

LATVIJAS REPUBLIKAS FISKĀLĀS DISCIPLĪNAS PADOME

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Fiscal discipline council Potential and nominal GDP assessment working group

Minutes No 2 (10)

Rīga 12 June 2018

Chairman:

Member of Fiscal Discipline Council M.Hansen

Participants of the meeting:

Chairman of Fiscal Discipline Council	J.Platais
Secretariat –	
Fiscal Discipline Council secretary	D.Kalsone
Fiscal Discipline Council fiscal risks expert	V.Miglinieks
Fiscal Discipline Council economist	E.Lucka
Fiscal Discipline Council macroeconomic expert (Ernst & Young	A.Vaivade
Baltic)	

Participant not attending the meeting:

Member of Fiscal Discipline Council	M.Kazāks
Member of Fiscal Discipline Council	Ü.Kaasik

Invited persons paragraph 2 and 3 of the agenda:

Senior economist of the Macroeconomic analysis division, Monetary	K.Vilerts
policy department, the Bank of Latvia	
Chief economist of the Macroeconomic analysis division, Monetary	L.Zorgenfreija
policy department, the Bank of Latvia	

Taking minutes:

Meeting secretary E.Lucka

Meeting starts at 11:00

M.Hansen opens the meeting

Head of the GDP WG opens the meeting and announces the agenda.

1 Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting

Reporter: M.Hansen

Decision:

1.1 Approve 2 February 2018 GDP WG meeting minutes.

M.Hansen votes for;

J.Platais votes for.

2 Discussions on Latvian economy baseline scenario

Reporter: L.Zorgenfreija

L.Zorgenfreija reports on the GDP forecast update (short to medium term).

Tour de table of the meeting participants.

Decisions:

2.1 To take note of the Bank of Latvia information of the GDP forecast update, the potential GDP and the output gap.

M.Hansen votes for;

J.Platais votes for.

3 Discussions on Latvian economy alternative development scenarios

Reporter: K. Vilerts

K. Vilerts reports on the Latvian economy alternative development scenarios in case of EU funds reduction.

Tour de table of the meeting participants.

Decisions:

3.1 To take note of the Bank of Latvia information on EU funds impact assessment.

M.Hansen votes for;

J.Platais votes for.

Meeting ends at 13:00.

Head of the GDP working group

M.Hansen

Meeting secretary

E.Lucka

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