Resolutions

of the EUREF Symposium in Bratislava, 2 - 5 June 2004

Resolution no. 1

The IAG Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

recognising that

- November/December 2002, the EUREF-Armenia-2002 (ARMREF02) GPS campaign was observed,
- the EUREF-GB-2001 GPS campaign, originally observed in July 2001 and ratified at the EUREF 2002 symposium, has been reprocessed in 2004,

all the results of both campaigns were submitted to the EUREF Technical Working Group, where they were accepted as Class B standard (about 1 cm at the epoch of the observations)

endorses the subsets of points submitted to the EUREF Technical Working Group as extensions to the current realisation of ETRS89.

Resolution no. 2

The IAG Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

considering the recent implementation of the new structure of the International Association of Geodesy (IAG)

and recognising the need for a consistent set of rules to control the actions and internal functions of the Regional Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

approves and adopts the new terms of reference of EUREF.

Resolution no. 3

The IAG Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

considering

 that the definition of the European Vertical Reference System (EVRS) was accepted at the EUREF 2000 Symposium that the progress in global gravity models will soon make possible the realisation of EVRS as a genuine World Height System

and further considering

- the European initiative to realise a European Spatial Data Infrastructure (ESDI) under the terms of the INSPIRE project
- the European Global Monitoring for Environment and Security (GMES) initiative

requests that the TWG ensures the preparation of technical specifications for a new European Vertical Reference Frame (EVRF), to be available by 2006.

Resolution no. 4

The IAG Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

considering its European Velocity Field (EVF) project, primarily aiming at the long term maintenance of the ETRS89

asks the National Mapping Authorities (NMAs) and other groups producing regular time series of station positions of permanent networks, to make their SINEX solutions available to the EVF project.

Resolution no. 5

The IAG Reference Frame Sub-commission for Europe (EUREF)

which held its fourteenth symposium in Bratislava from June 2-5, 2004

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