

# Decision No 3/2021 of 07 May 2021

#### of the Management Board

## on the European Labour Authority's Anti-fraud strategy 2021-2023

THE MANAGEMENT BOARD OF THE EUROPEAN LABOUR AUTHORITY,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2019/1149 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 establishing the European Labour Authority amending Regulations (EC) No 883/2004, (EU) No 492/2011, and (EU) 2016/589 and repealing Decision (EU) 2016/344<sup>1</sup> (hereinafter "the founding Regulation" and "the Authority"), in particular Article 18(1)(e) thereof;

Having regard to the ELA Internal Control Framework, adopted by the Management Board on 15 December 2020, and in particular the Internal Control Principle 2 "Assess fraud risks":

#### Whereas:

- 1) ELA is required to adopt an Anti-fraud strategy in line with the revised Anti-fraud strategy of the Commission. In line with Anti-fraud Strategies at the Commission and DG level's, OLAF provides methodology and guidance for anti-fraud strategies for EU agencies and other entities;
- 2) OLAF's methodology and guidance for anti-fraud strategies for EU decentralised agencies, proposes for the management boards of new agencies to adopt an Anti-fraud Strategy which is proportionate to their fraud risks, having due regard to the costs and benefits of the measures to be implemented;
- 3) ELA is required to adopt an Anti-fraud strategy as a criterion for reaching its financial autonomy;
- 4) ELA is committed to take strong measures to address and mitigate any fraud, corruption and other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the European Union.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ L 186, 11.7.2019, p.21

### HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

- 1. The European Labour Authority's Anti–fraud strategy for the period 2021-2023, as annexed to this Decision, is adopted.
- 2. The Executive Director of the Authority may adopt further internal measures which are necessary to implement the Action Plan of the Anti-fraud Strategy for the period 2021-2023.

#### Article 2

## Entry into force

This decision shall enter into force on the day following the date of its adoption.

Done via written procedure Brussels, 07 May 2021 For the Management Board

Tom BEVERS
Chairperson of the Management Board