

Billing Processes Adaptation Plan

Bank of Greece Securities Settlement System

Activity	Billing Processes			
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Background

The Adaptation Plan provides information on the changes which will be implemented to meet the AMI-SeCo Standards for Billing Processes which form part of the Single Collateral Management Rulebook for Europe (SCoRE). Full details of the Billing Processes Standards can be found on the ECB website.

The document is structured as follows: Section 1 (Cover Letter) provides a high-level summary of the changes in order to implement the AMI-SeCo Standards. Section 2 (Adaptation Plan Table) then provides a more detailed overview per Standard covering a feasibility assessment and the implementation milestones.

1 Cover Letter

BOGS will have to implement the ISO 20022 message for billing, since ISO 15022 is currently used. The 15th of month for the payment of the fees will also have to be introduced, while the billing cycles and the cut-off date for provision of billing are already aligned with the standards.

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AMI-SeCo Standard		Feasibility Assessment			Implementation Milestones				
No.	Name of Standard	Standard	Adaptation Required?	Description of Changes Required	Legal Barrier Identified?	Please indicate the expected date of completion of the following activities:			
1	Implementation of ISO 20022 messages for billing processes	Dissemination of billing information shall be offered using an ISO 20022 message.		Billing process is currently executed in ISO15022. ISO20022 will be introduced with the new Standards.	n/a	Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
						M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Internal Adaptation	Yes	No	n/a
			Adaptation			M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022		⊠ 01/11/2021	
			Required			M7: Adaptation completed by 30/06/2022	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M8: Internal testing started by 01/07/2022	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M9: Internal testing complete by 02/12/2022	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Testing and Implementation	Yes	No	n/a
						M10: External testing started by 05/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M11: Final external communication by 01/04/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M12: External testing completed by 13/10/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M13: Standard implemented by 20/11/2023	\boxtimes	□ DD-MM-YYYY	
2		Billing information shall be				Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
	billing cycles	provided on a monthly basis. The billing period shall be				M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
		from the first day of the				M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
		month to the last day of the month inclusive.				M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
					M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
			Implemented	n/a	n/a	M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Internal Adaptation	Yes	No	n/a
						M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022		☐ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M7: Adaptation completed by 30/06/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M8: Internal testing started by 01/07/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M9: Internal testing complete by 02/12/2022		☐ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Testing and Implementation	Yes	No	n/a
						M10: External testing started by 05/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M11: Final external communication by 01/04/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M12: External testing completed by 13/10/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M13: Standard implemented by 20/11/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	

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3	Cut-off date for	(I)CSDs shall provide billing				Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
	provision of billing information by (I)CSDs	information to their clients no later than the 8th (or next business day) of the month for fees related to depository services and/or triparty collateral management services.	Implemented	n/a		M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Internal Adaptation	Yes	No	n/a
						M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
					n/a	M7: Adaptation completed by 30/06/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M8: Internal testing started by 01/07/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M9: Internal testing complete by 02/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Testing and Implementation	Yes	No	n/a
						M10: External testing started by 05/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M11: Final external communication by 01/04/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M12: External testing completed by 13/10/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M13: Standard implemented by 20/11/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
4	Harmonised Cash payments to the dates for (I)CSDs shall be processed	Cash payments to the (I)CSDs shall be processed				Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
	payment of fees	on the 15th (or next				M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
	to (I)CSDs	business day) of each month for fees related to depository				M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
		services and/or triparty				M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
		collateral management services.				M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
		Adaptation	Currently the 20th is used	n/a	Internal Adaptation	Yes	No	n/a	
					M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022		⊠ 01/11/2021		
			Required	Currently the 20th is used.	II/a	M7: Adaptation completed by 30/06/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M8: Internal testing started by 01/07/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M9: Internal testing complete by 02/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						Testing and Implementation	Yes	No	n/a
						M10: External testing started by 05/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M11: Final external communication by 01/04/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
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