# WFC Single Disclosure Report 2019

#### AGC answers

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11/10/2019 09:57:14

## General information

1 G01Q001

Please indicate the full name of the responding institution:

PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [CSD name]

AGC: 0a

Krajowy Depozyt Papierów Wartościowych S.A.

2 G01Q002

Registered address:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 0c

ul. Książęca 4 00-498 Warsaw

3 G01Q003

Country of registered address:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 0d

Poland

4 G01Q004

Official website of the respondent institution:

PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [website]

AGC: n/a

www.kdpw.pl

5 G01Q005

The date of this disclosure is:

PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [date]

AGC: n/a

11/10/2019

6 G01Q006

The WFC, the AGC, CPMI and IOSCO encourage respondents to make their disclosure reports publicly

available. Do you agree to make your response publicly available?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99
Yes, my response will be public, but only for my answers to AGC questions. [A2]
7 G01Q007 How will you be making your answers publicly available?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99a
Website
Upon request
OTHER:
8 G01Q008 This disclosure can also be found at the following web address(es):
PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [website URL] AGC: 99b
http://www.kdpw.pl/en/kdpw/publications/Pages/Questionnaires.aspx
9 G01Q009 First and Last Name of the contact person:
PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [contact details] AGC: 99c
Anna Zielińska
10 G01Q009A Disclosure submission authorisation
I hereby certify that I am authorised to submit this disclosure report on behalf of my institution.
11 G01Q010 Email address of the contact person:
PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [contact details] AGC: 99h
anna.zielinska@kdpw.pl
12 G01Q011 Telephone number (please include the international country code):
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99e

+48 22 5379582
13 G01Q012 How do you prefer to be contacted?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99d
Telephone
Fax
mail/air courier
e-mail
<u> </u>
14 G01Q013 Fax number
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99f
+48 22 6273111
15 G01Q014 What is the preferred street address for mailing requests?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 99g
ul. Książęca 4
00-498 Warsaw
16 G01Q015 Please list the jurisdiction(s) in which the CSD operates:
PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [list jurisdictions] AGC: n/a
17 G01Q016 Please list the authority(ies) regulating, supervising or overseeing the CSD:
PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template [list authorities] AGC: n/a

# 18 G01Q017

Executive summary (This section should summarise the key points from the disclosure framework. including a brief overview of the CSD, its participants, its legal and regulatory framework, its primary risks, and its key risk management and other relevant practices.)

PFMI: I.
AGC: n/a

#### 19 G01Q018

Summary of major changes since the last update of the disclosure (This section should summarise the major changes to the CSD's organisation, services, design, rules, markets served and regulatory environment since its last disclosure. The CSD should note the sections in its disclosure where such changes are reflected.)

PFMI: II. AGC: n/a

#### 20 G01Q019

General description of the CSD and the markets it serves (This section should provide basic, concise descriptions of the services offered and functions performed by the CSD? It should also provide an overview of the markets the CSD serves and the role it fulfils within those markets. Further, the section should include basic data and performance statistics on its services and operations. A CSD should provide, for example, basic volume and value statistics by product type, average aggregate intraday exposures of the CSD to its participants, and statistics on the CSD's operational reliability.)

PFMI: III.1. AGC: n/a

#### 21 G01Q020

General organisation of the CSD (This section should provide an overview of the organisational and governance structure of the CSD? including a description of the CSD's governance policies, governance structure and management structure.)

PFMI: III.2 AGC: n/a

#### 22 G01Q021

Legal and regulatory framework (This section should provide an overview of the CSD's legal and regulatory framework, including the legal and ownership structure of the CSD, the legal basis for each material aspect of the CSD's activities, and the regulatory, supervisory and oversight framework for the CSD.)

PFMI: III.3 AGC: n/a

### 23 G01Q022

System design and operations (This section should explain the CSD's design and operations. It should include a clear description of the typical lifecycle of the transaction process. The information should highlight how the CSD processes a transaction, including the timeline of events, the validation and checks to which a transaction is subjected, and the responsibilities of the parties involved.)

PFMI: III.4 AGC: n/a

24 G01Q023

PFMI: n/a AGC: n/a  25 G01Q024 I am submitting up-to-date information in response to:  ✓ The AGC questions and a report with only AGC answers will be generated  ☐ The PFMI questions and a report with only PFMI answers will be generated  ☐ Both the AGC and PFMI questions and a report with answers to both questionnaires will be generated  Legal Basis (PFMI Principle 1)  27 G02Q002 Under what regulation or statute is the CSD established and governed?  PFMI: n/a AGC: 7  Act on Trading in Financial Instruments, Act on Capital Market Supervision, Statute of the KDPW, Code of Commercial Companies, CSDR  28 G02Q003 Is the regulation or statute electronically available?  PFMI: n/a AGC: 7a  Yes [Y]	filecount - Add relevant appendices for this group.
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#### 29 G02Q004

If regulation or statute is electronically available, please supply web address(es) here or upload document(s).

PFMI: n/a AGC: 7b

The Act on Capital Market Supervision dated July 29th 2005 and the Act on Trading in Financial Instruments dated July 29th 2005 with further amendments (Polish versions only) are available on the Polish Parliament website: http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/DetailsServlet?id=WDU20160001636, http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/DetailsServlet?id=WDU20150000073, http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/DetailsServlet?id=WDU20170000196, http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/DetailsServlet?id=WDU20150001260. The Statute of KDPW (English version) is available on the KDPW website:

http://www.kdpw.pl/en/rules/Documents/2018/KDPW\_STATUT\_EN.pdf . The Code of Commercial Companies (Polish version only) is available on the Parliament website: http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/Download?id=WDU20000941037&type=3 .

Regulation (EU) No 909/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 July 2014 on improving securities settlement in the European Union and on central securities depositories and

 $\underline{amending\ Directives\ 98/26/EC\ and\ 2014/65/EU\ and\ Regulation\ (EU)\ No\ 236/2012}\ (CSDR)\ http://eurlex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=OJ:L:2014:257:TOC$ 

30 G02Q005 filecount - Please supply document(s) here:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 7c
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Governance and ownership (PFMI Principle 2)
45 G03Q002 What type of legal entity is the institution?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 3
Public Company
Private Company
Central Bank (or part thereof)
Stock Exchange (or part thereof)
✓ OTHER: joint stock company
46 G03Q003 Is the institution operated as a "for profit" or a "not for profit" organization?"
PFMI: n/a AGC: 4
Not for profit [A02]
47 G03Q004 Please provide the names of the owners and their ownership interest percentages.
PFMI: n/a AGC: 5
State Treasury 33%, Warsaw Stock Exchange 33%, National Bank of Poland (Central Bank) 33%
48 G03Q005 What is the date of establishment of the CSD?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 6a
07/11/1994

49 G03Q006

What is the date that the CSD's operations began?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 6b

11/04/1991

50 G03Q007

Are participants required to contribute capital to the CSD that would result in ownership of the CSD?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 18

No [A02]

51 G03Q008

If yes, what fixed amount is required or what formula is used to determine the appropriate contribution level?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 18a.

#### 59 G03Q016

What are the roles and responsibilities of the CSD's board of directors (or equivalent), and are they clearly specified? Please provide details of the structure and composition of your Board together with their industry experience and responsibilities in governing the CSD. What are the qualifications to become a board member?

PFMI: Q.2.3.1 AGC: 7d

Polish legal system (Code of Commercial Companies and Law on the Management of State Property) provides general requirements concerning members of corporate governing bodies. According to the Code, KDPW as a joint-stock company has a dual governance structure (so-called two-tier board system), with a supervisory and a management board. Qualification requirements concerning specific educational background and professional experience in relation to the members of governing bodies of companies belonging to the State Treasury are set out in Art. 22 of the Law on the Management of State Property. They have to hold a master's degree, have at least 5 years work experience, including 3 years on senior position or leading a proprietary business, they may not be employed by any political party or any Member of Parliament nor remain in any conflict of interest with the Company. Any additional qualification requirements to appoint a Supervisory Board member are set by the shareholders, and for Management Board members – by the Supervisory Board. In KDPW these requirements include lack of criminal record and sufficiently good repute. Moreover, at least 2 members of the Supervisory Board have to qualify as independent members.

The Supervisory Board may comprise six to nine (currenly 6) members, including a Chairperson and a Vicechairperson. There are 3 Committees within the Supervisory Board: Audit Committee, Risk Committee and Remuneration

#### Committee.

The Supervisory Board of KDPW continuously supervises the activities of the Company and its activities include: review of financial statements and Management Board reports, approval of the KDPW Rules, Rules of the Clearing Fund, rules of operation of the Investor Compensation Scheme, rules of the trade repository, appointment and dismissal of members of the KDPW Management Board and decision on their remuneration levels, appointment of a certified auditor, approval of long-term and annual corporate business and financial plans presented by the Management Board and consent for the establishment of commercial law companies.

The Management Board of KDPW may comprise three to five (currently 4) members, including a President and Vice Presidents.

The Management Board of KDPW oversees the affairs of the Company, manages its assets and represents the Company externally. In particular, the Management Board of KDPW prepares a draft of the KDPW Rules, the Rules of the Supervisory Board of KDPW, the Rules of the Court of Arbitration, as well as prepares drafts and adopts regulations governing the detailed operations of KDPW.

#### 61 G03Q018

What are the election procedures?

*PFMI:* Q.2.3.2 *AGC:* 7e

The Supervisory Board represents shareholders. Members are appointed and dismissed by the Shareholders' General Meeting. The Members elect a Chairperson and a Vicechairperson and may elect a Secretary in a secret ballot. The General Meeting is valid and may adopt resolutions if at least half of the shares are represented.

#### 62 G03Q019

What is the maximum length of time a board member can serve?

PFMI: Q.2.3.2 AGC: 7f

The term of a board member is set out in the Statute of KDPW. It amounts to three years constituting a joint term of office of the Board members. The rule concerns both the Supervisory Board and the Management Board of KDPW. The mandates of all Board members expire on the day of the Annual Meeting of Shareholders which approves the financial statements for the previous full financial year. Under Polish law there is no limit as to the number of terms of office, however, there is a limitation as to the duration of such a term, which in joint stock companies is up to 5 years.

#### 63 G03Q020

How are the voting powers distributed amongst the board members (i.e. does each board member have one vote or do certain members have additional voting power)?

PFMI: Q.2.3.2 AGC: 7g

Each Board member has one vote. The Supervisory board: Resolutions are adopted on the basis of an absolute majority of votes of the members present at the session, with the exception of resolutions concerning the appointment or dismissal of a member of the Management Board, which shall be passed with a  $\frac{3}{4}$  majority of the votes cast. The Management board: Resolutions are adopted by ordinary

majority of votes. In the case of a tie, the President of the Board has the casting vote.

65 G03Q022

What are the procedures established to review the performance of the board as a whole and the performance of the individual board members? Who is responsible for regulating the board members?

PFMI: Q.2.3.4 AGC: 7h

The Supervisory Board of KDPW S.A. supervises the activities of the Company by reviewing financial statements and reports of the KDPW Management Board as well as its recommendations on the division of profits or covering of losses, appointing and dismissing the Members of the Management Board and setting their salary levels and approving multi-annual and annual business and financial plans of the Company presented by the Management Board.

