

Billing Processes Adaptation Plan

Malta Stock Exchange

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

The MSE will have to implement the ISO 20022 message for billing. Presently proprietary billing formats are used. Adaptations are required to ensure that the cut offs are reached. No legal barriers are identified envisaged but analysis into these processes will confirm this.

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For specific terminology please refer to the ECB glossary (available in English only).

2 Adaptation Plan Table

AMI-SeCo Standard		Feasibility Assessment			Implementation Milestones					
N o	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	Implementat	Dissemination of				Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a	
	ion of ISO 20022 messages for billing processes	billing information shall be offered				M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
		using an ISO 20022				M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ 31/07/2021		
		message.		Changes required to incorporate the billing into ISO20022	No	M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ 30/09/2021		
						M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ 31/12/2021		
						Internal Adaptation	Yes	No	n/a	
			Adaptation			M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
			required			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		
2	Harmonised billing cycles	Billing information shall be provided on a monthly basis. The billing period shall be from the first day of the month to the last day of the month inclusive.				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		□ 31/07/2021		
						M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ 30/09/2021		
						M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
			Implemented			M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ 31/12/2021		
						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		

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						M13: Standard implemented by 20/11/2023		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
3	Cut-off date for provision of	provide billing f information to their clients no later than		Analysis and Communication M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020 M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021 M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021 M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021 M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/202 Internal Adaptation Changes to ensure that the billing is issued on time with all the necessary information. M6: Adaptation started by 01/01/2022 M7: Adaptation completed by 30/06/2022 M8: Internal testing started by 01/07/2022		Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
					M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
	billing information					M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ 31/07/2021	
	by (I)CSDs					M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ 30/09/2021	
						M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ 31/12/2021	
						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	
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4	Harmonised dates for payment of fees to	Cash payments to the (I)CSDs shall be processed on the	Adaptation required			Analysis and Communication	Yes	No	n/a
						M1: Analysis started by 30/06/2020		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
	(I)CSDs	15th (or next business day) of				M2: Initial communication by 01/03/2021		□ 31/07/2021	
	1	each month for fees related to depository services and/or triparty collateral management services.				M3: Analysis completed by 31/07/2021		□ 30/09/2021	
				Notification to clients required to ensure that payments are received by the cut-off date		M4: Documentation completed by 31/12/2021		□ DD-MM-YYYY	
						M5: Detailed external communication by 31/12/2021		□ 31/12/2021	
						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	
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					M9: Internal testing complete by 02/12/2022		□ DD-MM-YYYY		
						Testing and Implementation	Yes No	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	
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