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Annex: Reforms steps agreed for completion by October 2022 in the context of the last disbursement of debt relief measures

Fiscal and fiscal-structural reforms

- **Fiscal.** Greece presents its 2023 Draft Budgetary Plan compliant with the Stability and Growth Pact.
- **Arrears.** Material clearance of non-pension arrears and full clearance of pension arrears (due in August).
- **Tax administration.** Operationalisation of the complete IT system in local tax offices incl. Attica and Thessaloniki (due in September).

Health care

- **Collection of clawback:** For providers, notification to providers and start of the administrative procedure for the collection of the remaining 30% of the 2021 clawback through instalments (enrolment of providers into instalment scheme) to be achieved by end-July; collection of at least 35% of the providers clawback for 2022 by October. For pharmaceuticals, completion of the calculation of the 2021 clawback by June; collection of 95% of rebates for 2021 by July; collection of at least 35% of the clawback of the second semester of 2021 and at least 50% of the overall clawback for 2021 by October.
- **Primary health care:** Substantial progress towards the implementation of the primary health care system including: i) by early-June, the secondary legislation will be adopted, ii) by end-June, the IT infrastructure for registration and appointments will be completed, and patient registration will start with the objective of reaching 25% of the total population registered in the system by end-October and 50% by end-2022; iii) by end-July, the registration of self-employed family doctors to the system will reach a level that allows to cover at least 85% of the population; iv) by October, the incentives/disincentives scheme for registration and gatekeeping will be activated.
- **Centralised procurement:** Verification of the target being met; regular updates on progress with procurement activity up to October.

Financial sector reforms

- **Insolvency framework:** Launch of Competitive Dialogue for the sale-and-leaseback entity with pre-selected interested investors (end-September).
- **State guarantees backlog:** Progress with processing of claims and actual payments according to agreed targets in the April 2022 clearance plan. In particular, called guarantee claims worth EUR 470 million will be examined by September 2022, with payments of EUR 156.5 million in the same period.
- **Elimination of the backlog of household insolvency cases:** 95% of cases with re-defined hearing dates ([1]) will have a hearing date set by end-October; of which 70% will be no later than the end of 2022; the remaining 5% of re-defined cases will have a hearing date set at the latest by end-2022; final court decision, which will close the case, will be issued for 25% of the cases that have been heard until end-October.

([1]) Law 4745/2020 (OJ A 214/06 November 2020) put in place a mechanism allowing household insolvency debtors, who had already petitioned the courts for a reduction and rescheduling of their loan, to file a request for the replacement of a distant hearing date by one in the nearer future (i.e. re-defined hearing dates).

Structural reforms

- **Justice**. The enhanced functionality of the e-filing platform in administrative courts will be fully developed and put in pilot mode operation until end-June 2022. Upon successful completion of the pilot phase, the enhanced functionality will be fully available.
- **Cadastre**. Progress according to the agreed road map. In particular, 65% of total property rights will be in operation or publicly presented and ratification of 95% of forest maps will be completed by end-September.

Hellenic Corporation of Assets and Participations (HCAP) ([2])

- **Implementation of the Strategic Plan:** Legislation to modernise the legal framework for state-owned enterprises will be adopted (June). The eligible portion of 10 119 real estate assets belonging to the Ministry of Finance will be identified and transferred to the Public Real Estate Company (ETAD) by end-June. For the real estate assets belonging to other ministries, the completion of the verification process is planned for end-June and the eventual transfer by end-October.
- **Transfer of the Olympic Athletic Centre (OAKA) to HCAP:** Further progress on the preparation of the detailed feasibility study, including a relevant business plan, based on the guidelines depicted in the consultants' strategic action plan.

Privatisation. All outstanding actions from the Asset Development Plan will continue to be monitored. In particular:

- **Public Gas Corporation (DEPA) Infrastructure:** Financial closing is expected by mid-June.
- **Egnatia Odos:** Completion and operation of one frontal and three lateral toll stations and the submission of the file to the Court of Audit by end-July.
- **Gournes Heraklion:** Financial closing is expected in the fourth quarter of 2022.
- **Attiki Odos:** Launching of the binding offers phase is expected in July.
- **Regional port of Alexandroupolis:** The selection of the preferred investor is expected by end-July.
- **Regional port of Igoumenitsa:** Submission of binding offers and selection of the preferred bidder in the third quarter of 2022.
- **Concession of Underground Gas Storage of South Kavala:** Binding offers in July and selection of the preferred investor by October subject to the timely issuance of the tariff setting framework by the Regulatory Authority for Energy.
- **Regional port of Heraklion:** Submission of binding offers is scheduled by end-October.

Legal codification. The draft codified legislation will be presented by June and all codified labour legislation will be adopted by October.

([2]) Continuous monitoring will be ensured through the Commission and the Euro Working Group observers at the Hellenic Republic Asset Development Fund (TAIPED) board meetings, the joint Commission and ESM observers at the Hellenic Corporation of Assets and Participations (HCAP) board meetings, and corresponding arrangements in the ESM Financial Assistance Facility Agreement (FFA).