

Information

on the transfers in the 2018 Budget of the Office of the Body of European Regulators for Electronic Communications ('the BEREC Office') carried out by the Administrative Manager in January-March 2018

Introduction and legal basis

Article 27 (1) of Decision MC/2014/1 of the BEREC Office Management Committee (MC) on the financial regulation applicable to the BEREC Office in conformity with the framework Financial Regulation for the bodies referred to in Article 208 of Council Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 on the Financial Regulation applicable to the general budget of the European Union (hereinafter referred to as "the BEREC Office Financial Regulation") stipulates that the Administrative Manager may transfer appropriations without limit from one chapter to another and from one article to another, and from one title to another up to a maximum of 10 % of the appropriations for the year shown on the line from which the transfer is made.

To ensure the best use of the financial resources available in the BEREC Office budget for expenses, after reviewing all liabilities of the BEREC Office, during the first quarter 2018 the BEREC Office Administrative Manager executed four transfers of appropriations in the BEREC Office 2018 Budget, as follows:

1. transfer (1-2018) to be performed from Title 3 to Title 2.

The transfer has not generated any changes on revenue side.

Further information about the transfer carried out by the Administrative Manager is presented below. The transfer of appropriations above EUR 5,000.00 is accompanied by additional explanations.

1. Transfer of appropriations to Title 2 from Title 3

Transfer to:

A-2005 (Security and surveillance of buildings) - in order to cover the expenditure on buildings connected with security and surveillance, in particular the contract governing the building security (BEREC/16/064), an increase of 19.893,43 EUR is proposed for this budget line. This budget line holds appropriations of 13 kEUR of which 12 kEUR already committed.

VNI (Latvian State Company owning and managing the BEREC Office premises) communicated on 05/01/2018 (Ares(2018)97155 - 08/01/2018) the decision Nr. 4/2-3/155, where the BEREC Office is notified of the change of hourly rate for the provision of security and surveillance services from 3.20 EUR per hour to 9.70 EUR per hour. The BEREC Office planned the 2018 Budget for that budget line based on the hourly rate of 3.20 EUR as already communicated and agreed with



the owner. The BEREC office replied on 11/01/2018 (Ares(2018)174776 - 11/01/2018) of the change being entering into effect as of 07/02/2018.

The appropriations requested are calculated based on the working and public holiday days the security personnel would need or would be requested to be present (243 days in total by 13.5 h of presence and 7 days of public holidays upon request by 11h of presence). 1% of the requested amount is also to be added for better planning of the resources.

Transfer from:

Availability has been identified under BL 3001 (Support to BEREC Expert Working Groups) since 55 kEUR was carried over from 2017 for 6 meetings for January 2018.

The appropriations available on BL 3001 are of the amount of 585 kEUR but with the carry-over from 2017 the estimate was revised to 530 kEUR.

Based on the number of meetings envisaged by the EWGs Co-Chairs and on historical figures as the average participants and costs regards, the actual total expenditure might be around 460 kEUR. Reserve is kept on the budget line to manage the relatively high uncertainty.

The table below presents the requested transfer:

Appropriations to be credited (transfer to)		Appropriations to be debited (transfer from)		
Budget line(s)	Estimated needs	Budget line(s)	Appropriations not needed	
BL 2005 (Security and surveillance of buildings)	32.893,43	BL 3001 (Support to the BEREC Expert Working Groups)	19.893,43	

2. Final provisions

The current information is brought to the attention of the MC in compliance with the provisions of the Article 27 (4) according to which the Administrative Manager has to inform the MC as soon as possible of all transfers made.

Riga, 01 June 2018

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Administrative Manager

3. Budgetary transfers January-March 2018

Budget Line	Budget Item Description	Budget 2018 approved by budg. authority	10%	Transfers January 2018 (1)	Budget with transfers	comments JAN 18
	Budget	4.331.000,00				
1	STAFF	2.489.045,00		0,00	2.489.045,00	
11	STAFF IN ACTIVE EMPLOYMENT	1.850.521,00		0,00	1.850.521,00	
110	Staff in active employment	1.136.335,00		0,00	1.136.335,00	
1100	Basic salaries	820.790,00	82.079,00	0,00	820.790,00	
1101	Family allowances	160.392,00	16.039,20	0,00	160.392,00	
1102	Expatriation and foreign- residence allowances	155.153,00	15.515,30	0,00	155.153,00	
111	Contract staff and other staff	625.818,00		0,00	625.818,00	
1110	Contract staff	447.179,00	44.717,90	0,00	447.179,00	
1111	Seconded national experts	178.639,00	17.863,90	0,00	178.639,00	
112	Employer's social security contributions	57.700,00		0,00	57.700,00	
1120	Insurance against sickness	37.116,00	3.711,60	0,00	37.116,00	
1121	Insurance against accidents and occupational disease	5.072,00	507,20	0,00	5.072,00	
1122	Insurance against unemployment	15.512,00	1.551,20	0,00	15.512,00	
1123	Constitution or maintenance of pension rights	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	

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113	Miscellaneous allowances and grants	30.668,00		0,00	30.668,00	
1130	Childbirth and death allowances and grants	398,00	39,80	0,00	398,00	
1131	Travel expenses for annual leave	30.270,00	3.027,00	0,00	30.270,00	
1139	Other allowances	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
119	Salary weightings	0,00		0,00	0,00	
1190	Salary weightings	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
1191	Adjustments to remunerations	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
1 2	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURE ON STAFF RECRUITMENT AND TRANSFER	48.403,00		0,00	48.403,00	
120	Recruitment expenses	15.000,00		0,00	15.000,00	
1200	Travel expenses	15.000,00	1.500,00	0,00	15.000,00	
1201	Miscellaneous expenditure on staff recruitment	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
121	Expenses on entering/leaving	33.403,00		0,00	33.403,00	
1210	Travel expenses on entering/leaving	4.982,00	498,20	0,00	4.982,00	

