

## **DECISION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF 29 SEPTEMBER 2014**

### **Laying down the General Implementing Provisions on the procedure governing the engagement and the use of Temporary Agents at the European Maritime Safety Agency: extension by nine months**

THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF THE EUROPEAN MARITIME SAFETY AGENCY,

Having regard to the Staff Regulations of Officials (Staff Regulations) and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union (CEOS), laid down by Council Regulation (EEC, EURATOM, ECSC) No 259/68, as last amended<sup>1</sup>, and in particular to Article 110 (2) of the Staff Regulations and Articles 2 (f), 8, 14, 53, 55 and 56 of the CEOS,

Having regard to the Council Regulation (EC) n° 1406/2002 of 27 June 2002, as amended, establishing the European Maritime Safety Agency, and in particular Article 6 thereof.

Taking into account the high number of temporary staff within agencies and the need to define a consistent staff policy, the revised Staff Regulations, which entered into force on 1st January 2014, have introduced under Article 2 f) of the CEOS a new category of temporary staff and have laid down specific rules for that category.

Whereas Article 56 of the CEOS, as last amended, requires each agency to adopt, in accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations, general provisions on the procedures governing the engagement and use of temporary staff referred to in Article 2(f).

Whereas for this purpose, the Administrative Board adopted a 'bridge decision' on 24 January 2014 on general implementing provisions on the procedure governing the engagement and the use of temporary agents at EMSA which is only valid until 1st October 2014.

Given that the foreseen adoption of more significant changes to the general implementing provisions on the procedure governing the engagement and the use of temporary agents is not yet ready and will not enter into force on 1st October 2014 as foreseen.

Given the need to ensure business continuity and to comply with Article 56 of the CEOS.


After consultation of the Staff Committee,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### **Article 1**

The decision of the Administrative Board of 24 January 2014 on general implementing provisions on the procedure governing the engagement and the use of temporary agents at EMSA is hereby extended for a further period of nine months and shall remain in force until 1<sup>st</sup> July 2015.

Done at Lisbon by written procedure on 29 September 2014,

  
Frans Van Rompuy  
Chairman of the Administrative Board

<sup>1</sup> OJ L 56, 4.3.1968, p. 1, as last amended by Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1023/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 October 2013, OJ L 287, 29.10.2013, p.15.