The number of Board members, the duration of the term of office (in accordance with the statutory norm), any additional rights for the President of the Board associated with supervising the work of the Board, as well as the manner of voting, the validity of Board meetings, extension or, as the case may be, limitation of competences of the Board in accordance with the Code of Commercial Companies are set out in the Statute of KDPW, i.e. by shareholders acting as the General Meeting.

#### Comprehensive risk management (PFMI Principle 3)

CSD's liability limited by a standard of care determination?

PFMI: Q.3.1.1

88 G04Q003 Any direct damages or losses to participants caused by the CSD as a result of force majeure events, acts of God, or political events, etc.?
PFMI: Q.3.1.1 AGC: 66x.
No [A02]
89 G04Q004 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:
PFMI: Q.3.1.1 AGC: 66y.
Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD
The CSD assumes liability for direct losses
The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses
OTHER:
90 G04Q005 In all cases where the CSD assumes responsibility for direct or indirect or consequential losses, is the

AGC: 66+

Yes [A01]

91 G04Q006

Please define the standard of care applied:

PFMI: Q.3.1.1 AGC: 66\*

A greater degree of effort is expected from KDPW, measured by recognising the professional nature of the depository functions carried out by KDPW.

# Credit risk (PFMI Principle 4)

121 G05Q011

Does the CSD have a guaranty fund independent of stock exchange or other market guarantees?

PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78

No [A02]

122 G05Q012

If yes, please respond to the following questions: What is the size of the fund?

PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78a.

123 G05Q013

How is the size of the fund determined?

PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78b.

124 G05Q014

How is the fund financed?

PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78d.

125 G05Q015

If so, what is the amount or percentage per owner?

PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78e.

126 G05Q016 If so, what is the amount or percentage per participant?
PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78f.
127 G05Q017 Who is covered by the fund?
PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78h.
☐ Direct CSD participants only
The beneficial owner also
OTHER:
128 G05Q018 When is the guaranty fund used?
PFMI: Q.4.3.1 AGC: 78j.
When a broker defaults
When a direct participant defaults
OTHER:
131 G05Q021 Does the CSD have insurance to cover losses in the event of Default on settlement commitments by the CSD or a participant?
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 91
No [A02]
132 G05Q022 What is the amount of the coverage?
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 91a
133 G05Q023 What is the amount of the deductible?
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 91b

134 G05Q024 Please explain other loss or default protections:
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 79a
KDPW_CCP operates a clearing fund to protect from clearing member default.
135 G05Q025 Does the CSD accept liability (independent of any insurance coverage) for the following: Any direct damages or losses to participants caused by the CSD in its capacity as a central counterparty?
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 66q.
Not applicable [A03]
136 G05Q026 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:
PFMI: Q.4.3.3 AGC: 66r.
Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD
The CSD assumes liability for direct losses
The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses
OTHER:

## Collateral (PFMI Principle 5)

#### 141 G06Q001

Summary narrative for PFMI Principle 5. Please provide a summary narrative disclosure with sufficient detail and context, as well as any other appropriate supplementary information, to enable readers to understand the CSD's approach to or method for observing the principle. Please use the following questions as guidance for the points of focus and level of detail it is expected to convey in the disclosure. Cross references to publicly available documents should be included, where relevant, to supplement the discussion.)

PFMI: Annex A - CSD disclosure template - IV.P5

AGC: 35c

KDPW holds collateral for automatic securities loans (cash, Treasury bonds traded on the regulated market in the territory of the Republic of Poland, shares participating in the WIG20 index) in coordination with KDPW\_CCP. For tri-party repo transactions, KDPW keeps a register of collateral transferred between the parties (Treasury bonds traded on the regulated market in the territory of the Republic of Poland and cash – the last to be allowed only for marking to market the value of repo transactions).

## Liquidity risk (PFMI Principle 7)

Settlement finality (PFMI Principle 8)

# Money settlements (PFMI Principle 9)

217 G09Q003 Who accepts cash deposits (or makes payment credit accommodations) for CSD transactions?
PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 31
☐ CSD
Central Bank
Banks appointed by CSD
Neither or others (e.g. credit lines used)
☐ Not applicable
OTHER: For EUR - banks appointed by KDPW participants.
218 G09Q004 Please indicate the name of the banks appointed by the CSD
PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 31a
Banks which are KDPW participants: CREDIT AGRICOLE BANK POLSKA, SANTANDER BANK POLSKA S.A., DNB BANK POLSKA S.A., TOYOTA BANK POLSKA SA, PKO BP S.A., ALIOR BANK SA, BANK BGŻ BNP Paribas S.A., mBANK HIPOTECZNY S.A., HAITONG, IDEA BANK S.A., PEKAO BANK HIPOTECZNY S.A., BANK SPÓŁDZIELCZY W BRODNICY, BANK MILLENNIUM S.A., BANK HANDLOWY W WARSZAWIE S.A., BANK GOSPODARSTWA KRAJOWEGO, ING BANK ŚLĄSKI S.A., GETIN BANK S.A., EURO BANK S.A., BANK POLSKIEJ SPÓŁDZIELCZOŚCI S.A., BANK OCHRONY ŚRODOWISKA S.A., BNP PARIBAS BANK POLSKA S.A., SGB -BANK S.A., SOCIETE GENERALE S.A. ODDZIAŁ W POLSCE, BANK PEKAO S.A., DEUTSCHE BANK POLSKA S.A., NEST BANK, m BANK SA, BANK POCZTOWY S.A., PLUS BANK S.A., SANTANDER CONSUMER BANK S.A., SANTANDER BANK POLSKA S.A., HSBC BANK POLSKA S.A.
219 G09Q005 Who processes cash clearing (or draws on credit lines, if applicable) for CSD transactions?  PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 32
✓ CSD
Central Bank
Banks appointed by the CSD
Neither or others (e.g. credit lines used)
☐ Not applicable
OTHER:
220 G09Q006 Please name banks appointed by the CSD

PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 32a
221 G09Q007 Who controls the movement of cash for cash deposits (or draws on credit lines, if applicable)?
PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 33, 33b
CSD
Central Bank
Banks appointed by CSD
Neither or others (e.g. credit lines used)
Not applicable
OTHER:
222 G09Q008 Please name banks appointed by the CSD
PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 33a
Banks which are KDPW participants: CREDIT AGRICOLE BANK POLSKA, SANTANDER BANK POLSKA S.A., DNB BANK POLSKA S.A., TOYOTA BANK POLSKA SA, PKO BP S.A., ALIOR BANK SA, BANK BGŻ BNP Paribas S.A., mbank hipoteczny s.a., haitong, idea bank s.a., pekao bank hipoteczny s.a., bank spółdzielczy w brodnicy, bank millennium s.a., bank handlowy w warszawie s.a., bank gospodarstwa krajowego, ing bank śląski s.a., getin bank s.a., euro bank s.a., bank polskiej spółdzielczości s.a., bank ochrony środowiska s.a., bnp paribas bank polska s.a., sgb -bank s.a., societe generale s.a. oddział w polsce, bank pekao s.a., deut sche bank polska s.a., nest bank, m bank sa, bank pocztowy s.a., plus bank s.a., santander consumer bank s.a., santander bank polska s.a., hsbc bank polska s.a.
223 G09Q009 Who controls the movement of cash for cash clearing (or for draws on credit lines, if applicable)?
PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 34
✓ CSD
Central Bank
Banks appointed by CSD
Neither or others (e.g. credit lines used)
Not applicable
OTHER:

224 G09Q010 Please name banks appointed by CSD

PFMI: Q.9.1.1 AGC: 34a

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## Physical deliveries (PFMI Principle 10)

239 G10Q005 How are eligible securities lodged in the CSD system?
PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 57, 57a
A registered certificate in the name of the CSD is delivered to the CSD.
A participant delivers the security with a valid transfer deed or stock power or other transfer document to the CSD which then effects registration.
A registrar re-registers the security in the name of the CSD.
Not applicable
OTHER: Securities are lodged into the depository system on the basis of a securities registration agreement concluded with KDPW by the issuer (for public securities) or the issue agent (for non-public debt securities). The issuer authorises a direct participant of KDPW (registration agent for public securities, issue agent for non-public debt securities) to act in its name in the registration process. The global amount of securities of a given ISIN is registered in KDPW on a registration account called an "issue account" and on participants' accounts managed by KDPW. On the basis of records made by KDPW, participants register securities on securities accounts and omnibus accounts in their own securities registration systems.

240 G10Q006 When are securities lodged into the CSD reflected in a participant's CSD account?
PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 58, 58a
Securities are reflected in the participant's CSD account immediately upon delivery to the CSD.
Securities are re-registered prior to being reflected in the participant CSD account.
Not applicable
OTHER: For non-public securities the registration is performed not earlier than the next day after delivery of the registration application to KDPW.

241 G10Q007

How long does it usually take to lodge securities with the CSD?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 59, 59b

1 to 2 days [A01]

242 G10Q008 Please specify *PFMI: Q.10.1.3* 

AGC: 59a

243 G10Q009

During the process of lodging securities into the CSD, can the securities be traded?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60

No [A02]

244 G10Q010

During the process of lodging securities into the CSD, can the securities be settled?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60a

No [A02]

245 G10Q011

During the process of lodging securities into the CSD, can the securities have ownership transferred?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60b

No [A02]

246 G10Q012

If they cannot be traded, or if you answered other, please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60c

247 G10Q013

If they cannot be settled, or if you answered other, please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60d

Settlement is possible only after the securities are registered on the investors' securities accounts.

248 G10Q014

If ownership cannot be transferred, or if you answered other, please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 60e

Transfer is possible only after the securities are registered on the participants' and investors' securities accounts.

249 G10Q015

Are securities immediately available for delivery upon transfer to the CSD?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 61, 61d

Yes [A01]

250 G10Q016

If no: Securities are unavailable for

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 61a

251 G10Q017

If more than 4 weeks, please specify

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 61b

252 G10Q018

If not applicable, please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 61c

253 G10Q019

What transfer process steps are involved when eligible securities are withdrawn from the CSD for safekeeping?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 63, 63a

Other: Withdrawal of securities from safekeeping takes place in the following cases: 1) termination of dematerialisation of securities - following the issuer's resignation from being a public company, on approval of the Polish FSA or 2) in case of redemption of debt securities - withdrawal upon the issuer's request.

254 G10Q020

How long does it usually take to remove securities from the CSD?

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 64, 64b

3 days to 1 week [A02]

255 G10Q021

If more than 4 weeks, please specify

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 64a

256 G10Q022

While the securities are being removed from the CSD, can they be traded? (Choose one)

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 65a

Other: During the process of removal from the Depository, shares cannot be traded neither on the regulated nor on the ASO market, but they may be traded on the OTC market and on the basis of Civil Law agreements, until the day of termination of their dematerialisation. Debt securities cannot be traded after the record date.

257 G10Q023

If they cannot be traded please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 65b

258 G10Q024

While the securities are being removed from the CSD, can they be settled? (Choose one)

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 65c

Other: Yes - only for trades concluded on the basis of Civil Law agreements.

