

## PUBLIC STATEMENT

### ESMA appoints new chairs to Standing Committees

The Board of Supervisors of the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) has appointed the following individuals to serve as chairs of its standing committees:

- Ana Martínez-Pina García, Vice-Chairman of the Comisión Nacional del Mercado de Valores (CNMV), Spain, will chair the Corporate Reporting Standing Committee.
- Nicoletta Giusto, Senior Director - Head of International Relations of the Commissione Nazionale per le Società e la Borsa (CONSOB), Italy, will chair the Market Integrity Standing Committee.
- Benoît de Juvigny, Secretary General of the Autorité des Marchés Financiers (AMF), France, will chair the Corporate Finance Standing Committee.
- Edwin Schooling Latter, Head of Markets Policy of the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), United Kingdom, will chair the Commodity Derivatives Task Force.
- Robert Ophele, Chairman of the Autorité des Marchés Financiers (AMF), France, will chair the Post Trading Standing Committee.
- Elisabeth Roegele, Chief Executive Director - Securities Supervision of the Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht (BaFin), Germany, will chair the Secondary Markets Standing Committee.
- Jean-Paul Servais, Chairman of the Financial Services and Markets Authority (FSMA), Belgium, will chair the Financial Innovation Standing Committee.

The standing committees are expert groups drawn from ESMA staff and the national competent authorities for securities markets regulation in the Member States, and are responsible for the development of policy in their respective areas. The appointments are for a period of two years and will commence from 1 October 2017.



## Notes for editors

1. Further details of the work of the [standing committees](#) can be found on ESMA's website.
2. ESMA's mission is to enhance investor protection and promote stable and orderly financial markets.

It achieves these objectives through four activities:

- i. assessing risks to investors, markets and financial stability;
  - ii. completing a single rulebook for EU financial markets;
  - iii. promoting supervisory convergence; and
  - iv. directly supervising specific financial entities.
3. ESMA achieves its mission within the European System of Financial Supervision (ESFS) through active cooperation with the European Banking Authority (EBA), the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority (EIOPA), the European Systemic Risk Board, and with national authorities with competencies in securities markets (NCAs).

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