DIRECTOR DECISION 2014-12

of 7 October 2014

On Public Holidays for 2015 for the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators

THE DIRECTOR OF THE AGENCY FOR THE COOPERATION OF ENERGY REGULATORS,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 713/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 establishing the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators¹, and, in particular, Article 17(5) thereof,

Having regard to the Staff Regulations of officials and the Conditions of Employment of other servants of the European Communities (hereinafter “CEOS”), laid down by Council Regulation (EEC, EURATOM, ECSC) No 259/68², and, in particular, Article 61 of the Staff Regulations, and Articles 16 and 91 of the CEOS,

Having regard to Commission Decision C(2013)9051 introducing implementing provisions on leave, and, in particular, III.f and III.g thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Every year the Agency issues a list of public holidays for the following calendar year.

(2) When adopting this Decision, Commission Decision C(2013)9051 introducing implementing provisions on leave was taken into account. According to Section III.f of the Annex to Commission Decision C(2013)9051, the total number of holidays shall be between 17 days (minimum) and 19 days (maximum).

(3) As the Agency has its seat in Ljubljana it has also taken into consideration the list of public holidays in the Republic of Slovenia, as laid down in the Official Journal of the Republic of Slovenia³.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following 19 days will be considered as public holidays for the Agency in 2015.

**Article 2**

Without prejudice to the schedule of holidays for 2015, Friday, 01 January 2016 will be a holiday.

**Article 3**

Staff members may choose to work on 4 days which are considered as holidays. The number of days worked will be changed with other days in the leave management tool by submitting a change of ACER holidays request. Staff members working during holidays must get the approval from the immediate supervisor at least 15 days in advance in the leave management tool ("Submit a new change of ACER holidays request"). Each immediate supervisor shall verify whether his/her staff members worked during the public holiday, as approved.

**Article 4**

The Director reserves the right to modify these provisions, should the needs of service so require.

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

Done at Ljubljana on 7 October 2014.

Signature:

Alberto Potschenig
Director