## **Addendum to Call for Expressions of Interest for Temporary Agents**

## for the Directorate-General for Translation (DGT)

## COM/TA/AD/03/20 – Irish-Language Translators (AD 5)

- 1. Due to the Covid-19 outbreak, from 6 March 2020 onwards EPSO had to interrupt and suspend its activities related to ongoing selection procedures in order to ensure all appropriate precautionary measures are in line with the instructions and guidelines provided by the EU institutions and national authorities. In particular, this affected the organisation of the tests with physical presence in EPSO's premises or in one of EPSO's accredited centres. EPSO initially planned to restart the testing from mid-September 2020. However, given the current pandemic situation, the national authorities have introduced measures prohibiting large gatherings of people and limiting travel for public health reasons. Hence, it will not be possible to organise tests with physical presence in EPSO's premises in a foreseeable future.
- 2. To conclude this selection procedure within a reasonable timeframe, the interview as established in point 4. of the Call for Expressions of Interest will now take place remotely.
  - Invited candidates will be able to sit the interview at home, in the office etc. without needing to travel to an EPSO testing centre. This interview takes place henceforth via online videoconferencing.
- 3. Candidates will receive all technical details via their EPSO account in due time, including instructions on how to test the connection before the actual day of the interview and, if applicable, on how to provide their supporting documents. Candidates must check their EPSO account at least twice a week.