

ANNEX 12 – Institute of Experimental Physics Slovak Academy of Sciences

This Annex represents the extension of the List of Parties in Annex 1 as indicated in Article 2.3 of this MoU.

The Institutes Board (IB), in its meeting on June 6th, 2023, unanimously endorsed the application of the IEP, Slovakia, for observer membership of the KM3NeT Collaboration. By email on November 26th, 2025, IEP requested a full membership. This request has been approved by the IB.

The credentials of IEP in Slovakia are:

Institute of Experimental Physics Slovak Academy of Sciences, Watsonova 47, 04001 Košice, Slovak Republic, represented by its director Doc. RNDr. Zuzana Gažová, DrSc. hereinafter referred to as "**IEP**"

The IEP in Košice declares to agree on the “Memorandum of Understanding for Collaboration in the Implementation of the second Phase of the KM3NeT Research Infrastructure” certified on 22 December 2021.

The IEP in Košice and the Ministry of Education, Research, Development and Youth of the Slovak Republic caused this MoU to be duly signed by the undersigned authorized representatives.

Ministry of Education, Research, Development and Youth of the Slovak Republic will take responsibility for all the costs associated with membership (including travel costs).

Date:

Date:

Zuzana Gažová

Tomáš Drucker

Director of IEP Slovak Academy of Sciences in Košice

Minister of Education, Research, Development and Youth of the Slovak Republic

Signature:

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