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Fiscal discipline council Fiscal safety reserve assessment working group meeting Minutes No 1 (8)

Riga

31 January 2017

Chairperson:

Chairman of the Fiscal Discipline Council – J.Platais

Participants of the meeting:

Deputy Director of the Fiscal Discipline Council	I. Eriņš
Member of Fiscal Discipline Council (teleconference mode)	A.Ūbelis
Council secretariat:	
Secretary of Fiscal Discipline Council	D.Kalsone
Fiscal risks expert of Fiscal Discipline Council	E.Ķīlis
Macroeconomics expert of Fiscal Discipline Council	E.Veide

Invited persons paragraph 2 of the agenda:

Ministry of Finance, Deputy Director of the Budget Department	A.Baumanis
Ministry of Finance, Director of the Finance Management and Methodol-	D.Gulbe
ogy Department	
Ministry of Finance, Director of the Budget Department	T.Trubača

Invited persons paragraph 3 of the agenda:

Ministry of Finance, Tax Analysis Department, Head of Tax Revenue	I.Dzenīte
Analysis and Forecasting Division	

Invited persons paragraph 4 of the agenda:

Ministry of Finance, Fiscal Policy Department, Fiscal Governance Di-	G.Rubīna
vision Senior Referee	
Ministry of Finance, Deputy Head of Fiscal Policy Department, Head	G.Trupovnieks
of Fiscal Governance Division	

Meeting secretary:

Fiscal Discipline Council secretary

D.Kalsone

Meeting starts at 15:00 on 31 January 2017.

J.Platais opens the meeting

The Chairman of the Fiscal Discipline Council J.Platais opens the meeting and announces the agenda.

1 Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

Reporter: J.Platais

Decision:

1.1 Approve 11 May 2016 meeting minutes of the Fiscal Risks Working Group.

J. Platais – votes for; I. Eriņš – votes for; A. Ūbelis – votes for.

2. Reserves of appropriations and protected positions by law

Reporters: A.Baumanis, D.Gulbe, J.Platais, T.Trubača

Participants' discussion on the reserves of appropriations and protected positions by law.

Decision:

2.1 Take note of the Ministry of Finance information on reserves of appropriations and protected positions by law.

J. Platais – votes for; I. Eriņš – votes for; A. Ūbelis – votes for.

3 Tax rates and impact assessment

Reporter: I.Dzenīte

Participants' discussion on the tax rates and impact assessment.

Decision:

3.1 Take note of the Ministry of Finance information on the tax rates and impact assessment.

J. Platais – votes for; I. Eriņš – votes for; A. Ūbelis – votes for.

4 Fiscal risks statement

Reporter: G.Trupovnieks, G.Rubīna

Participants' discussion on fiscal risks statement improvements.

Decision:

4.1 Take note of the Ministry of Finance information on the fiscal risks statement improvements.

J. Platais – votes for; I. Eriņš – votes for; A. Ūbelis – votes for.

5 Fiscal rules assessment at budget law and medium-term budget framework law adoption (24.11.2016)

Reporter: D.Kalsone

Participants' discussion on fiscal rules status on 24.11.2016.

Decision:

5.1 Take note on fiscal rules status at budget law and medium-term budget framework law adoption.

J. Platais – votes for; I. Eriņš – votes for; A. Ūbelis – votes for.

Meeting ends at 17:00.

Council chairman

Meeting secretary

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