## **FaStGO – Facilitating Standards for Guarantees of Origin**

## **FaStGO Project Outline**

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## **FaStGO Project**

#### Service contract to DG ENER

Project N° ENER/C1/2019-517:

"Technical support for
RES policy development & implementation.

Establishing technical requirements
& facilitating the standardisation process
for guarantees of origin
on basis of Dir (EU) 2018/2001".

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# **Contributing organisations**





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### **Project Task Packages**

- 1. Map currently existing standardisation frameworks
- 2. Specify technical requirements for extended coverage of GOs
- 3. Specify IT systems and requirements for associated infrastructure for cross-border exchange of GOs for all energy carriers
- 4. Develop systems for EU-based market supervision statistics
- 5. Develop methodologies for enhanced prevention of financial fraud
- Processes for stakeholder consultation and organisation of workshops to validate deliverables

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### **Project mission**

#### **Establish:**

- 1. An upgraded GO system
- A Cost-efficient implementation of REDII in member states
- 3. Standardisation of guarantees of origin in EN16325

#### By:

- Synchronising EECS & EN16325 on REDII (incl. multi-energy carriers)
- Improving software requirements for cross border GO exchange
- Strengthening anti VAT-fraud measures
- Improved statistics
- Residual mix update consultation
- Broad stakeholder consultation





# Status update (1) Finalised reports – Support for a revised EN16325 standard

#### Task 1: Mapping of currently existing standarisation frameworks

- 1. Comparison EN16325 with EECS
- 2. Comparison EN16325 with REDII (2018/2001 (EU))
- 3. Identification of challenges in the management of GOs systems



#### Task 2: Developing technical requirements for the extended coverage of GO

- 1. Explanatory notes with arguments for the proposed updates
  - 1. General reasoning
  - 2. Arguments per article
  - 3. List of topics to be treated in a separate agreement between Issuing Bodies
- 2. Text proposal for a revised EN16325 standard on GOs Based on elements identified in Task 1, and updated after consultation
- 3. Takeaways from consultation
- 4. Consultation responses and FaStGO reaction

Reports available on: <a href="https://www.aib-net.org/news-events/aib-projects-and-consultations/fastgo/project-deliverables">https://www.aib-net.org/news-events/aib-projects-and-consultations/fastgo/project-deliverables</a>





# Status update (2) IT system developments

#### Task 3: Developing IT systems specification

#### Finalised reports:

- 1. Vision for the future IT infrastructure for GOs in Europe
- 2. Data protocol for multi energy carrier multipurpose certificates

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#### Under development:

3. High level system requirement specification







# Status update (3) Market support and market protection — Under development

#### Task 4: Develop systems for EU-based market supervision statistics

- 1. Design specifications for statistics published at EU and Member state level
- Update of the residual mix calculation method
  - 1) Consultation of the updated method for residual mix calculation
  - 2) Residual mix for non electrical energy carriers

#### Task 5: Methodologies for enhanced prevention of financial fraud

#### Task 6: Stakeholder consultation

- Consultations
  - 1. Broad stakeholder consultations:
    - 1. Task 1.3 GO system management challenges (Feb 2020)
    - 2. Task 2.2 Proposal for revised EN16325 GO standard (May-June 2020)
    - 3. Task 4.1 Statistics design survey (Sep 2020)
    - 4. Task 4.2 Updated residual mix for electricity (Feb-Mar 2020)
  - 2. Consultations of draft reports amongst issuing bodies: Reports 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 4.1, 5
- 2. Stakeholder workshops: 10/3 (RM), 11/6 (draft EN16325), 29/10 (IT, Statistics, Residual Mix)

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# Thanks for joining!

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