259 G10Q025

If they cannot be settled, please explain

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 65d

260 G10Q026

While the securities are being removed from the CSD, can they have ownership transferred? (Choose one)

PFMI: Q.10.1.3 AGC: 65e

Other: Yes - only for trades concluded on the basis of Civil Law agreements.

261 G10Q027  If ownership cannot be transferred, please explain
PFMI: Q.10.1.3
AGC: 65f
263 G10Q029 What are the vault security procedures for the safekeeping of physical paper?
PFMI: Q.10.2.1 AGC: 75
✓ Not applicable, no vault is maintained
☐ Electronic keys or combinations
Dual access control
☐ Visitor logs
☐ Vault counts
Intrusion alarms
Fire alarms
Guards
OTHER:
264 G10Q030 Please indicate frequency of vault counts:
PFMI: Q.10.2.1 AGC: 75a.
265 G10Q031 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.10.2.1 AGC: 75b
Central Securities Depositories (PFMI Principle 11)
271 G11Q002 CSD FUNCTIONALITY AND SERVICES, USE OF AGENTS. Certain functionalities and services reduce risk to an investor if provided in an efficient manner. The purpose of this section is to identify those functionalities that may potentially be offered by depositories and clearing systems around the world, and ascertain whether they are offered by your institution. For which of the following security types do you serve as a CSD or clearing system?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 26

Government securities
✓ Equities
Corporate bonds
Corporate money market
Not applicable
OTHER: see p. 272
272 G11Q003 Please name the other security types:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 26a.
Debt financial instruments: mortgage bonds, municipal bonds, convertible bonds, central bank bonds, financial institution bonds, non-public bonds, mortgage bonds and investment certificates, bonds with priorities rights, structured certificates. Equity financial instruments: preferred shares, investment certificates, exchange-traded funds (ETFs). Other securities: allotment certificates, subscription rights, option warrants, subscription warrants.
273 G11Q004 Is the use of the CSD in your market compulsory by law or compulsory by market practice for the settlement or safekeeping of all instrument types in your market (e.g. equities, government securities, corporate bonds, money market instruments, warrants, derivatives etc).
PFMI: n/a AGC: 27, 27c
✓ Yes by law for settlement of all instrument types
✓ Yes by law for safekeeping of all instrument types
Yes by market practice for settlement of all instrument types
Yes by market practice for safekeeping of all instrument types
Yes by law for settlement, but not for all instrument types
Yes by law for safekeeping, but not for all instrument type
Yes by market practice for settlement, but not for all instrument types
Yes by market practice for safekeeping, but not for all instrument types
Neither
OTHER:
274 G11Q005
Please list the instrument types for which it is not compulsory by law to: (i)settle in your CSD
PFMI: n/a AGC: 27a. (i)

The use of the depository in the Polish market is compulsory for settlement of transactions concluded on regulated and alternative markets. The instrument types for which it is not compulsory by law to settle are: non-publicly traded shares, non-publicly traded debt instruments issued before 1 July 2019, Treasury bonds (for trades outside the regulated market) and Treasury bills. T-Bills are settled in the Securities Register (operated by the National Bank of Poland).

275 G11Q006

(ii) safekeep in your CSD:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 27a. (ii)

Non-publicly traded shares and non-publicly traded debt instruments issued before 1 July 2019 are safekept in registers outside KDPW. T-Bills are safekept in the Securities Register operated by the National Bank of Poland.

276 G11Q007

Please list the instrument types for which it is not compulsory by market practice to: (i)settle in your CSD

PFMI: n/a AGC: 27b. (i)

Non-publicly traded shares, non-publicly traded debt instruments issued before 1 July 2019, Treasury bills; T-Bills are by law settled with the Securities Register (operated by the National Bank of Poland).

277 G11Q008

(ii) safekeep in your CSD:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 27b. (ii)

Non-publicly traded shares and non-publicly traded debt instruments issued before 1 July 2019 are safekept in registers outside KDPW. T-Bills are by law safekept in the Securities Register operated by the National Bank of Poland.

278 G11Q009

Settlement and Safekeeping Percentages 28a Please list by instrument type the percentage of the total market in your jurisdiction (either volume or value) settled within your institution, exclusive of your links with third parties.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 28 28a

100 % - for securities which are obligatorily registered in KDPW.

279 G11Q010

Please list by instrument type the percentage of the total market in your jurisdiction (either volume or value) held in safekeeping within your institution.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 28b.

100 % - for securities which are obligatorily registered in KDPW.

#### 281 G11Q012

In the event a participant's single or main account is blocked for any reason (e.g., insolvency, penalties, violations, liens), would securities held in any account or accounts on behalf of the participant's clients be accessible: By the participant's clients?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44a

Yes [A01]

#### 282 G11Q013

If yes, please describe briefly how clients of participants would access their securities and whether there would be any delay in their ability to do so:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44b

Any securities charges (i.e.: liens) made on accounts managed by KDPW may only affect those accounts where the participant's own securities are registered. As a result of this a charge cannot limit access by a client of that participant to securities registered on the securities account managed by that participant. In the same way, the insolvency of a participant does not in itself lead to restriction of access by a client, since the client's securities do not make up the property of the participant, nor do they form that participant's assets. Only where the participation status of a given participant is suspended can their clients have difficulties in accessing securities they own which are registered on the client's securities accounts managed by that participant, since during the suspension period, all accounts managed for that participant in KDPW are suspended as well (this is the fundamental nature of participation). In such case (suspension of participant) the Polish Financial Supervision Authority may take a decision to transfer securities from accounts managed by this participant to another participant (who gave its consent to this action), where they are immediately accessible to the clients. The same situation may arise in the event of cancellation of participation.

#### 283 G11Q014

By the intervening authorities controlling insolvency or other proceedings?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44d.

No [A02]

#### 284 G11Q015

If yes, please describe briefly under what conditions access would be granted to the intervening authorities:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44e.

#### 285 G11Q016

By the participant's creditors?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44g, 44i

No [A02]

286 G11Q017

If yes, please describe briefly under what conditions access would be granted to the participant's creditors:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44h

287 G11Q018

By the CSD's creditors?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44j.

No [A02]

288 G11Q019

If yes, please describe briefly under what conditions access would be granted to the CSD's creditors:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 44k.

289 G11Q020

What is your document and record retention policy for documents and records described above in this section?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 47, 47a

Other: 10 years

290 G11Q021

Does the law protect participant assets from claims and liabilities of the CSD?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 54

Yes [A01]

291 G11Q022

Can the CSD assess a lien on participant accounts? (A lien would entitle the CSD to take and hold or sell the securities of the participant in payment of a debt.)

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55

Yes [A01]

292 G11Q023 If yes, for what reasons are liens or similar claims imposed?
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55a
Fees and expenses
Collateralization of overdrafts
To secure payment for purchased securities
OTHER: see 293
293 G11Q024 Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55b
The securities on the participant's proprietary account, which are marked as available for collateral purposes, may be used to further collateralize an automatic securities loan taken out by the participant if that participant (acting as a borrower) fails to provide sufficient collateral for the loan in the first place.
294 G11Q025 Please indicate the limits of this lien as indicated below:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55c
The lien is limited to securities in the participant's proprietary account [A01]
295 G11Q026 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55d
296 G11Q027 If a lien is placed on a participant's account which has been designated for its clients, will the CSD select certain securities to be subject to the lien?
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55e
207 0440000
297 G11Q028  If yes, please indicate whether:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55f

298 G11Q029
Please explain:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1
AGC: 55g

299 G11Q030

If no, please indicate whether the entire account will be subject to the lien.

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55h

300 G11Q031

For accounts designated as client accounts, do procedures exist to restrict the placement of liens only to obligations arising from safe custody and administration of those accounts?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55j

301 G11Q032

If yes, are the restrictions accomplished by:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55k

302 G11Q033 Please explain:

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 55I

303 G11Q034

Transfer of Legal Ownership. Does the CSD have legal authority to transfer title to securities?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 56, 56e

Yes [A01]

304 G11Q035

When does title or entitlement to CSD securities pass between participants?

PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 56a

Other: See p. 305.

305 G11Q036

Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 56b
The title to depository securities passes in the moment of booking these securities on securities accounts (i.e. end-investor accounts) kept by KDPW participants. Entries in these accounts arising from transactions shall be made on the basis of documents proving settlement of these transactions in KDPW.
306 G11Q037 Where does title or entitlement to CSD securities pass between participants?
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 56c
307 G11Q038 Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.1.1 AGC: 56d
309 G11Q040 In what form does the CSD maintain records identifying the assets of each participant?  PFMI: Q.11.1.2
AGC: 45
Computer file
Microfiche
Hard copy
Computer tape
OTHER:
310 G11Q041 In which format is the source data maintained?
PFMI: Q.11.1.2 AGC: 45b
Internal IBM System i format.
315 G110046

If the securities held with the CSD are recorded by book-entry at the registrar, what are the control features at the registrar for transfer of registrar positions to and from the CSD (e.g., authentication procedures, reconciliation, confirmation of position at registrar)? Please describe:

PFMI: Q.11.1.6 AGC: 52i

Not applicable.
318 G11Q049 How are CSD eligible securities held by the CSD?
PFMI: Q.11.3.1 AGC: 50, 50a
✓ In dematerialized form
☐ In certificated form
OTHER:
320 G11Q051 If CSD eligible securities are certificated, can CSD eligible securities be held outside of the CSD?
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51
Not applicable [A05]
321 G11Q052 If certain designated securities are held outside the CSD, please indicate under which conditions these securities would be held outside the CSD:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51a
322 G11Q053 If CSD eligible securities are required to be centrally immobilized at the CSD, where and with whom are the certificates safekept? (then please answer 51c)
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51b
323 G11Q054 Are these certificates:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51c
Bearer
Registered
OTHER:
324 G11Q055 If registered, how are the CSD eligible securities registered?

PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51d
In the name of the CSD
In the name of the depositing participant or its nominee
In the name of a separate nominee of the CSD
OTHER:
325 G11Q056 If in the name of a separate nominee, please identify by name the nominee used:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51f
326 G11Q057 If CSD eligible securities may be held either in or out of the CSD, are these certificates:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51h
327 G11Q058  What are the control features for receipt of certificates to the CSD (e.g., authentication procedures, re-registration)? Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 51i
328 G11Q059 If securities are dematerialized: May dematerialized security positions be re-certificated and held outside the CSD?
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52
Yes [A01]
329 G11Q060 Are the securities held:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52a, 52k
✓ Through book-entry at the CSD
Through book-entry at a registrar or issuer
OTHER:

330 G11Q061
Please identify which types of entities may act as registrars:  PFMI: Q.11.3.2
AGC: 52b
Issuers
Separate companies that perform registrar functions
CSD
OTHER:
UTHER.
224 044020
331 G11Q062 If the securities held by the CSD are recorded by book entry at the registrar, are the securities registered only to the CSD, with the CSD providing the function of recording ownership on a centralized basis for the market?
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52d
332 G11Q063
If yes, how are securities held at the registrar for the account of the CSD?
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52e
333 G11Q064 Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52f
334 G11Q065 If the securities held with the CSD are recorded by book-entry at the registrar but are not registered exclusively to the CSD, may they be registered to:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52g
335 G11Q066 Please describe:
PFMI: Q.11.3.2 AGC: 52h
338 G11Q069

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Does the CSD accept liability (independent of any insurance coverage) for the following: Reconciliation errors with the registrar and/or the issuer that result in direct damages or losses to participants?
PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66, 66a, 66d
Yes [A03]
339 G11Q070 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:
PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66b 66c
Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD
✓ The CSD assumes liability for direct losses
The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses
OTHER:
340 G11Q071 Theft of securities (either physical certificate or electronically from accounts at the CSD) from the CSD that results in direct damages or losses to participants?
PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66e, 66g, 66h
Yes [A02]
Yes [A02]
Yes [A02]  341 G11Q072  If yes, please check all of the following that apply:
341 G11Q072 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1
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341 G11Q072 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66f  Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses
341 G11Q072  If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1  AGC: 66f  ☐ Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  ☑ The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  ☐ The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses  ☐ OTHER:   342 G11Q073  Failure of the CSD's systems that result in direct damages or losses to participants because they
341 G11Q072 If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1  AGC: 66f  Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses  OTHER:  342 G11Q073  Failure of the CSD's systems that result in direct damages or losses to participants because they cannot use either securities or funds?  PFMI: Q.11.4.1
341 G11Q072  If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1  AGC: 66f  Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses  OTHER:  342 G11Q073  Failure of the CSD's systems that result in direct damages or losses to participants because they cannot use either securities or funds?  PFMI: Q.11.4.1  AGC: 66i, 66l.

PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66j, 66k
Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD
✓ The CSD assumes liability for direct losses
The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses
OTHER:
344 G11Q075 Any direct damages or losses to participants caused by the CSD due to its errors, omissions or fraud?
PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66m, 66p.
✓ Yes
□ No
Not applicable
OTHER:
345 G11Q076  If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1
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If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66n.  Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses  OTHER:  347 G11Q078 Is the CSD immune from legal action in its own jurisdiction?  PFMI: Q.11.4.2
If yes, please check all of the following that apply:  PFMI: Q.11.4.1 AGC: 66n.  Financial limits are imposed on the amount of liability assumed by the CSD  The CSD assumes liability for direct losses  The CSD assumes liability for indirect or consequential losses  OTHER:  347 G11Q078 Is the CSD immune from legal action in its own jurisdiction?  PFMI: Q.11.4.2 AGC: 68  Other: According to Art. 6 p. 4 of the Bankruptcy and Restitution Law a legal entity which has been established on the basis of provisions of an Act of Parliament cannot be declared bankrupt. KDPW is

Does the CSD have Fidelity insurance (that is, insurance to cover loss of securities or money resulting, for example, from acts such as forgery, theft, fraud and/or employee dishonesty)?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 92 Yes [A01]

350 G11Q081

What is the amount of the coverage?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 92a.

100 mn PLN (25 mn USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

351 G11Q082

What is the amount of the deductible?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 92b.

100 000 PLN (25 000 USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

352 G11Q083

Does the CSD have insurance for Operational Errors?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 93

Yes [A01]

353 G11Q084

What is the amount of the coverage?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 93a.

100 mn PLN (25 mn USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

354 G11Q085

What is the amount of the deductible?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 93b.

250 000 - 300 000 PLN (62 000 - 75 000 USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

355 G11Q086

Does the CSD have Errors and Omissions insurance?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 94

Yes [A01]

356 G11Q087

What is the amount of the coverage?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 94a.

100 mn PLN (25 mn USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

357 G11Q088

What is the amount of the deductible?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 94b.

250 000 - 300 000 PLN (62 000 - 75 000 USD - USD/PLN 3,97 at the end of August 2019)

358 G11Q089

Does the CSD have insurance for the Premises?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 95

Other: KDPW has insurance for the disaster recovery site. As regards the main premises, KDPW, as one of the co-owners of the building, has its share equal to 21,138760% in the insurance for the building.

359 G11Q090

What is the amount of the coverage?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 95a.

360 G11Q091

What is the amount of the deductible?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 95b.

361 G11Q092

Does the CSD have any other insurance?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 96, 96d

Yes [A01]

362 G11Q093 If so, what is it for?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 96a.

There is insurance for fire and other events, such as break-ins and theft, robbery and destruction, for all risks relating to fittings and portable equipment (laptop computers, mobile phones), property insurance in transit in Polish territory, civil liability as a result of managing offices.

363 G11Q094

What is the amount of the coverage?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 96b.

Full property insurance - reproduction value.

364 G11Q095

What is the amount of the deductible?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 96c.

365 G11Q096

Who is the insurance carrier? If more than one insurance carrier, please list each carrier here and provide your responses to questions 97a and 97b in corresponding order.

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 97

Colonnade Insurance SA - operational risk insurance, PZU S.A. - other insurance agreements

366 G11Q097

Who is the insurance carrier's parent company, if applicable? (If inapplicable, simply type n/a.)

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 97a.

Colonnade Insurance SA - member of Fairfax Financial Holdings Limited

367 G11Q098

What is the term of the policy?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 97b.

1 year

368 G11Q099

Who does the insurance cover?

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 97c, 97d



CSD

☐ Direct CSD participants
Final investors
Not applicable
OTHER: KDPW_CCP (KDPW's subsidiary)
369 G11Q100 If you feel that you would like to provide additional details on any of the given answers, feel free to provide any additional comments here (maximum of 5,000 characters) or prepare an additional document identifying the question(s) you are commenting on and upload the document under 98a:
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 98
370 G11Q101
filecount - Upload document here:
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 98a.
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371 G11Q102 Do the CSD's written contracts, rules, or established practices and procedures provide protection against risk of loss of participant assets by the CSD in the form of indemnification?
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67a, 67b.
Yes
✓ No
Not applicable
OTHER:
OTTIEK.
372 G11Q103
Please explain (then please answer 67c):
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67b.
373 G11Q104 Please provide details of the relevant sections of the contracts, rules or practices where this information is found
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67c.
not applicable

374 G11Q105 Insurance
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67d.
AGC. UTU.
Yes
□ No
Not applicable
OTHER:
375 G11Q106 Please explain (then please answer 67f):
PFMI: Q.11.4.3
AGC: 67e.
KDPW holds an insurance agreement to cover specific fraud relating to KDPW-owned financial instruments, financial instruments registered on KDPW accounts and KDPW managed accounts, or where KDPW holds powers of attorney. The policy further covers risks involving malfunctions of IT systems, computer crime and professional liability of financial institutions (interest or damages for failure to perform its functions, or for negligent performance).
376 G11Q107 Please provide details of the relevant sections of the contracts, rules or practices where this information is found
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67f.
not applicable
377 G11Q108 Acknowledgement of liability for losses caused by CSD's own actions.
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67g.
Yes [A01]
378 G11Q109 Please explain (then please answer 67i):
PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67h.
see 375
379 G11Q110

Please provide details of the relevant sections of the contracts, rules or practices where this information is found.

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67i.

not applicable

380 G11Q111

Other

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67j.

Yes [Y]

381 G11Q112

Please explain (then please answer 671:

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67k.

KDPW has a dedicated Corporate Security Department, which prepares policy, methodologies, procedures and tools to manage any kind of operational and legal risks, inter alia, resulting in a loss of assets registered in the KDPW depository system. However, rights to securities arise as a result of entries on securities accounts, which are in effect carried out by the participants themselves. The aggregated amounts of assets kept on securities accounts with participants are equal to the balances on depository accounts in KDPW. The reconciliation process at the end of each day allows to identify any discrepancies between KDPW's depositary accounts and participants' aggregated accounts and take any action to resolve them. Moreover, operational risk management and monitoring systems have strict procedures to deal with any kind of incidents that can occur in the KDPW processes and address ways how to cope with them. In case of direct material loss of a participant due to KDPW's own fault, the insurance policy might be activated to cover the loss. In addition, the assets of investors kept on securities accounts with participants are safeguarded using a compensation scheme, which is administered by KDPW and used to pay compensation to clients in the event of the bankruptcy of a participant or fraudulent dealings by participants.

382 G11Q113

Please provide details of the relevant sections of the contracts, rules or practices where this information is found.

PFMI: Q.11.4.3 AGC: 67I.

Compensation Scheme Regulation, art. 132-146 of the Trading in Financial Instruments Act, Rules of Operation of the Compensation Scheme in KDPW.

384 G11Q115

Are participants permitted to maintain more than one account at the CSD?

PFMI: Q.11.5.1 AGC: 41

Yes [A01]

385 G11Q116  If yes, please indicate number:
PFMI: Q.11.5.1 AGC: 41a, 41c
✓ An unlimited number of accounts
More than one account
OTHER:
386 G11Q117 If more than one account what is the maximum?
PFMI: Q.11.5.1 AGC: 41b
388 G11Q119 Are participants required/permitted to segregate assets held for their own benefit from those they hold for their clients?
PFMI: Q.11.5.2 AGC: 42
✓ Yes
□ No
☐ Not applicable
OTHER:
389 G11Q120 If yes, is segregation required or simply permitted?
PFMI: Q.11.5.2 AGC: 42a
Required [A01]
390 G11Q121 How does segregation occur?
PFMI: Q.11.5.2 AGC: 42b, 42c
✓ By separately designated participant accounts.
By sub-accounts within a single participant account.
By separately designated beneficial owner accounts.
OTHER:

391 G11Q122

Does the CSD permit its participants to open accounts in the participant's own nominee name(s)?

PFMI: Q.11.5.2 AGC: 43, 43b

Other: Polish Securities Law allows for opening omnibus accounts, operated by KDPW participants or by KDPW, for their foreign clients. They are opened in the name of the participant's clients, not in the participant's own nominee name.

392 G11Q123

If yes, do laws exist, which define as well as protect the rights of beneficial owners with respect to securities registered in nominee name?

PFMI: Q.11.5.2 AGC: 43a

393 G11Q124
Does the CSD maintain records that identify the assets of each participant and segregate the system's own assets from the assets of participants?

PFMI: Q.11.5.2
AGC: 53, 53a

✓ Yes

No
Not applicable

OTHER:

395 G11Q126

Please indicate services you provide.

PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 35

- Own list or: AGC: Information in advance on corporate (annual or special) meetings in order that owners can vote.
- Tax assistance where foreign holders may be entitled to tax relief at source or through a claim.
- In order to avoid fails, an automatic securities lending facility if requested is provided for.
- Collateral handling in support of activities including securities lending, overdraft coverage, cash management, repurchase agreements, etc.
- Same day turnaround settlements.
- Information on distribution of new issues (IPO, Privatization).
- Not applicable
- OTHER: Statutory services: (1) settlement of transactions conducted on the regulated and non-regulated markets; (2) automated pre-matching service for OTC settlement instructions; (3) hold-release mechanism which allows management of instructions sent for settlement; (4) Corporate Action

processing: organising and co-ordinating the performance of issuers' obligations for securities owners, supporting information on both optional and mandatory events, providing an autocompensation service for losing cash benefits from securities for non-defaulting party with a cum dividend entitlement benefit, acting as an intermediary in processing GMs (providing a list of shareholders authorised to attend the GM with an interface (web application) for issuer to pass on information related to the GMs, providing e-Voting service); Other services: (5) voluntary partial settlement functionality: allows to optimise the volume of settled transactions outside of the organised markets, part of each DVP batch settlement, (6) negotiated securities lending & borrowing service organized in cooperation with KDPW\_CCP: voluntary service, intermediation in SLB agreements conclusion, fixed- or open-term securities loans available, settlement of loan for both opening and closing (return/recall) phase on a DvP basis with CCP guarantees for the closing phase, initial cash collateral transfer to the lender, daily mark-to-market of the initial cash collateral, managing loan throughout the loan's lifecycle, including returns, recalls, remuneration for the lent securities as well as provided cash collateral, market claims compensation in case of CAs on lent securities, (7) tri-party repo agent service: voluntary service, accepting repo instructions, selecting collateral for repo transactions, updating collateral, i.e., calculating and initiating collateral transf ers, reporting collateral requirements to repo counterparties, processing the closing of repo transactions at the set date taking into account the reporate, processing corporate actions for securities posted as collateral: modifications to the collateral register, processing compensation in respect of cash payments attached to securities posted as collateral. (8) trade repository service for reporting derivatives trades under the provisions of EMIR, (9) numbering agency service (ISIN, CFI, FISN and LEI), (10) asset management; Complementary services: (11) organising and managing the Pension Guarantee Fund, (12) processing of transfer payments between open-ended pension funds, (13) managing the mandatory Investor Compensation Scheme in order to pool resources for the payment of compensation to investors who have lost their assets (cash and financial instruments) following the insolvency of their securities account provider, (14) collection of data and making publicly available information on outstanding nonredeemed bonds, mortgage bonds and investment certificates issued by each issuer domiciled in the Republic of Poland

396 G11Q127
Automatic securities lending facility is provided for:

PFMI: Q.11.6.1
AGC: 35a

✓ Brokers

✓ Banks

☐ Other financial institutions

✓ OTHER: The service is provided for banks and brokers who are direct participants of KDPW, acting on their own account or on the account of another person, however, the securities borrower may only be a direct participant with the status of clearing member in the transaction clearing system operated by KDPW\_CCP or with the status of a representative (settlement agent) for KDPW\_CCP clearing members.

397 G11Q128
If collateral handling, please provide details

PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 35c

KDPW holds collateral for: - automatic securities loans (cash, Treasury bonds traded on the regulated market in Poland, shares participating in the WIG20 index) in co-ordination with KDPW\_CCP. - tri-party repo transactions (Treasury bonds traded on the regulated market in Poland and cash – last to be allowed only for marking to market the value of the repo transaction), - KDPW\_CCP holds on depository accounts in KDPW the collateral for initial margins and clearing funds of its participants resulting from trades executed on regulated and alternative markets, - a negotiated securities lending & borrowing service for which initial margin and guarantee fund are kept for KDPW\_CCP, - participants keep collateral to pledge intra-day technical credit granted by the National Central Bank, - securities are also blocked on depository accounts under pledge: (1) for the collateralisation of refundable financial aid granted by the Bank Guarantee Fund, (2) for the collateralisation of refinancing Lombard credit

granted by the National Bank of Poland; (3) in favour of the Council of Europe Development Bank, European Investment Bank.
398 G11Q129 Other, please explain:
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 35d
399 G11Q130 What procedures are in place for the processing of corporate action entitlements?
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 36
Credited to the securities account on the day indicated below regardless of whether actually collected by the CSD on the scheduled date.
Credited to the securities account upon actual receipt by the CSD.
Corporate action entitlements are handled by an entity separate from the CSD.
Not applicable
OTHER:
400 G11Q131 Credited to the securities account:
PFMI: Q.11.6.1
AGC: 36a
On pay date.
On pay date +1.
On pay date +2.
OTHER:
401 G11Q132 Name of entity:
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 36c
402 G11Q133 What procedures are in place for the processing of interest and dividends?
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 37, 37d.

Credited to the cash account on the day indicated below regardless of whether actually collected by the CSD on the scheduled date.
✓ Credited to the cash account upon actual receipt by the CSD.
☐ Income and dividend collection is handled by an entity separate from the CSD.
☐ Not applicable
OTHER:
403 G11Q134 Credited to the cash account:
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 37a
On pay date.
On pay date +1.
On pay date +2.
OTHER:
404 G11Q135 Name of entity:
PFMI: Q.11.6.1 AGC: 37c
Exchange-of-value settlement systems (PFMI Principle 12)
409 G12Q003 Does the CSD guaranty settlement?
PFMI: Q.12.1.1 AGC: 66u.
Other: There is no settlement guarantee provided by the CSD. Clearing guarantee is accomplished by KDPW_CCP (wholly owned by KDPW, EMIR compliant), which clears transactions executed in cash and derivatives, on- and off-exchange markets.
410 G12Q004 Please explain how this is accomplished. What are the procedures and safeguards that permit the CSD to guaranty settlement?
PFMI: Q.12.1.1 AGC: 66v.

412 G12Q006
The Committee on Payment and Settlement Systems of the Bank for International Settlements (BIS) has identified three common structural approaches or models for linking delivery and payment in a

securities settlement system. Please indicate which model your procedures most closely resemble.
PFMI: Q.12.1.2 AGC: 48
Model1
✓ Model2
✓ Model3
Not applicable
OTHER:

# 413 G12Q007

Please briefly describe your settlement process, including how do your settlement procedures vary from the model chosen above?

PFMI: Q.12.1.3 AGC: 48a

Model 1 (gross settlement of both securities and cash) is applicable to the settlement of transactions in RTGS. Model 2 (gross settlement of securities with net settlement of cash via central bank) is applicable to the settlement in the batch system. Model 3 (net settlement of both securities and cash) is applicable to the settlement in the batch system for all guaranteed market transactions. The securities netting process is performed following novation in KDPW\_CCP. At the end of the trade day (T), settlement instructions are sent to KDPW for T+2 settlements. Securities netting is an optional service. There are two options of securities netting functionality, full netting or directional netting (for each clearing account the securities settlement method may be chosen separately). The full netting method means there is one net settlement instruction for each clearing position, in directional netting two net settlement instructions are generated, respectively, for the buy and the sell clearing positions.

416 G12Q010
Are the cash and security movements simultaneous?

PFMI: Q.12.1.3
AGC: 49

Yes [A01]

# 417 G12Q011

If cash and security movements are not simultaneous, please indicate the duration of the timing gap

PFMI: Q.12.1.3 AGC: 49a

# Participant default rules and procedures (PFMI Principle 13)

#### 422 G13Q004

During the past three years, has there been a situation where a participant defaulted which resulted in a significant loss?

PFMI: Q.13.1.2 AGC: 77

No [A02]
423 G13Q005 How was the situation resolved? Or if you answered "Other," then please explain:
PFMI: Q.13.1.2 AGC: 77a
424 G13Q006  Does the stock exchange have default protections that extend to the CSD, such as the following?
PFMI: Q.13.1.2 AGC: 80
Margin requirements for stock exchange members
Guaranty fund for stock exchange members
Financial requirements for stock exchange membership
✓ No
Not applicable
OTHER: see 425
425 G13Q007 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.13.1.2 AGC: 80a
KDPW_CCP maintains a guarantee system for stock exchange and the alternative trading platform transactions (excluding block trade transactions) and also for OTC derivatives market transactions.
428 G13Q010 Participant Default Protections Resulting from a Participant Failure. If a participant defaults, how is the loss covered? (Choose all that apply?)
PFMI: Q.13.1.4 AGC: 76, 76d
CCD incorrect covers the less
CSD insurance covers the loss
The CSD guaranty fund covers the loss
Loss is shared among participants
Not applicable
OTHER: KDPW_CCP, a subsidiary of KDPW, operates a guaranty system covering the losses of clearing members, represented by settlement agents in KDPW. KDPW_CCP uses a range of mechanisms, which reduce the risk of counterparty default on a systemic basis. The sequence of

dedicated capital in the amount corresponding to at least 25% of the capital requirements; 5) basic contributions of KDPW\_CCP's non-defaulting members to the guarantee fund; 6) KDPW\_CCP own capital up to the level of 110% of the required capital; 7) additional contributions of KDPW\_CCP's non-defaulting members to the guarantee fund capped at the level of the 50% of contributions' value resulting from the most recent update; 8) the remaining own funds of KDPW\_CCP.

429 G13Q011

Please explain the process:

PFMI: Q.13.1.4 AGC: 76a

430 G13Q012

Please explain the process of how the loss is shared:

PFMI: Q.13.1.4 AGC: 76b

431 G13Q013 Please explain:

PFMI: Q.13.1.4 AGC: 76d

Loss-sharing is used in further stages of the KDPW\_CCP's default waterfall procedures, when basic contributions to the settlement guarantee fund of KDPW\_CCP's non-defaulting members are used, and further, when additional contributions of KDPW\_CCP's non-defaulting members capped at the level of the 50% of original payments as per the latest calculation are demanded.

# General business risk (PFMI Principle 15)

441 G14Q002

Is a financial audit performed by an Audit Firm, Regulatory Authority, or other external party?

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 15

Yes [Y]

442 G14Q003

If yes, please state the name(s) of the entity(ies) who perform the financial audit.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15a.

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443 G14Q004

Please list the date of your last financial audit performed by an Audit Firm, Regulatory Authority, or other external party:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15b.

19/03/2019

444 G14Q005

Please list the period that the audit covered:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15c.

Start date: 01/01/2018 End date: 31/12/2018

445 G14Q006

How frequently does the financial audit occur?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15d.

Annually [A02]

446 G14Q007

If less than annually, please explain:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15e.

447 G14Q008

Please select the statement that most accurately characterizes the results of the last financial audit:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15g.

No material exceptions found. [A01]

448 G14Q009

If minor or material exceptions were found, what actions were taken? Please describe:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 15h.

449 G14Q010

Has there been any material loss by the CSD during the past three years?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 86

No [A02]

450 G14Q011

If there has been a loss, please describe the cause, the final impact and the action taken to prevent a recurrence:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 86a.
451 G14Q012 Has the CSD been subject to any litigation involving a participant during the past three years?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 87
No [A02]
452 G14Q013 Please explain the circumstances and resolution:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 87a.
453 G14Q014 Has the CSD realized revenues sufficient to cover expenses during the past three years?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 88, 88a
Yes for all three years [A01]
454 G14Q015 Has any participant suffered any losses in the past three years due to the CSD's performance?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 30, 30m
No [A02]
455 G14Q016 If yes, please select all of the following in which loss has occurred. You will be prompted to enter the number of instances and total loss in USD thereafter.
PFMI: n/a AGC: 30a, 30j
Corporate Action
Settlement Process - Securities
Settlement Process - Cash
System Outage
OTHER:

456 G14Q017

Corporate Action. Please specify number of instances:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30b.

457 G14Q018

Corporate Action. Please specify total loss in USD:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30c.

458 G14Q019

Settlement Process - Securities. Please specify number of instances:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30d.

459 G14Q020

Settlement Process - Securities. Please specify total loss in USD:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30e.

460 G14Q021

Settlement Process - Cash. Please specify number of instances:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30f.

461 G14Q022

Settlement Process - Cash. Please specify total loss in USD:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30g.