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1211	Installation, resettlement and transfer allowances	9.800,00	980,00	0,00	9.800,00	
1212	Removal expenses	10.120,00	1.012,00	0,00	10.120,00	
1213	Daily subsistence allowances	8.501,00	850,10	0,00	8.501,00	
13	MISSIONS AND DUTY TRAVEL	198.000,00		0,00	198.000,00	
1300	Mission expenses, duty travel expenses and other ancillary expenditure	198.000,00	19.800,00	0,00	198.000,00	
1 4	SOCIOMEDICAL SERVICES	4.060,00		0,00	4.060,00	
1 4 0	Medical service	4.060,00		0,00	4.060,00	
1400	Medical service	4.060,00	406,00	0,00	4.060,00	
1 5	TRAININGS	76.912,00		0,00	76.912,00	
150	Training	76.912,00		0,00	76.912,00	
1500	Training	76.912,00	7.691,20	0,00	76.912,00	
16	EXTERNAL SER VICES	299.029,00		0,00	299.029,00	
1600	External services	299.029,00	29.902,90	0,00	299.029,00	
17	REPRESENTATION AND MISCELLANEOUS STAFF COSTS	12.120,00		0,00	12.120,00	
1700	Representation, receptions and events, and miscellaneous staff expenses	12.120,00	1.212,00	0,00	12.120,00	

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2	BUILDINGS, EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING EXPENDITURE	452.624,00		19.893,43	472.517,43	
20	RENTAL OF BUILDINGS AND ASSOCIATED COSTS	108.285,00		19.893,43	128.178,43	
200	Buildings and associated costs	108.285,00		19.893,43	128.178,43	
2000	Rent	61.838,00	6.183,80	0,00	61.838,00	
2001	Insurance	2.020,00	202,00	0,00	2.020,00	
2002	Water, gas, electricity and heating	28.817,00	2.881,70	0,00	28.817,00	
2003	Cleaning	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
2004	Fitting-out and maintenance of premises	2.610,00	261,00	0,00	2.610,00	
2005	Security and surveillance of buildings	13.000,00	1.300,00	19.893,43	32.893,43	
2009	Other expenditure relating to the acquisition, construction or maintenance of a building	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
21	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PURCHASES	217.000,00		0,00	217.000,00	
210	Information technology purchases	217.000,00		0,00	217.000,00	
2100	Computer equipment	15.400,00	1.540,00	0,00	15.400,00	
2101	Software	15.000,00	1.500,00	0,00	15.000,00	
2102	Other external data processing services	186.600,00	18.660,00	0,00	186.600,00	

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2 2	MOVABLE PROPERTY AND ASSOCIATED COSTS	5.073,00		0,00	5.073,00	
220	Technical installations and electronic office equipment	0,00		0,00	0,00	
2200	Technical installations and electronic office equipment	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
221	Furniture	4.525,00		0,00	4.525,00	
2210	Furniture	4.525,00	452,50	0,00	4.525,00	
229	Other movable property and associated costs	548,00		0,00	548,00	
2290	Books, newspapers and documentation	548,00	54,80		548,00	
2291	Cars, transport vehicles, and maintenance and repairs	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
2299	Other movable property, and maintenance and repairs	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
2 3	CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE	96.726,00		0,00	96.726,00	
230	Stationery and office supplies	15.645,00		0,00	15.645,00	
2300	Stationery and office supplies	15.645,00	1.564,50	0,00	15.645,00	
232	Financial charges	0,00		0,00	0,00	
2320	Bank charges	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	_
2321	Exchange rate losses	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
2329	Other financial charges	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	

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233	Legal expenses	2.525,00		0,00	2.525,00	
2330	Legal expenses	2.525,00	252,50	0,00	2.525,00	
2331	Damages	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
235	Other operating expenses	78.556,00		0,00	78.556,00	
2350	Miscellaneous insurances	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	
2359	Other operating expenses	78.556,00	7.855,60	0,00	78.556,00	
2 4	POSTAGE AND TELECOMM.	14.110,00		0,00	14.110,00	
2400	Postage and delivery charges	1.500,00	150,00	0,00	1.500,00	
2410	Telecommunication charges	12.610,00	1.261,00	0,00	12.610,00	
25	EXPENDITURE ON FORMAL AND OTHER MEETINGS	11.430,00		0,00	11.430,00	
2500	Meetings in general	11.430,00	1.143,00	0,00	11.430,00	
3	OPERATIONAL EXPENDITURE	1.389.331,00		-19.893,43	1.369.437,57	
3 0	Support to implementation of BEREC WP 2017	600.000,00		-19.893,43	580.106,57	
300	Support to implementation of BEREC WP 2017	600.000,00		-19.893,43	580.106,57	
3001	Support to the BEREC Expert Working Groups	585.000,00	58.500,00	-19.893,43	565.106,57	to BL 2005
3002	Activities under Articles 7 and 7a Framework Directive	15.000,00	1.500,00	0,00	15.000,00	

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3 1	Support to BEREC and NRAs	789.331,00		0,00	789.331,00	
310	Support to BEREC and NRAs	789.331,00		0,00	789.331,00	
3101	Other support activities to BEREC and NRAs	789.331,00	78.933,10	0,00	789.331,00	