Meeting today, the Board of Governors at Centrale Nantes wishes to pursue its deliberations and continue work to collaborate more closely with the University of Nantes.

The Board of Governors at Centrale Nantes, convened on 9 October 2019, did not approve, as they stand, the proposed amendments to the statutes and creation of the future experimental institution named Nantes University.

However, the Board mandated the director of Centrale Nantes to set out a methodology to pursue work in progress and to report back at its next meeting.

Looking beyond the result of this vote, which management notes with a certain regret, the school reaffirms its willingness to continue discussions with the University of Nantes.

About Centrale Nantes

Founded in 1919, Centrale Nantes is a French engineering school and member of the Ecoles Centrale Group. Its undergraduate, Master and PhD programmes are based on the latest scientific and technological developments and the best management practices. At Centrale Nantes, research and training are organised into three key areas for growth and innovation: manufacturing, energy transition and healthcare. With research platforms ranging from digital simulation to prototyping using full scale models and an incubator with 20 years of experience in supporting start-up projects, the school has two major tools for innovation and creation, working hand in hand with industry. Centrale Nantes promotes its teaching and research capabilities at international level through around 100 partnerships with prestigious universities and schools worldwide.

Centrale Nantes welcomes 2,410 students, including 1,440 undergraduate students, 170 Executive Education and ITII degree apprenticeship students, 270 PhD students, 430 Masters students, and 100 Bachelor/Foundation Master students on its 40-acre campus.

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