

**FUSION FOR ENERGY**

The European Joint Undertaking for ITER and the Development of Fusion Energy

34TH GOVERNING BOARD MEETING**DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EUROPEAN JOINT UNDERTAKING FOR ITER AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF FUSION ENERGY ON THE WORKING LANGUAGE OF THE JOINT UNDERTAKING,**

HAVING REGARD to the Statutes annexed to the Council Decision (Euratom) No 198/2007 of 27 March 2007 establishing the European Joint Undertaking for ITER and the Development of Fusion Energy (hereinafter "Fusion for Energy") and conferring advantages upon it¹ (hereinafter "the Statutes") in particular Articles 6(3)(i) and 8a(1) and 10(2),

WHEREAS the Governing Board, in agreement with the Commission, should adopt the necessary Implementing Rules for the Staff Regulations in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 100 of the Staff Regulations;

WHEREAS Fusion for Energy should manage its resources in a way compatible with its legal obligations and policy orientations;

WHEREAS it is indispensable that all staff members of the Joint Undertaking can communicate in one language and therefore a working language must be established,

WHEREAS English is the language used in relation with the international partners of the Joint Undertaking in the ambit of the ITER project and it is the commonly used language in the international scientific field,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Sole Article

English is the working language of the staff of the Joint Undertaking.

This decision shall have immediate effect.

¹ O.J. L 90, 30.03.2007, p. 58.

Done at Barcelona, on 2 December 2015

For the Governing Board

Joaquín Sanchez
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Romina Bemelmans
Secretary of the Governing Board

