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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 551/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 March 2004 on the organisation and use of the airspace in the single European sky (the airspace Regulation)¹, and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Regulation (EU) No 677/2011 of 7 July 2011 laying down the detailed rules for the implementation of air traffic management (ATM) network functions and amending Regulation (EU) No 691/2010 (the network functions Regulation)² provides for a Network Strategy Plan.
- (2) The Network Manager should develop, maintain and implement a Network Strategy Plan defining guiding principles for the network operation and its long term perspective in accordance with Article 5 of the network functions Regulation.
- (3) The Network Strategy Plan should provide the information set out in Annex IV to network functions Regulation, including a performance plan and targets for network functions.
- (4) The Network Strategy Plan should be valid for the period 2012-2019 and it is supported by an addendum 'Roadmap and Detailed Actions'. It should be updated if appropriate during this period.
- (5) The Network Management Board has endorsed the Network Strategy Plan on 14 November 2012.
- (6) The measures provided for this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Single Sky Committee.

¹ OJ L 96 of 31.3.2004, p. 20.

² OJ L 185 of 15.7.2011, p.1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Network Strategy Plan for the period 2012-2019 set out in Annex is approved.

Article 2

The Network Manager shall monitor the implementation of the Network Strategy Plan and report on it to the Commission in accordance with Article 20 of the network functions Regulation.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 19.12.2012

For the Commission
Siim KALLAS
Vice-President

