TIPS Pilot Testing

TIPS Contact Group

3rd Meeting on 13 December 2017
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Testing Timeline

Pilot Test
- Configuration
- Participant connectivity
- Pilot test cases
- Operational procedures

Go-live
- 1st, 2nd go-/no-go decision
- NCB configuration (CRDM)
- Participant configuration (CRDM)
- Black period (TIPS)
- Go-live
Pilot Testing

- Pilot certification – To ensure users are technically, functionally and operationally ready to join TIPS
- Pilot Testing – Users execute their own test cases to cover their business needs
- Test Coordination – The ECB will coordinate pilot testing period and support the go live
- Test Reporting – Regular progress reports
Test Environment

- Pre-Production test environment 100% capacity during Pilot Testing

- Available from 08:30 to 17:30 CET on all TARGET business days; it can be made available outside of these hours in case of specific testing needs

- Connected to T2CUS

- CRDM (TIPS scope) module testing for Central Banks

- TIPS payments for Pilot testers U2A, A2A

- Pilot Testing terms of reference

- Testing the Go live process
• Preceded by Connectivity testing U2A, A2A
• Pilot certification testing – Certification test case set
• Test Cases to be drafted on basis of UDFS and UHB
• Operational tests – To be defined
Defect management

- Dedicated test managers (user group members or representatives)
- TMS system
- Defect list
- Regular coordination calls
Thank you for your attention!

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