462 G14Q023

System Outage. Please specify number of instances:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 30h.

463 G14Q024

System Outage. Please specify total loss in USD:

PFMI: n/a

AGC: 30i.
464 G14Q025 For Other, please specify number of instances:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 30k.
465 G14Q026 For Other, please specify total loss in USD:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 30I.
469 G14Q030 Does the CSD maintain a reserve for operating losses?
PFMI: Q.15.2.1 AGC: 89, 89b
No [A02]
472 G14Q033 Please describe and indicate reserve (for operating losses) amount:
PFMI: Q.15.2.2 AGC: 89a.
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Custody risk (PFMI Principle 16)
486 G15Q003  Are there any activities performed by a third party on behalf of the CSD for the CSD participants (e.g., vaulting of physical securities, registration, entitlement processing, etc.)?
PFMI: Q.16.1.1 AGC: 29, 29i
Yes
✓ No
Not applicable
OTHER:
487 G15Q004 If third parties are employed, please indicate which services they supply:
PFMI: Q.16.1.1 AGC: 29a.

488 G15Q005 If third parties are employed, does the CSD assume liability for losses incurred by participants as a result of the actions/inactions of the third parties?  PFMI: Q.16.1.1
AGC: 29b.
489 G15Q006 If you acknowledge responsibility, please indicate whether your responsibility is assumed
PFMI: Q.16.1.1   AGC: 29c, 29e.
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regardless of whether such loss was caused by any action or inaction of the agent
if such loss was caused by the agent's action or inaction and such action or inaction was deemed to be negligence on the part of the agent
if such loss was caused by the agent's action or inaction and such action or inaction was deemed to be gross negligence on the part of the agent
if the loss was caused by the willful default or other willful conduct on the part of the agent
OTHER:
490 G15Q007
If you acknowledge responsibility for agents, your responsibility is assumed for losses
PFMI: Q.16.1.1 AGC: 29d, 29h.
without limit
which are not consequential losses
subject to a monetary limit not based on insurance limits
subject to a monetary limit based on insurance limits
OTHER:
LI OTTEN.
101 015000
491 G15Q008 Please specify limit:
PFMI: Q.16.1.1 AGC: 29f.
492 G15Q009 Please specify limit:
PFMI: Q.16.1.1 AGC: 29g.

#### 497 G15Q014

Please describe briefly the arrangements / procedures / facilities you maintain to ensure that eligible securities held at the CSD are handled at least as efficiently as compared to securities held outside the CSD, particularly in relation to income, corporate actions and proxy services.

PFMI: Q.16.3.1 AGC: 62

The only eligible securities which are held outside the CSD are non-public debt securities which were issued before 1 July 2019 and may be registered in investment firms. The efficiency of handling these securities by KDPW comes from standarisation of procedures and systems of registration, safekeeping and corporate actions processing, which in KDPW are the same as for public-traded securities, including central distribution of information on corporate actions and registration on securities accounts, managed in accordance with stringent standards of the central depository system.

# Operational risk (PFMI Principle 17)

515 G16Q011

Internal Audit. Is an internal audit undertaken in your CSD?

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14

Yes [Y]

# 516 G16Q012

If yes, what areas does the audit cover (financials, operations, etc.) and which department in your CSD handles it?

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14a.

The audit covers operations, compliance and partially financial areas. It is handled by the Internal Audit Department.

#### 517 G16Q013

Please list the date of your last internal audit and the period that the audit covered:

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14b.

Start date: 01/01/2019 End date: 30/06/2019 Audit date: 10/09/2019

518 G16Q014

How frequently does the internal audit occur?

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14c.

Two or more times a year [A01]

519 G16Q015

If less than annually, please explain:

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14d.

520 G16Q016

Are the results of the internal audit publicly available?

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14e.

No [N]

521 G16Q017

Please select the statement that most accurately characterizes the results of the last internal audit:

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14f.

No material exceptions found. [A01]

522 G16Q018

If minor or material exceptions were found, what actions were taken? Please describe:

PFMI: Q.17.2.3 AGC: 14g.

524 G16Q020

Is an operational audit performed by an Audit Firm, Regulatory Authority, or other external party?

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16

Yes [Y]

525 G16Q021

If yes, please state the name(s) of the entity(ies) who perform the operational audit.

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16a.

Operational audit is performed by the Polish Financial Supervision Authority. Processes related to the IT systems operations (change and access management, handling of incidents) are currently included in the annual audit performed by the financial auditor.

526 G16Q022

Please list the date of your last operational audit performed by an Audit Firm, Regulatory Authority, or other external party:

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16b.

15/06/2010

527 G16Q023

Please list the period that the audit covered:

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16c.

Start date: 02/01/2007 End date: 31/12/2009

528 G16Q024

How frequently does the operational audit occur?

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16d.

Less than annually [A03]

529 G16Q025

If less than annually, please explain:

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16e.

The PFSA performs audits usualy at the request of KDPW participants, which may seek an investigation of certain procedures. No such requests have been made since 2009.

530 G16Q026

Please select the statement that most accurately characterizes the results of the last operational audit:

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16g.

No material exceptions found. [A01]

531 G16Q027

If minor or material exceptions were found, what actions were taken? Please describe:

PFMI: Q.17.2.4 AGC: 16h.

538 G16Q034

How is access to the physical building controlled?

PFMI: Q.17.5.1 AGC: 74

✓ By guards
By electronic keys
personal ID card
✓ By alarm system
OTHER:
539 G16Q035 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.17.5.1 AGC: 74a.
542 G16Q038 Regarding data security: Are passwords used by participants to access their accounts?
PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71 71a.
Other: Participants have access to the Electronic System for Distribution of Information (ESDI/WEB) or the Electronic System for Message Distribution (ESDK). Data security is based mainly on individual cryptographic keys. ESDI/WEB: when a paticipant enters ESDI/WEB through website www.kdpw.pl, he has to enter login and password, and in the next step, select the appropriate certificate. When a participant enters directly (https://esdi.kdpw.pl), he has to select the appropriate certificate. ESDK as a system to system communication solution doesn't provide any user interface. Security such as authentication and data encryption is based on specific MQ digital certificate. Our new online system available from the internet is accessible using login/password and is protected by advanced threat analysis system delivered by our service providers.
543 G16Q039 Does each user have a unique user ID?
PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71c.
Yes [A01]
544 G16Q040 Are passwords regularly changed?
PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71e.
Other: No, Individual cryptographic keys are changed every 2 years.

545 G16Q041 How often? PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71f.

546 G16Q042 Is there a user lock-out after a pre-set number of unsuccessful User ID attempts?
PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71h.
Other: Depends on the system. Some have lockout after 5 unsuccessful attempts (login/password). Systems using certificate do not lockout.Our online systems having access to the internet use sophisticated strategy to lock accounts. The accounts are locked based on the IP of the request and the passwords entered. The duration of the lockout also increases based on the likelihood that it is an attack.
547 G16Q043 How many?
PFMI: Q.17.5.3 AGC: 71i.
554 0400047
551 G16Q047 How quickly can the main system be reactivated in the event of an outage?
PFMI: Q.17.6.2 AGC: 82
1 - 4 hours [A01]
554 G16Q050 Will the CSD publicly announce any system interruption?
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84
Yes [A01]
555 G16Q051 To whom will the CSD disclose any system interruptions?
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84a.
✓ To the CSD regulators
✓ To all direct participants
To direct and indirect participants
To the public via the internet
In the press
OTHER:
556 G16Q052 If so, please list webpage address:

PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84b.
557 G16Q053 If so, please list all publications:
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84c.
558 G16Q054 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84d.
559 G16Q055 How will the CSD disclose any system interruptions?
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84e.
Due well
By e-mail
By telephone
Public announcement
Press release
OTHER: Electronic System for Distribution of Information (ESDI/WEB), fax
560 G16Q056 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.17.6.4 AGC: 84f.
Electronic System for Distribution of Information (ESDI/WEB), fax
562 G16Q058 If a back-up system exists, how quickly can the back-up system be activated in the event of the main system failing?
PFMI: Q.17.6.5 AGC: 83
1 - 4 hours [A01]

566 G16Q062
BUSINESS RECOVERY PLAN. This section is intended to identify key aspects of the CSD's Business Recovery Plan (BRP), including testing requirements and past results, expected recovery time periods,

and the independent review and validation (if any) of the BRP. Do you have a formal business recovery plan?

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81

Yes [Y]

567 G16Q063

Does your Business Recovery Plan include:

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81a, 81h.

- ✓ Back-up of all computer files
- Off-site data storage
- Back-up files stored and locked
- Off-site operations facility
- OTHER: On-line data replication

#### 568 G16Q064

Please identify both the frequency and the last date of testing for the following third party: CSD participants/members

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81b.

at least once a year; the last date of testing: 13.10.2018

# 569 G16Q065

Please identify both the frequency and the last date of testing for the following third party: Stock exchange

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81c.

at least once a year; the last date of testing: 13.10.2018

#### 570 G16Q066

Please identify both the frequency and the last date of testing for the following third party: Central bank

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81d.

at least once a year; the last date of testing: 13.10.2018

#### 571 G16Q067

Please identify both the frequency and the last date of testing for the following third party: Local brokers

PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81e.
at least once a year; the last date of testing: 13.10.2018
572 G16Q068 Please identify both the frequency and the last date of testing for the following third party: Any other third party
PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 81f.
573 G16Q069 In the past three years, has it been necessary to activate the recovery plan in a live situation?
PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 85
No [A02]
574 G16Q070 If yes, how much time was needed to implement the recovery plan?
PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 85a.
575 G16Q071 How much time was needed to recover and restore business to normal operations?
PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 85b.
576 G16Q072
What was the impact to the market?
PFMI: Q.17.6.8 AGC: 85c, 85d.
All securities settlements took place as scheduled on the same day with good value
All cash settlements took place as scheduled on the same day with good value
All securities settlements took place one business day late with good value
All cash settlements took place one business day late with good value
All securities settlements took place one business day late with value one day late
All cash settlements took place one business day late with value one day late
All securities settlements took place more than one business day late

As a result of the system failure, all fines and penalties for late settlements were waived  Even though there was a system failure, all fines and penalties for late settlements were still assessed  OTHER:  577 G16Q073 If no or other, please explain  PFMI: Q.17.7.4 AGC: 40a.
assessed  OTHER:  577 G16Q073  If no or other, please explain  PFMI: Q.17.7.4  AGC: 40a.
577 G16Q073 If no or other, please explain  PFMI: Q.17.7.4 AGC: 40a.
If no or other, please explain  PFMI: Q.17.7.4  AGC: 40a.
If no or other, please explain  PFMI: Q.17.7.4  AGC: 40a.
AGC: 40a.
579. G160075
570 G160075
Are procedures and controls (firewalls) in place to avoid systemic collapse or contamination if one of the linked entities should experience business interruptions for whatever reason?
PFMI: Q.17.7.1 AGC: 39
Yes
□ No
✓ Not applicable
580 G16Q076 Please explain
PFMI: Q.17.7.1 AGC: 39a
The links are provided via the SWIFT messaging system and there is no direct linkage between KDPW and the other entity's systems. The SWIFT infrastructure used by KDPW is secured in accordance with SWIFT recommendations.
584 G16Q080 Has a business interruption recovery plan been developed in the event the linkages should become inoperable for any reason?
PFMI: Q.17.7.4 AGC: 40

# Access and participation requirements (PFMI Principle 18)

588 G17Q003

Are prospective participants subject to an initial review and approval process regarding compliance with eligibility requirements?

