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## ORGANISATION EUROPÉENNE POUR LA RECHERCHE NUCLÉAIRE $\overline{\text{CERN}}$ European organization for nuclear research

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

Three-Hundred-and-Seventy-Fourth Meeting Geneva – 9 December 2020 – **9.00 a.m.** 

Participation by videoconference

**DRAFT AGENDA** 

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| <u>Item</u> |   | <u>Document Reference</u> | <u>Action</u>      |
|-------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 1.          | Adoption of the agenda  | CERN/FC/6442              |                    |
| 2.          | Approval of the draft minutes of the three-hundred-and-seventy-third meeting  | CERN/FC/6443/RA/Draft     | For decision       |
| 3.          | Matters arising from the previous meeting   |                           |                    |
| 4.          | Briefing by the President of Council  | Oral                      |                    |
| 5.          | CERN response to COVID-19 pandemic (Director-General)   | Oral                      |                    |
| 6.          | Status of payment of 2020 contributions by the Member and Associate Member States (Dr M. Steinacher)  | CERN/FC/6444/RA           | For information    |
| 7.          | Cash position (Dr M. Steinacher)  | CERN/FC/6445/RA           | For information    |
| 8.          | Update on the cumulative budget deficit (CBD) (Dr M. Steinacher)  | Oral                      |                    |
| 9.          | The Cost-Variation Index for 2021 (Dr F. Sonnemann)   | CERN/FC/6446<br>CERN/3533 | For Recommendation |
| 10.         | Final Budget of the Organization for the sixty-<br>seventh financial year 2021  | CERN/FC/6447<br>CERN/3534 | For information    |
| 11.         | CERN - External Review Committee for FHR Implementation of recommendations and quantitative assessment of the cost savings (Dr M. Steinacher) | Oral                      |                    |
| 12.         | Report by the Chair of the Tripartite<br>Employment Conditions Forum (TREF)<br>(Prof. B. Åsman)   | Oral                      |                    |
| 13.         | Proposed amendments to the 11 <sup>th</sup> edition of the Staff Rules and Regulations – technical adjustments (Mr J. Purvis)                 | CERN/FC/6448<br>CERN/3535 | For decision       |
| 14.         | Proposed amendments to the Rules and<br>Regulations of the Pension Fund and the CERN<br>Health Insurance Scheme<br>(Dr M. Steinacher)         | CERN/FC/6449<br>CERN/3536 | For decision       |
| 15.         | Audit Committee (AC) Report on the AC meeting held on 17 November 2020 (Dr U. Dosselli)   | Oral                      |                    |

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| 16.         | CERN Pension Fund  |                                 |                 |
| a)          | Report by the Chair of the Pension Fund<br>Governing Board<br>(Mr O. Malmberg)   | Oral                            |                 |
| b)          | Investment performance report (Mr M. Eyton-Jones)  | Oral                            |                 |
| c)          | Dashboard on the evolution of the CERN<br>Pension Fund as at 1 July 2020 (Buck)  | CERN/FC/6450/RA                 | For information |
| 17.         | LHC Matters  |                                 |                 |
| a)          | Status of LS2, LIU and HL-LHC (Dr F. Bordry)   | Oral                            |                 |
| b)          | Earned-value management (EVM) reports on<br>the LHC Injector Upgrade (LIU) and High-<br>Luminosity LHC Projects<br>(Dr F. Bordry)                            | CERN/FC/6451/RA<br>CERN/3539/RA | Oral            |
| c)          | Status report on experiments and computing (Prof. E. Elsen)  | Oral                            |                 |
| 18.         | Contract adjudications   |                                 |                 |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of a data centre on CERN's Prévessin site                       | CERN/FC/6453/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of three blanket purchase contracts for the supply of CPU servers for physics data processing   | CERN/FC/6454/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of four blanket purchase contracts for the supply of serial-attached SCSI JBOD (external disk-based storage array) expansion units    | CERN/FC/6455/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for an extension of an existing contract<br>covering supervisory control and data<br>acquisition system licences and their<br>maintenance           | CERN/FC/6456/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the provision of IEEE academic publication subscriptions and open access publishing | CERN/FC/6457/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the provision of subscriptions to and open access publishing in ELSEVIER journals   | CERN/FC/6458/RA                 | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal to negotiate the renewal of two blanket<br>purchase contracts for the supply of automation<br>systems and fieldbus equipment                        | CERN/FC/6459/RA                 | For decision    |

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| -           | Proposal to negotiate an amendment to an existing blanket purchase contract for the supply of control electronics and software   | CERN/FC/6460/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a blanket purchase contract for the supply of pre-fitted optical-fibre cables and terminal hardware  | CERN/FC/6461/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the supply of polyimide-insulated cryogenic instrumentation wire for the High-Luminosity LHC project  | CERN/FC/6462/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the design, supply and experimental qualification of a series of superfluid helium heat exchangers for the D2 magnets for the High-Luminosity LHC project | CERN/FC/6463/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a blanket purchase<br>contract for the supply of Advanced<br>Telecommunication Computing Architecture<br>(ATCA) shelves  | CERN/FC/6464/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of two blanket purchase contracts for the supply of electronic components through a punch-out catalogue   | CERN/FC/6465/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the supply of two high-efficiency klystrons for the power upgrade of the X-band test facility   | CERN/FC/6466/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the supply of cryogenic temperature sensors for the High-Luminosity LHC project and CERN test facilities  | CERN/FC/6467/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for the award of a contract, without competitive tendering, for the repatriation of the depleted uranium in the L3 hadron calorimeter modules to the Russian Federation   | CERN/FC/6468/RA    | For decision    |
| -           | Proposal for a change of contractor for the provision of security and access control services on the CERN site   | CERN/FC/6469/RA    | For decision    |
| 19.         | Other business   |                    |                 |
|             | - Additional FC meeting on Tuesday 4 May 2021 dedicated to discussion of the draft MTP   |                    |                 |
|             | - Timetable for Council Sessions and committee meetings in 2022  | CERN/3541          | For information |