

**DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE CLEAN
HYDROGEN JOINT UNDERTAKING OF 25/04/2025
ADOPTING THE 2nd AMENDMENT TO THE “CLEAN HYDROGEN
JU 2025 ANNUAL WORK PROGRAMME AND BUDGET”**

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE CLEAN HYDROGEN JOINT UNDERTAKING,

HAVING REGARD TO

- COUNCIL REGULATION (EU) 2021/2085 of 19 November 2021 establishing the Joint Undertakings under Horizon Europe and repealing Regulations (EC) No 219/2007, (EU) No 557/2014, (EU) No 558/2014, (EU) No 559/2014, (EU) No 560/2014, (EU) No 561/2014 and (EU) No 642/2014¹, and in particular Article 17(2)(f), (g) and (k);
- The Financial Rules of the Clean Hydrogen JU, adopted on 17 December 2021 through Governing Board decision reference CleanHydrogen-GB-2021-03 (hereafter referred to as “the Financial Rules”)², and in particular Articles 6(5), 17(1) and (4) and 33(4);
- The Clean Hydrogen JU Governing Board Rules of Procedure³, and in particular Article 10 thereof;

WHEREAS:

- 1) The Annual Work Programme and Budget for 2025 was adopted by Governing Board through its Decision of 17/12/2024 - reference number CleanHydrogen-GB-2024-15 and amended through its Decision of 26/03/2025 - reference number CleanHydrogen-GB-2025-01;
- 2) The remaining RePowerEU budget for 2023 (EUR 2,423,093.57), specifically routed to double the number of Hydrogen Valleys in Europe, should be used to support activities related to Hydrogen Valleys;
- 3) The Budget should be amended to include unused commitment appropriations from operational expenditure originating in 2023 and decommitted in 2024, in accordance with Articles 6(5) and 17(1) of the Financial Rules. These appropriations will be used to cover expenditure in 2025, while ensuring that credits from RePowerEU 2023 are not allocated to third country funding;
- 4) It is possible to use such credits and ensure all of the above is respected with the allocation of credits to the operational call for tenders foreseen in the Annual Work Programme for 2024, and more specifically to the call for tender titled “Hydrogen Valleys Facility”.

¹ OJ L 427, 30.11.2021, p. 17–119

² FCH-GB-2019-16 <https://www.clean-hydrogen.europa.eu/system/files/2020-01/GB%2520decision%2520and%2520Financial%2520Rules.pdf>

³ https://www.clean-hydrogen.europa.eu/about-us/key-documents/governing-board-decisions_en

HAS ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Article 1

The tables “Statement of Revenue” and “Statement of Expenditure” of Section 3 “*BUDGET 2025*” of the “*Clean Hydrogen JOINT UNDERTAKING (Clean Hydrogen JU) WORK PROGRAMME 2025*” are replaced by the tables in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall be made publicly available by the Executive Director on the Clean Hydrogen JU website.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its adoption by the Clean Hydrogen JU Governing Board.

Done in Brussels, on 25 April 2025

For the Governing Board of the CLEAN HYDROGEN JU,

Ms. Danica Maljković,
Chair of the Governing Board

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Encl.: Annex 1 - Section 3 “*BUDGET 2025*”