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FEASIBILITY STUDY ON POTENTIAL OF DATA IN FINANCIAL SERVICES [21DCCZ02]

2nd WORKSHOP AGENDA

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Prague, Czech Republic (Hybrid meeting)

Venue: Ministry of Finance of the Czech Republic,
Letenská 525/15, 118 00 Malá Strana, Praha

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■ Background to the 2nd Workshop of the Project on the Feasibility Study on the Potential of Data in Financial Services

The first part of the Workshop will be dedicated to the launch of the OECD report on the Czech FinTech Ecosystem, which has been produced as part of the "Feasibility study on the potential of data in financial services" Project. It is financed by the European Union through the Technical Support Instrument (TSI) in co-operation with the European Commission's Directorate-General for Structural Reform Support (DG REFORM). The OECD is the designated implementing partner by the Commission for this Project.

The second part of the Workshop will be dedicated to the Preliminary Findings of the Feasibility analysis by the OECD, focusing on policy and business environment gaps for FinTech innovation, as well as on sharing of best practices around data sharing in finance.

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09:00 – 09:45

Opening remarks and launch of OECD report: the Czech FinTech Ecosystem

- Mr Jiří Georgiev, Deputy Minister of Finance of the Czech Republic
- Mr Mario Nava, Director-General for Structural Reform Support (DG REFORM), European Commission [recorded]
- Mr Carmine Di Noia, Director, Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, OECD [virtual]
- Mr Vojtěch Belling, Executive Director, Financial Regulation and International Cooperation Department, Czech National Bank

09:45 – 11:15

Session 1: Roundtable discussion on the Czech FinTech Ecosystem

Moderator

- Mr Alex Ivančo, Director of Financial Markets III Department, Ministry of Finance of the Czech Republic

Panellists:

- Mr Michal Vodrážka, Head of Financial Market Regulation Division III, Department for Financial Regulation and International Cooperation, Czech National Bank
- Valentina Mejdahl, Financial Innovation, European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA), European Forum for Innovation Facilitators (EFIF) Chair 2022
- Mr Robert Patalano, Head of Financial Markets Division, Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, OECD
- Mr Miroslav Lukes, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Czech FinTech Association

COFFEE BREAK

11:30 – 13:00

Session 2: Preliminary findings of the Feasibility Analysis

Presentation of OECD preliminary analysis on gaps

- Ms Virginia Robano, Financial Markets Division, OECD
- Ms Ana Sasi-Brodesky, Financial Markets Division, OECD

Open discussion

13:00 – 14:00

Session 3: Knowledge sharing session on data sharing arrangements

OECD findings at the Committee on Financial Markets' Experts Group on Finance and Digitalisation meeting (October 5th, 2022)

- Ms Iota Nassr, Financial Markets Division, OECD

Presentations by Experts and Q&A

- Mr Giuseppe Bianco, Digital Economic Policy Division, Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation, OECD
- Mr Coen Wal, FinTech Advisor, De Nederlandsche Bank [virtual]
- Mr Patrick Keenan, HM Treasury, UK [virtual]

14:00 – 14:10

Closing remarks

- Mr Edouard Gomet, Policy Officer, DG REFORM, European Commission
- Mr Robert Patalano, Head of Financial Markets Division, Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, OECD