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Introductory words
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THE ADVISORY GROUP ON MARKET SURVEILLANCE-MARS GROUP

- Tends to support the strengthening of cooperation between market surveillance authorities and to help them coordinate their efforts to ensure that products on the market are safe and in line with current regulations.

- The special role of the group is to promote access to market surveillance based on best practice and international standards, as well as to make recommendations for respective market surveillance.
THE CHALLENGES IN THE MARKET SURVEILLANCE AREA

- Increase of non-compliant products
- Unsafe and illicit products, so that affecting:
  - An increase in safety risk for consumers
  - The extent of illegal trade
- Limiting resources of the market surveillance authorities
- Fragmentation of legislation & organization
- The lack of information for businesses
- Changing contest of increasing online trade
THE MAIN PURPOSES OF THE MEETING

- Exchange of views related to main challenges of market surveillance

- Discussion concerning the following areas:
  - Strengthening cooperation among Market Surveillance Authorities (MSAs)
  - Risk-based market surveillance methods and cooperation with customs
  - Revision of the Market Surveillance Glossary
  - Review of the online training on Market Surveillance
THE TWO DAYS OF MEETING WILL FOCUS ON:

- Information and plans, follow/up of the WP6 and MARS developments

- EC initiatives to reinforce the EU market surveillance framework

- EU “Goods package”-practical experience of the MS of the EU in the approaches to the recall and the withdrawal of the products from the EU market and the rules stipulating such requirements
THE TWO DAYS OF MEETING WILL FOCUS ON:

- Creation of an effective system of state control over compliance with requirements of the EAEU technical regulations
- Addressing product non-compliance in international trade
- Market Sudveillance glossary update
THE TWO DAYS OF MEETING WILL FOCUS ON:

- Turkey: new envisaged model for Market surveillance in e-commerce
- Role of standards in Market Surveillance Agencies
- Development of an OIML Document on pre-market surveillance
THE TWO DAYS OF MEETING WILL FOCUS ON:

- Presentations on Market Surveillance Plans by MSAs and other relevant issues: Sweden, Czech Republic, Germany, Serbia
- Online training on Quality Infrastructure
- Planning for the 29th UNECE WP6 Plenary
THE PROPOSED TOPICS

- Represent the realization of the planned activities that are verified and adopted by WP.6

- Summary and conclusions of the meeting as part of the report of the MARS Group’s activities will be submitted for the adoption by WP6
Thank you very much

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