



Annex III

Commitment to purchase a share of the AI compute access time from the AIGF Consortium selected as referred to in Article 18 of the Joint Procurement Agreement

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Subject: Commitment to purchase a share of the AI Compute access time from the selected AIGF

Dear Sir/Madam

We refer to Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 establishing the European High-Performance Computing Joint Undertaking (hereinafter “Joint Undertaking” or “EuroHPC JU”) as last amended on 20th January 2026¹ and in particular recital 13 and Article 12b (4) thereof, as well as to Articles 1 (4) and 18 of the above-mentioned Joint Procurement Agreement.

On this basis, Ireland hereby commits for Phase I up to EUR 10 Million, in line with Article 18, subject to approval by the Ministerial Cabinet and the National Treasury Authority in June 2026, to purchase its share of AI compute access time to the highest ranked AIGF Consortium in Lot 1 selected for funding/ awarded the Framework Contract in the territory of France following the outcome of the selection and award process to be performed by the EuroHPC JU in accordance with the Regulation and the Joint Procurement Agreement.

This commitment shall take effect upon the selection of an AIGF consortium and award of a Framework Contract to it by the EuroHPC JU and shall be implemented in accordance with relevant contractual arrangements, including the Joint Procurement Agreement, the Framework Contract and related Specific Contracts, and any Administrative Arrangement signed with the EuroHPC JU for that purpose.

Yours faithfully,

¹ Council Regulation (EU) 2026/150 of 16 January 2026 amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking, OJ L, 2026/150, 19.1.2026, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2026/150/oj>



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