PFMI: Q.18.1.1

AGC: 19
Yes [A01]
592 G17Q007 What governs the relationship between the CSD and the participants?
PFMI: Q.18.2.2 AGC: 20
Relevant law and regulation
Standard participation contract
Established terms and conditions of participation
By-laws of the CSD
Rules of the CSD
Not applicable
OTHER:
593 G17Q008 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.2.2 AGC: 20a
595 G17Q010 PARTICIPANTS AND PARTICIPATION. The purpose of this section is to understand issues relating to participation in the CSD, including eligibility requirements, conditions of participation, and supervision of participants. What types of entities are eligible to become participants and how many of each type are there currently?
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17, 17q
Banks
<b>✓</b> Brokers
☐ Individuals
Foreign Institutions
Not applicable
OTHER: Depositors (financial institutions), Clearing houses (KDPW_CCP), Central securities depositories (KELER, Clearstream Banking Luxembourg), Ministry of Finance; Bank Guarantee Fund, Central Bank (National Bank of Poland)
596 G17Q011 How many Bank participants are there currently? (then please answer 17b)

	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17a.
	32
	597 G17Q012 Please select the features included in the eligibility requirements for Banks.
	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17b, 17d
	Financial Thresholds
	Regulatory Oversight
	Market Experience
	OTHER: see 598
	598 G17Q013 Please explain:
	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17d.
	Material and technical requirements
	599 G17Q014 How many Broker participants are there currently? (then please answer 17f)
	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17e.
	31
	600 G17Q015 Please select the features included in the eligibility requirements for Brokers.
	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17f, 17h
	Financial Thresholds
	Regulatory Oversight
	Market Experience
	OTHER: Material and technical requirements
-	
	601 G17Q016 How many Individual participants are there currently? (then please answer 17j)
	PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17i.

602 G17Q017 Please select the features included in the eligibility requirements for Individual participants.
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17j.
Financial Thresholds
Regulatory Oversight
Market Experience
OTHER:
222 2472242
603 G17Q018  How many Foreign Institution participants are there currently?
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17m.
4
604 G17Q019 Please select the features included in the eligibility requirements for Foreign Institution participants.
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17n, 17p.
Financial Thresholds
Regulatory Oversight
Market Experience
OTHER: Material and technical requirements
605 G17Q020 If you have selected "Other entities" above, please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17q.
Brokerage offices and banks, as well as other entities: clearing houses (KDPW_CCP), central securities depositories; Bank Guarantee Fund, Central Bank (National Bank of Poland), may participate in the KDPW system as depositors - participants who entrust KDPW with the management of securities accounts for their own securities.
606 G17Q021 Indicate how many "Other entities" are currently participants?
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17r.

38
607 G17Q022 Please select the features included in the eligibility requirements for the participants referred to above as "Other entities".
PFMI: Q.18.2.3 AGC: 17s, 17u
Financial Thresholds
Regulatory Oversight
Market Experience
OTHER: Material and technical requirements.
610 G17Q025 Where can a description of the specific eligibility requirements for Bank participants be found?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 17c.
Act on Trading in Financial Instruments, KDPW Rules
611 G17Q026 Where can a description of the specific eligibility requirements for Broker participants be found?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 17g.
Act on Trading in Financial Instruments, KDPW Rules
612 G17Q027 Where can a description of the specific eligibility requirements for Individual participants be found?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 17k.
040 0470000
613 G17Q028 Where can a description of the specific eligibility requirements for Foreign Institution participants be found?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 17o.
Act on Trading in Financial Instruments, KDPW Rules

614 G17Q029  Where can a description of the specific eligibility requirements for participants described above as "Other entities" be found?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 17t.
KDPW Rules
615 G17Q030 How does the CSD notify participants of material changes to the conditions of participation?
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 22
☐ By e-mail
By telephone
✓ By public announcement
By press release
☐ Not applicable
OTHER: see 616
616 G17Q031 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.2.5 AGC: 22a.
Electronic information system: ESDI/WEB (Electronic System for Distribution of Information)
618 G17Q033 Who enforces compliance with the CSD's conditions of participation?
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 23
✓ The CSD
The exchange
The CSD's regulator
Not applicable
OTHER:
619 G17Q034

Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 23a
620 G17Q035  Does the CSD have forms of oversight management for assessing and monitoring of the following?
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79
Participant eligibility requirements
✓ Participant volumes
Participant financial strength
Other loss or default protections the CSD maintains
Collateral requirements for participants
Debit caps for participants
Settlement controls that minimize or eliminate the risk of default by a participant
Blocking of securities movement before receipt of payment
Blocking payment until securities are moved
Not applicable
OTHER:
621 G17Q036 Please explain other loss or default protections:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79a
622 G17Q037 Please explain the requirements:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79b
623 G17Q038 Please explain how these debit caps work:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1
AGC: 79c
624 G17Q039

What type or types of settlement centrals
What type or types of settlement controls
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79d.
Blocking or freezing of securities positions
Controlling DVP settlement
✓ Simultaneous DVP
OTHER: see 627, 628
G111E13.000 021, 020
625 G17Q040 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79e.
626 G17Q041
Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79f.
AGC. 131.
627 G17Q042
Please explain:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1
AGC: 79g.
Simultaneous DVP - settlement of securities is effected after the confirmation of cash settlement in
the central bank.
628 G17Q043 Please identify and explain:
PFMI: Q.18.3.1 AGC: 79h
Additional settlement controls: (1) automated reconciliation process between KDPW and participants: securities transfers are reconciled with direct participants immediately upon receipt of settlement
confirmation from KDPW, total issue balances are checked against holdings on participants accounts
at KDPW on a daily basis. Any unreconciled item must be posted on a special account and it is reported to KDPW on a daily basis. Each participant is obliged to take necessary steps to resolve the issue
immediately. (2) In case of differences between KDPW and participant's records, a written explanation is required. KDPW may perform inspections at participants' premises and can impose particular
obligations or sanctions on its participants.
629 G17Q044 Please explain briefly how these work:



632 G17Q047

What enforcement actions are available to the enforcement authority?

PFMI: Q.18.3.3 AGC: 24

- Fines
- Restrictions on participation
- Suspension of participation
- Termination of participation
- Not applicable
- ✓ OTHER: see 633

633 G17Q048

Please explain:

PFMI: Q.18.3.3 AGC: 24a

The CSD may caution a participant.

634 G17Q049

Has there been any such enforcement actions in the last three years?

PFMI: Q.18.3.3 AGC: 25

No [N]

635 G17Q050

If yes, please explain, including information relative to any suspensions of CSD participants:

PFMI: Q.18.3.3 AGC: 25a.

# Tiered participation (PFMI Principle 19)

# Links (PFMI Principle 20)

652 G19Q004

Please list all depositories or settlement systems to which you have an electronic link.

PFMI: Q.20.1.2 AGC: 38 OeKB (Austria), KELER (Hungary), Clearstream Banking Luxembourg, Euroclear Bank, Nasdaq CSD (Estonia, Lithuania), KDD (Slovenia), CDAD (Bulgaria)

# Efficiency and effectiveness (PFMI Principle 21)

# **Communication (PFMI Principle 22)**

677 G21Q003 Security Control. How do participants receive information (view actual settlement of trades, movement of securities on their accounts, etc.) and see the status of their accounts?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 69
By direct electronic link
By receipt of physical account holding statements
Not applicable
OTHER:
678 G21Q004 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 69a.
679 G21Q005  Do participants have access to affect their holdings, including confirming and affirming trades, movement of securities on their accounts, etc.?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 70
Yes [A01]
680 G21Q006 How is access given to participants?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 70a.
✓ By direct electronic link
OTHER:
681 G21Q007 Please select type of electronic link:
PFMI: Q.22.1.1

AGC: 70b.
Dial-up modem
Secured, leased, dedicated telephone line
Internet
☐ Fax
682 G21Q008 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 70c.
Participants can use the message communication system: ESDI/WEB (Electronic System of the Information Distribution) or ESDK (Electronic System of the Messages Distribution) or SWIFT.
200 201000
683 G21Q009  Does the CSD communicate with other market entities such as stock exchanges, payment systems, clearing houses, etc., by secured linkages?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 72
Yes [A01]
684 G21Q010 Please explain:
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 72a
Secured linkages are provided to: Warsaw Stock Exchange, National Bank of Poland, Polish Financial Supervision Authority, BondSpot S.A.
685 G21Q011 How does the CSD communicate with Stock Exchanges?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 73 73a
Dial-up modem
Secured, leased, dedicated telephone line
✓ Internet
☐ Fax
Paper
other

Not applicable
OTHER:
686 G21Q012 How does the CSD communicate with Payment Systems?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 73b
Dial-up modem
Secured, leased, dedicated telephone line
Internet
Fax
Paper
other
Not applicable
OTHER: The central bank payment system - SWIFT, the commercial bank system (for currencies other than PLN and EUR) - internet.
687 G21Q013 How does the CSD communicate with Clearing Houses?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 73c
Dial-up modem
Secured, leased, dedicated telephone line
Internet
Fax
Paper
other
Not applicable
OTHER: The KDPW_CCP system is operated by KDPW.
688 G21Q014 How does the CSD communicate with Registrars?
PFMI: Q.22.1.1 AGC: 73d
Dial-up modem

Secured, leased, dedicated telephone line
Internet
Fax
Paper
other
Not applicable
OTHER:
Transparency and disclosure (PFMI Principle 23)
713 G22Q020 Capital. Are annual financial statements publicly disclosed?
PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13
Yes [A01]
714 G22Q021 If yes, the AGC requests a copy of the institution's annual report. Is the annual report available electronically?
PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13a.
Yes [Y]
715 G22Q022 filecount - If yes, please upload the document(s) here or insert web link(s) in question 13d:
PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13b.
0
716 G22Q023 filecount - If more than one document for 13b, please upload the additional document here:
PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13c.
0
717 G22Q024 Please insert web link(s) for 13b here:
PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13d.
http://www.kdpw.pl/en/kdpw/publications/Documents/Raporty/raport2018_e.pdf

# 718 G22Q025

If no, and annual report and/or financial statements are not disclosed, please state your share capital, reserves, and retained earnings (or equivalents as determined under local accounting standards). Share Capital (then please answer 13f):

PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13e.

719 G22Q026

Reserves (then please answer 13g):

PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13f.

720 G22Q027 Retained Earnings:

PFMI: Q.23.5.3 AGC: 13g.

# 722 G22Q029

AGC members from time to time receive requests from their direct investor-clients for an informational copy of a CSD's completed questionnaire. Such requests typically lead to interactions between personnel at the CSD in question and member personnel or client personnel, or both. Those interactions take time and impose costs on both members and depositories. Do you approve of AGC members delivering a copy of your completed questionnaire to the member's direct client in response to the client's request?

