracts of employment.

Done at Brussels, 20 October 2021

For the European Cybersecurity Industrial, Technology and Research Competence Centre

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