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eu-LISA MANAGEMENT BOARD PROCEEDINGS SUMMARY

WHEN   **29 January 2026**
WHERE   **Online**
WHAT   **The 60th Management Board meeting**

On 29 January 2026, the Management Board of eu-LISA (the European Union Agency for the Operational Management of Large-Scale IT Systems in the Area of Freedom, Security and Justice) held its **60th meeting** online to review the Agency's ongoing work programme, assess progress on key EU large-scale IT systems and discuss strategic planning for the coming years.

Management Board Chairperson Mr Rene Vihalem (EE) welcomed the participants and introduced the **agenda**.

During the meeting, the Management Board reviewed the implementation status of several core systems supporting the European Union's migration, border management and internal security policies. Members received updates on the roll-out of the Entry/Exit System (**EES**), **Eurodac** and **ECRIS-TCN**, as well as on activities related to the implementation of the **Screening Regulation**.

With regard to Eurodac, the Management Board focused on the ongoing implementation and the planned Entry into Operation (EiO) of the new system by **12 June 2026**. Member States stated their state of readiness for this milestone, including preparatory activities related to the testing phases. The Management Board invited eu-LISA to continue providing the necessary testing environments, clear communication and documentation in line with the agreed planning, and to support Member States as required in their readiness activities.

The Management Board also took note of discussions related to the implementation of the **Screening Regulation** (applicable from **12 June 2026**) and recalled the importance of timely designation of national screening authorities by Member States. Overall, the discussions highlighted the need for close coordination between eu-LISA, Member States and EU partners to ensure readiness, reliability and a smooth operational roll-out of the systems.

In the second work session of the meeting, the Management Board assessed the **Interoperability Roadmap 2027–2028** and the indicative plans for 2029–2030. Members also adopted the **draft Single Programming Document 2027–2029**, including the **draft Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for 2027**, and requested eu-LISA to transmit the documents to the European Parliament, the Council and the European Commission.

Further items adopted by the Management Board included the first progress report on the **API-PNR Router** and a range of governance, administrative and organisational matters in line with the Management Board's responsibilities. The Management Board also took note of audit matters and updates provided by the Agency's **Security Officer**.

As the outcome of the discussion on Eurodac, the next **Management Board** meeting would be an extraordinary one on **2 March 2026 (online)**. The next regular Management Board meeting is planned to be held in **on 18–19 March 2026**.