

COMMUNICATIONS **OFFICIELLES**

Les membres du personnel sont censés avoir pris connaissance des communications officielles ci-après.

OFFICIAL NEWS

Members of the personnel shall be deemed to have taken note of the news under this heading

NEW COMPUTER CO-ORDINATOR

Dr. M. Metcalf (DD Division) will assume the functions of Computer Co-ordinator for the period starting 1 October 1977 and extending up to February 1979.

L. Van Hove /
Research Director-General

EXTENSION OF SC CO-ORDINATOR

Dr. G. Tibell (EP Division) will assume the functions of SC Co-ordinator for a further period of one year, i.e. until 20 September 1978.

L. Van Hove /
Research Director-General

EXECUTIVE BOARD

At its 27th Meeting, on Thursday, 25 August 1977, the Executive Board approved the Capital Project 'Replacement of the PS magnet power supply rectifiers' (PS).

It then discussed two drafts which are intended to give clarification to the members of personnel as regards their participation in national elections and the expression of personal views on matters not connected with their work as members of the Organization.

The Board finally agreed that the terms of reference and the membership of the Stores Users Committee should be reviewed. It approved the appointment of B. Milman as new Chairman of this Committee for a period of one year.

COMMISSION EXECUTIVE

A sa vingt-septième réunion, le jeudi 25 août 1977, la Commission exécutive a approuvé le projet d'équipement "Remplacement des redresseurs de l'alimentation des aimants du PS" (PS).

La Commission a examiné ensuite deux projets de documents visant à apporter des éclaircissements aux membres du personnel en ce qui concerne leur participation aux élections nationales, ainsi que l'expression d'opinions personnelles sur des sujets sans lien avec leurs activités au sein de l'Organisation.

Enfin, la Commission a convenu que le mandat et la composition du Comité des Utilisateurs des Magasins seraient réexaminés. Elle a approuvé la nomination de B. Milman en qualité de nouveau Président de ce Comité pour une période d'un an.

SEMINARS **SEMINAIRES**

MONDAY 19, TUESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

PS COMMITTEE

- I - Open Session on Monday 19 September
at 14.30 hrs - Auditorium
1. Introductory remarks by Prof. L. Van Hove.
 2. Status report on the tests of S142, presented by E. Klempt.
 3. Proposal : Strange dibaryon systems by CERN-Rome-Saclay-Vanderbilt Collaboration (CERN/PSC/77-36/P8), presented by E. Pauli.

- II - Closed Session on Tuesday 20 September
at 9.00 hrs - EP Conference Room

MONDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

WORKSHOP ON FUTURE ISR PHYSICS

(last plenary session-see Weekly Bulletin 37/77)
at 9.00 hrs - ISR Auditorium
"Large cross-section reactions (&ns physics)".

DD SEMINAR

at 16.00 hrs - DD Conference Room
(Bldg. 31 - 3rd floor)

"INDEX, a digital 'Telephone Exchange' system for terminals"

by H. Slettenhaar / CERN

Abstract : INDEX, INdependent Digital EXchange is a system which provides flexible access to the CERN central computers from terminals located around the CERN site. Digital circuit switching is used to provide a practical solution to the problems presented by the specific situation at CERN. This is made possible by the fact that CERN has a private cable network and may operate independently from the PTT. A completely transparent switching without any code or speed restrictions up to 9600 bps is provided. The talk will cover the present state of the project and future plans.