

**DECISION**  
ADB(D) 20-2017

**On the approval of SJU Annual Accounts 2016**

THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF THE SESAR JOINT UNDERTAKING (SJU),

Having regard to:

- Council Regulation (EC) No 219/2007 of 27 February 2007, on the establishment of a Joint Undertaking to develop the new generation of the European Air Traffic Management system (SESAR)<sup>1</sup> as amended by Council Regulation (EC) No 1361/2008 of 16 December 2008<sup>2</sup> and by Council Regulation (EU) No 721/2014 of 16 June 2014<sup>3</sup> ('SJU Regulation') and in particular Article 5(1)(i) of the Annex to the SJU Regulation, "Statutes of the joint undertaking" ('SJU Statutes');
- The SJU Financial Rules, adopted by the Administrative Board with decision ADB(D)08-2015 of 25 June 2015, in particular Article 98 thereof;

Whereas:

- The Annual Accounts for the year 2016, which were submitted to the Administrative Board in their Final version on 23 June 2017, are now complemented by the "*Report on the Annual Accounts of the SESAR Joint Undertaking for the financial year 2016 together with the Joint Undertaking replies*" of the European Court of Auditors of 19 September 2017;
- In accordance with Article 9 of the SJU Administrative Board's Rules of Procedure, a Written Procedure for the approval of the SJU Annual Account 2016 was launched on 21 November 2017 and concluded on 8 December 2017 with positive results;

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 64, 2.3.2007, p. 1

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 352, 31.12.2008, p. 12

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 192, 1.7.2014, p. 1

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Annual Accounts for the year 2016, annexed to this decision are approved.

Article 2

This decision shall enter into force on the day following its adoption.

Done in Brussels, 8 December 2017.

For the Administrative Board

*The Chairperson*  
Henrik Hololei



Annex: Annual accounts of the SESAR Joint Undertaking - Financial year 2016