

# 2014 discharge: SESAR Joint Undertaking to develop the new generation European air traffic management system

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**PURPOSE:** to grant discharge to the SESAR Joint Undertaking for the financial year 2014.

**NON LEGISLATIVE ACT:** Decision (EU) 2016/1594 of the European Parliament on discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the SESAR Joint Undertaking for the financial year 2014.

**CONTENT:** with the present decision, the European Parliament grants discharge to the Executive Director of the SESAR Joint Undertaking for the implementation of the latter's budget for the financial year 2014.

This decision is in line with the European Parliament's resolution adopted on 28 April 2016 and comprises a series of observations that form an integral part of the discharge decision (please refer to the summary of the opinion of 28 April 2016).

Amongst Parliament's main observations in the resolution accompanying the discharge decision, the latter highlighted the vital role of the Joint Undertaking in coordinating and implementing research into the SESAR project, which is a pillar project of the Single European Sky. It encouraged the Joint Undertaking and the Deployment Manager, in collaborating with Member States, to **increase the number and quality of projects** proposed under the Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) transport programme.