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DECISION n° 250

of the Management Board of the European Union Agency for Railways adopting the roadmap of the Data and Digitalization Phase 2 – linked data mainstreaming

THE MANAGEMENT BOARD OF THE EUROPEAN UNION AGENCY FOR RAILWAYS,

Having regard to the Regulation (EU) 2016/796 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2016 on the European Union Agency for Railways¹ (hereinafter referred to as “the Agency”) and repealing Regulation (EC) No. 881/2004 (hereinafter called “the Regulation”);

Whereas:

- (1) The Agency’s roadmap of the Data and Digitalization Phase 1 (2019-2020) was approved in November 2019;
- (2) The Management Board have given the Agency the task to investigate, through pilot cases, whether linked data can be used to solve the identified problems and whether this approach could be mainstreamed in a second phase;
- (3) The Management Board is requested to approve the decision that linked data becomes the default setting for any future development of the databases, registers and specifications for data exchange mandated by the EU legal framework, under its remit.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Data and Digitalization roadmap for Phase 2 – linked data mainstreaming is adopted. The final text is set out in the Annex to this decision.

Article 2

The present decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its adoption. It will be published on the Agency website.

For the Management Board

The Chairwoman
Clio LIÉGEOIS

Annex: Roadmap of the Data and Digitalization Phase 2 – linked data mainstreaming

¹ OJ L 138, 26.5.2016, p. 1-43.