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CANCELLATION of the 47th meeting of the GNB-AG

Because of the outbreak of the COVID-19, the 47th meeting of the GNB Advisory Group, which was scheduled to take place in Brussels on 31st of March 2020, is cancelled.

Considering that

- a number of members would not have the possibility to attend the meeting, either because of official travel restriction or company policies,
- gathering members from all parts of Europe would cause a risk of contributing to the spread of the Corona virus,
- members attending the meeting would risk to be held in quarantine if only a single member subsequently turns out to have the virus

the President has decided, after consulting the Commission, that the meeting must be cancelled.

This means that the next scheduled meeting of GNB-AG will be 20 October 2020 in Slovenia. For the time being, it is not foreseen to have any other GNB-AG meeting until 20 October 2020. However, if a need is identified, an extraordinary meeting may be held before October.

Members are still requested to submit their comments on the documents uploaded for comments, cf. item 7 of the draft agenda, NB-CPR 20/833, of the now cancelled meeting. As relevant. comments will be incorporated in revised documents, which will be either be subject to a new 6 weeks period for comments/approval or subjected to approval at the meeting to be held on 20 October 2020.

The decision to cancel the meeting has not been taken lightly. We sincerely regret any inconvenience caused by this difficult decision and hope for your comprehension.

Please do not hesitate to contact TechSec if you have any questions or comments.

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