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Delegations will please find attached information from the Presidency concerning the state of play of legislative proposals in the field of financial services.

PROGRESS ON KEY FINANCIAL SERVICES LEGISLATIVE FILES

7 December 2021

Colours are used as follows to reflect the stage for each file:
Review (of Commission proposal) in the Council WP ongoing
Trilogues to start
Finalisation ongoing

No	File	Presented by the Commission	State of play
1	<p>Regulation establishing an European Deposit Insurance Scheme (EDIS)</p> <p><i>Aim: to create a European Deposit Insurance Scheme to complement and gradually replace existing national deposit guarantee funds.</i></p>	November 2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
2	<p>NPLs: Directive on accelerated extrajudicial collateral enforcement mechanism</p> <p><i>Aim: to establish an accelerated extrajudicial collateral enforcement procedure (AECE).</i></p>	March 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Negotiating mandate on 27 November 2019
3	<p>Sovereign Bond-backed Securities (SBBS)</p> <p><i>Aim: to enable a market demand-led development of Sovereign Bond-Backed Securities (SBBSs) and to support further integration and diversification within the EU's financial sector, leading to a stronger and more resilient Economic and Monetary Union.</i></p>	May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
4	<p>Fintech: Markets in Crypto-assets (MiCA)</p> <p><i>Aim: to provide an EU harmonised framework for the issuance, and provision of services related to crypto-assets, as well as to ensure the proper functioning of crypto-asset markets while ensuring investor protection, market integrity and financial stability.</i></p>	September 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Negotiating mandate on 24 November 2021
5	<p>Fintech: Pilot regime on distributed ledger technology market infrastructure (DLT)</p> <p><i>Aim: to provide legal certainty and flexibility for market participants who wish to operate a DLT market infrastructure by establishing uniform requirements for operating these. Amendment to the Central Securities Depositories Regulation allowing for a deferral of mandatory buy-in provisions.</i></p>	September 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Negotiating mandate on 28 June 2021 Provisional agreement reached with the EP on 24 November 2021
6	<p>Fintech: Digital Operational Resilience (DORA)</p> <p><i>Aim: to set uniform requirements for the security of network and information systems of financial entities.</i></p>	September 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Negotiating mandate on 24 November 2021
7	<p>Fintech: Amending Directive</p> <p><i>Aim: to update existing directives in line with the rest of the Fintech package.</i></p>	September 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partial negotiating mandate on 28 June 2021 as regards DLT aspects, full negotiating mandate on 24 November 2021

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8	<p>Sustainable Finance: European Green Bond Regulation (EuGB)</p> <p><i>Aim: to lay the foundation for a common framework of rules regarding the use of the designation 'European green bond' or 'EuGB' for bonds that pursue environmentally sustainable objectives within the meaning of Regulation (EU) 2020/852 (Taxonomy Regulation).</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
9	<p>AML: Agency Regulation</p> <p><i>Aim: establishing a new European Anti Money Laundering Authority ("AMLA") to transform AML/CFT supervision in the EU and to enhance cooperation among Financial Intelligence Units (FIUs).</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
10	<p>AML: Rulebook Regulation</p> <p><i>Aim: The Single EU Rulebook for AML/CFT will harmonise AML/CFT rules across the EU, including, for example, more detailed rules on Customer Due Diligence, Beneficial Ownership and the powers and task of supervisors and Financial Intelligence Units (FIUs).</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
11	<p>AML: Rulebook Directive</p> <p><i>Aim: to replace AML Directives 4 and 5, updating and supplementing those elements which are not transferred to the new AML rulebook regulation.</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
12	<p>AML: transfer of funds Regulation</p> <p><i>Aim: to recast the existing regulation to extend its scope to transfers of crypto-assets.</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Negotiating mandate on 1 December 2021
13	<p>UCITS Quick-Fix (QF): key investor information</p> <p><i>Aim: to review rules on key investor information to retail investors, so that i.a. UCITS managers do not need to issue two parallel documents under UCITS and PRIIPs when their exemption from PRIIPs ends – the PRIIPs document sufficing.</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compromise agreement reached with the EP
14	<p>PRIIPs Quick-Fix (QF): extension of the transitional arrangement for UCITS managers</p> <p><i>Aim: to extend the current end-2021 deadline for application of PRIIPs rules on key investor documents to i.a. UCITS managers –the new deadline being i.a. aligned to the implementation deadline for the UCITS QF.</i></p>	July 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compromise agreement reached with the EP
15	<p>Solvency Directive - amendment</p> <p><i>Aim: to update the Solvency framework as regards proportionality, quality of supervision, reporting, long-term measures, macro-prudential tools, sustainability risks, group and cross-border supervision.</i></p>	September 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing
16	<p>Insurance Recovery and Resolution (IRR)</p> <p><i>Aim: to introduce a recovery and resolution framework in the insurance sector.</i></p>	September 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review in the Council WP ongoing

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17	<p>Basel III implementation: amendments to Capital Requirements Regulation</p> <p><i>Aim: to implement outstanding elements of the “Basel III” Agreement, including on the output floor and updates to credit risk and market risk rules, while taking into account EU specificities, as well as include some other non-Basel related updates.</i></p>	October 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
18	<p>Basel III implementation: amendments to Capital Requirements Directive</p> <p><i>Aim: to include additional rules on environmental, social and governance (ESG) risks, supervisory powers and process, and a new framework for third-country branches.</i></p>	October 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
19	<p>Basel III implementation (daisy chain proposal): amendments to the Capital Requirements Regulation and Bank Recovery and Resolution Directive in the area of resolution</p> <p><i>Aim: to include targeted adjustments to the resolution-related rules contained in the Capital Requirements Regulation and Bank Recovery and Resolution Directive.</i></p>	October 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
20	<p>CMU package: European Single Access Point (ESAP)</p> <p><i>Aim: to set-up a European Single Access Point for company data that gathers and makes available financial and sustainability related information to capital market participants, thereby increasing market transparency.</i></p>	November 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
21	<p>CMU package: Amendments to the Markets in Financial Instruments Directive & Regulation (MiFID/MiFIR)</p> <p><i>Aim: to provide for a European consolidated tape for trading and post trading data, thereby increasing market transparency.</i></p>	November 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
22	<p>CMU package: Amendments to the Alternative Investment Fund Directive (AIFMD)</p> <p><i>Aim: to harmonise the rules around loan-originating funds (debt funds), in order to facilitate lending to real economy.</i></p>	November 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing
23	<p>CMU package: Amendments to the European Long Term Investment Fund Regulation (ELTIF)</p> <p><i>Aim: to increase the attractiveness of ELTIFs and make it easier for retail investors to invest in them.</i></p>	November 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review in the Council WP ongoing