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The Director-General

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Dear Mr Katsogiannis,

Thank you for the note Ares(2022)712038 you sent me on 31 January 2022 concerning follow-up on current rules for carry-over of annual leave in cases of long-term sick leave and request for clarification.

Regarding your request to mark explicitly the expiry date of the days carried over automatically, I agree that this would contribute to a more user-friendly IT tool. We will include this request in our discussion with DG DIGIT on how the changes can be implemented for the carry-over exercise in 2023.

In your note, you asked for clarification of the figures generated on 15.12.2021. It is correct that 3,123+4,991 equals 8,114 colleagues. My services have checked the figures generated on 15.12.2021 again. They noticed that the total number of colleagues eligible for carry-over of more than 12 annual days from 2020 to 2021 in the data report was indeed 8,114 instead of 8,814. The wrong number was communicated due to a typographical error. The other communicated figures are correct.

I thank you for your understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Electronically signed

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