PFMI: Q.23.5.4 AGC: 100

Yes [Y]

723 G22Q030

Are the results of the financial audit publicly available?

PFMI: Q.23.5.4 AGC: 15f

Yes [Y]

724 G22Q031

Are the results of the operational audit publicly available?

PFMI: Q.23.5.4 AGC: 16f

# Compliance with SEC Rule 17f-7

727 G23Q001
Rule 17f-7, by reference to Rule 17f-4, requires that, for a CSD to be eligible to hold securities of U.S. registered investment companies (such depositories hereinafter referred to as "Eligible Securities Depositories"), the CSD must be a "system for the central handling of securities where all securities of any particular class or series of any issuer deposited within the system are treated as fungible and may be transferred or pledged by bookkeeping entry without physical delivery of the securities."
Are all securities of a particular class or series of any issuer that are deposited in your institution treated as fungible, and can they be transferred or pledged by bookkeeping entry without physical delivery of the securities?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 1
Yes [Y]
728 G23Q002 Please explain
PFMI: n/a AGC: 1a
729 G23Q003 Rule 17f-7 also requires that an Eligible Securities CSD "acts as or operates a system for the central handling of securities or equivalent book-entries in the country where it is incorporated," or "acts as or operates a transnational system for the central handling of securities or equivalent book-entries."  Does your institution:  PFMI: n/a AGC: 2
Act as or operate a system for the central handling of securities or equivalent book-entries in the country where it is incorporated?
Act as or operate a transnational system for the central handling of securities or equivalent bookentries?
Act in another capacity with respect to the handling of securities or equivalent book-entries?
☐ Not applicable
OTHER:
730 G23Q004 Please explain:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 2a.

 $731 \quad G23Q005 \\ \text{Please specify the types of securities for which you act as or operate a system for the central handling}$ 

of securities or equivalent book-entries: PFMI: n/a

publicly traded equities: domestic and foreign shares, allotment certificates, investment certificates, rights to shares, subscription rights, option warrants, exchange trade funds (ETFs); publicly traded debt instruments: T-bonds, international financial institution bonds, central bank bonds, municipal bonds, domestic and foreign corporate bonds, convertible bonds, bonds with priorities rights, mortgage bonds, structured certificates, certificates of deposit; non-public bonds, mortgage bonds and investment certificates.

#### 732 G23Q006

AGC: 2b.

Rule 17f-7 requires that an Eligible Securities Depository regulated by a foreign financial regulatory authority as defined under section 2(a)(50) of the Act , with section 2(a)(50) establishing that z 'foreign financial regulatory authority' means any (A) foreign securities authority, (B) other governmental body or foreign equivalent of a self-regulatory organization empowered by a foreign government to administer or enforce its laws relating to the regulation of fiduciaries, trusts, commercial lending, insurance, trading in contracts of sale of a commodity for future delivery, or other instruments traded on or subject to the rules of a contract market, board of trade or foreign equivalent, or other financial activities, or (C) membership organization a function of which is to regulate the participation of its members in activities listed above." Who regulates the activities of the CSD?

PFMI: n/a AGC: 8

- A governmental body or regulatory organization empowered to administer or enforce laws related to securities matters.
- A governmental body or self-regulatory organization empowered to administer or enforce laws related to other financial activities.
- A membership organization which regulates the participation of its members in securities matters or other financial activities.

OTHER:

733 G23Q007 Please explain:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 8a.

#### 734 G23Q008

Please provide the name of regulatory authority(ies) identified in question 8:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 9

The Polish Financial Supervision Authority (PFSA) - regulates KDPW as a CSD and ARM; European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) – regulates KDPW in its Trade Repository function, Regulatory Oversight Committee (ROC) – regulates KDPW\_LEI service.

# 735 G23Q009

Rule 17f-7 requires that an Eligible Securities Depository is subject to periodic examination by regulatory authorities or independent accountants. Is the CSD subject to periodic examination by:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 10
Regulatory authorities?
Independent accountants?
OTHER:
736 G23Q010 Please explain:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 10a
737 G23Q011 Name of Authority #1 (please answer 11a):
PFMI: n/a AGC: 11
Polish Financial Supervision Authority (PFSA)
738 G23Q012 What enforcement actions are available to regulatory authority #1 for breach of applicable statute or regulatory requirements?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 11a.
Fines
Restrictions on CSD activities.
Suspension of CSD activities.
Termination of CSD activities.
OTHER: see 739
730 C320013

739 G23Q013
Please explain:

PFMI: n/a

AGC: 11b.

An authorized representative of PFSA has the right to review KDPW's books, documents and other carriers of information; to participate in the meetings of the Supervisory board and in the general meetings of shareholders of KDPW. Upon a written request of PFSA, the KDPW Management board shall be obliged to convene an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders or to put any matters specified by PFSA on the agenda of the general meetings. In case the Management Board refuses the request, PFSA may appeal to a court to convene an extraordinary general meeting. PFSA may order the supervisory board to adopt a resolution concerning a particular matter. PFSA may appeal to a court against any resolution of the general meeting of shareholders or supervisory board, within 30 days of the date of receiving notice of the resolution, if it violates the provisions of law, the provisions of the

Statute of KDPW, the rules or principles of safety of trading, or if the resolution has been adopted contrary to the provisions of law, provisions of the Statute or the Rules of KDPW.

# 740 G23Q013A Name of Authority #2:

European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) in the scope of the trade repository service offered by KDPW (KDPW\_TR). TR is supervised by ESMA in order to ensure that it complies on an on-going basis with EMIR requirements, thereby enabling regulators access to data and details of derivative contracts in order for them to fulfil their respective missions. LEI Regulatory Oversight Committee (ROC), the regulatory supervisory body of the global LEI system in the scope of the LEI numbering agency service offered by KDPW (KDPW\_LEI). In 2016 KDPW received the accreditation of the Global Legal Entity Identifier Foundation (GLEIF) and from January 2017 KDPW began issuing Legal Entity Identifiers (LEI) of counterparties to transactions concluded on the financial markets.

741 G23Q014 What enforcement actions are available to regulatory authority #2 for breach of applicable statute or regulatory requirements?  PFMI: n/a AGC: 11c.
Fines
Restrictions on CSD activities.
Suspension of CSD activities.
Termination of CSD activities.
OTHER: Restriction, suspension or termination of some specific services performed by KDPW (TR, LEI).

742 G23Q015 Please explain:			
PFMI: n/a AGC: 11d.			

ESMA has the power to impose the following supervisory measures: require the trade repository to bring the infringement to an end, issue public notices, impose fines or periodic penalty payments upon trade repositories and persons involved in trade repositories and as a last resort, withdraw the registration of the trade repository. Procedural rules for taking supervisory measures and imposing fines on trade repositories are described in article 64-73 of EMIR (Regulation No 648/2012 of 4 July 2012 on OTC Derivatives, central counterparties and trade repositories). The LEI ROC's specific possible enforcement actions: - Requiring audits of the system (including appointment of external auditors) for financial controls, business practices, data quality standards or other matters necessary to ensure the public interest. - Approval of policies for the recognition and termination of local registration agencies and LOUs.

# 743 G23Q016 Has there been any use of such enforcement actions in the last three years? PFMI: n/a AGC: 12

Yes
✓ No
OTHER:
744 G23Q017
If yes, please explain:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 12a.
AGC. 12a.
745 G23Q018  Has the regulatory body with oversight responsibility for the CSD issued public notice that the CSD is not in current compliance with any capital, solvency, insurance or similar financial strength requirements imposed by such regulatory body?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 90
No [A02]
746 G23Q019 Please describe:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 90a.
747 G23Q020 In the case of such a notice having been issued, has such notice been withdrawn, or, has the remedy of such noncompliance been publicly announced by the CSD?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 90b.
7.10 000001
748 G23Q021 If yes, please describe:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 90c.
749 G23Q022 If no, why not?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 90d.
750 G23Q023

Rule 17f-7 requires that an Eligible Securities Depository holds assets for the custodian that participates in the system on behalf of the Fund under safekeeping conditions no less favorable that the conditions that apply to other participants. Please confirm that assets of foreign investors held by custodians as participants in the CSD are held under safekeeping conditions no less favorable than the conditions that apply to other participants.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 21

Yes [A1]

751 G23Q024

If no, other or not applicable, please explain:

PFMI: n/a AGC: 21a.

#### 752 G23Q025

Please confirm the basis for the arrangements you have in place to ensure that the assets you hold for custodians receive the same level of safekeeping protection as the assets held for other categories of participants.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 21b, 21c.

- Relevant Law and Regulation
- Standard participation contract
- Established terms and conditions of participation
- By-laws of the CSD
- Rules of the CSD
- OTHER:

#### 753 G23Q027

For each item in Question 21b that you checked, please briefly supply references or citations to the law(s), regulation(s), or CSD rule(s), participation condition(s), or participant contract provision (s), as applicable.

PFMI: n/a AGC: 21d

Relevant Law and Regulation: There are equal conditions for holding foreign investor assets by custodians in the depository system. The Act of 29th July 2005 on Trading in Financial Instruments defines the system for registration of dematerialised securities comprising securities accounts, depository accounts and omnibus accounts kept by entities authorised to do so under this Act and maintained by KDPW (article 3, point 21). KDPW is in charge of registering securities on: 1) depository accounts; 2) securities accounts; 3) omnibus accounts. Balances on accounts managed by participants should correspond with the balances on the relevant depository accounts manager by KDPW (article 57). Omnibus accounts are dedicated only for foreign entities (article 8a). However, depository and omnibus accounts operate on the same principles, i.e. they are co-mingling securities belonging to clients of KDPW participants. In this way, the assets of foreign investors are not differentiated from those of other types of investors, but treated equally. Established terms and conditions of participation: Participants managing securities accounts and omnibus accounts in their systems are obliged to conform to the rules of managing the securities register (article 20, 24, 33, 33a of the KDPW Rules). The rules are similar for custodians and other participants who hold foreign or domestic

investor assets. Rules of the depository: The accounting scheme for recording and transfer of securities is determined by the KDPW rules (article 34-36 of the KDPW Rules) and there is no discriminatory treatment of foreign investor assets. The registration is carried out as expressions of quantity, according to the following principles: double-entry bookkeeping, separate registration of securities, classification by types of participant status (separation of the clients' assets from participants' securities), simultaneous registration (registration on accounts managed by a participant should reflect the balances on accounts managed in KDPW), completeness, integrity and transparency. The best accounting practices are applied and end-to-end audit trails are kept.

754 G23Q028 Rule 17f-7 requires that an Eligible Securities Depository provides periodic reports to its participants with respect to its safekeeping of assets, including notices of transfers to or from any participant's account. Does the CSD make available periodic safekeeping reports to participants, including notices of transfers to or from the participant's account?
PFMI: n/a AGC: 46
Yes [A01]
755 G23Q029 If no or other, please explain
PFMI: n/a AGC: 46a.
756 G23Q030 If yes, please indicate the scheduled frenquency:
PFMI: n/a AGC: 46b, 46c.
✓ Daily
☐ Weekly
Monthly
Quarterly
Annually
✓ Upon request
OTHER:

# Relevant RSSS recommendations

# **Appendices**

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