Association of National Numbering Agencies

COUNTRY REPORT 2012

Status of ISIN, CFI and Standardization

1. GENERAL

NNA's name	National Settlement Depository (NSD)
Country	Russia

- 1.1 Do you allocate ISINs (please tick)?
 - ⇒ Associated with official listings
 - ⇒ Proactive for all instruments in your area of responsibility
 - ➡ Upon request
 - by issuer
 - by institutions
 - ⇒ Within 24 hours

1.2 How is ISIN used by your securities industry (please tick)?

- ⇒ Domesticallv
- ⇒ Cross border
- ⇒ Primary key (ISIN is primarily used for clearing/settlement)
- ⇒ Secondary key (ISIN is secondary key for clearing/settlement)
- ⇒ Not used vet

2. ISINS ALLOCATION FOR FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (please tick)

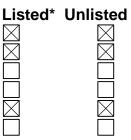
• For which types of instruments do you allocate ISINs based on the actual version of ISO 6166 for:

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⇒ Equities	\boxtimes	\boxtimes
Debt Instruments	\boxtimes	\boxtimes
⇔ Rights		
⇒ Warrants		
⇒ Investment/Mutual funds	\boxtimes	\square
⇒ Structured products		

What are the reasons in case you do not allocate ISINs to specific types?

Rights, warrants, structured products are not widely distributed at the Russian market

* Traded on an exchange



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3. NUMBER OF ACTIVE ISINS

• How many <u>active</u> ISINs allocated by you exist as of December 31, 2012 (or today):

	Listed*	Unlisted
➡ Equities	1932	2853
⇒ Debt Instruments	1292	50
➡ Warrants		
➡ Investment/Mutual funds	477	182
Structured products		

*Traded on an exchange

4. ISINS FOR DERIVED FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

- Do you allocate ISINs based on the actual version of ISO 6166 for:
 - ⇒ Traded options and financial futures (TOFF):
 - ⇒ Commodities
 - ⇒ Indexes
 - ⇒ Interest rates (e.g. LIBOR etc.)
 - ⇒ Currencies
 - ⇒ Cross rates
- What are the reasons in case you do not allocate ISINs for specific types?

ISINs for TOFFs and commodities have not yet required by the Russian market.

• If you have not started yet, please indicate when you will start:

5. NUMBER OF ACTIVE ISINS

- How many active ISINs exist as of December 31, 2012 (or today) for:
 - ⇒ Traded options and financial futures (TOFF):
 - ⇒ Commodities

⇔ Indexes	49
⇒ Interest rates (e.g. LIBOR etc.)	14
⇒ Currencies	1
⇒ Cross rates	1



6. ISIN GUIDELINES (actual version on ANNA website under "ISINs & ISO 6166)

- Do you follow the ISIN Guidelines completely Yes igsqcup Yes No igsqcup
- If not, please indicate which guideline you don't follow (item no.) and reason:

7. ISIN QUALITY MANAGEMENT CONCEPT (IQM)

Please refer to "ANNA Policy" on ANNA website

• Do you follow the IQM concept completely? Yes No If not, please indicate which exception and reason

8. CFI (CLASSIFICATION OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS) - CODE

- Have you started to allocate the CFI-code for those instruments for which you are the responsible numbering agency?
 Yes X
 No
- If yes, when did you start? June 1, 2003
- If not, please indicate when you will start:

(Please note that it was agreed at the General Meeting 2002 in Athens that all NNAs should have started allocation for new instruments as of June 1, 2003 and for existing issues as of Jan. 1, 2004)

9. USE OF OTHER ISO STANDARDS IN YOUR COUNTRY

• Which other ISO standards (standards number and name) are used in your country?

ISO15022 (SWIFT Data Field), ISO10962 (CFI), ISO9 (Transliteration), ISO3166 (Country codes), ISO 10383 (MIC), ISO9362 (BIC), ISO4217 (Currency codes)



10. WHICH ARE THE MAJOR CHANGES IN FINANCIAL SERVICES IN YOUR COUNTRY AND WHICH CHANGES ARE EXPECTED IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS?

During 2012, NSD, Depository Clearing Company (DCC) and RTS Settlement Chamber have been working to integrate their services. As a result NSD completely replaced DCC and RTS Settlement Chamber for all settlements.

Russia established Central Securities Depository (CSD). On 6 November 2012 the Russian financial markets regulator Federal Financial Markets Service granted the NSD status as the country's CSD.

On 26 December 2012, the Bank of Russia assigned a Payment system operator status to NSD under the registered name "NSD Payment System". NSD Payment System has been recognized by the Bank of Russia as systemically important on the basis of reasons established by Federal Law #161-FZ "On a National Payment System" dated 27 June 2011 (Section 1, Clause 22).

Starting with 6 February 2013 NSD began functioning as a repository and maintaining the register of contracts concluded on the basis of the general agreement (integrated agreement), repo and currency swap contracts.

On 1 March 2013 NSD gained an official status of a pre-Local Operating Unit (pre-LOU) and will be able to issue Legal Entity Identifiers (LEI) to legal entities and to update information about the entities in the global legal entities identification system. The offical 4-digit prefix of a pre-LOU assigned to NSD is 2534.

11. PLEASE PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE GENERAL USE OF ISIN AND CFI CODES BY MARKET PARTICIPANTS IN YOUR COUNTRY

ISINs are widely used as a unique identifier of a securities in trading, settlement and depository systems of the Russian market participants as well as for reporting to the Regulating Authority.

According to the Russian legislation ISIN and CFI codes of non-Russian financial instruments are used to recognize them as securities for any operations on the Russian market. This legislation covers only several types of non-Russian securities: shares, bonds, units of UITs and depository receipts on shares/bonds/units. These securities can be admitted to the Russian market if they have ISINs and CFIs allocated in accordance with ISO standards.

12. IDENTIFY ANY ISSUES / CONCERNS YOU HAVE FROM YOUR COUNTRY WITH RESPECT TO ISIN / CFI OR OTHER SECURITY IDENTIFICATION RELATED MATTER



13. FIELD FOR COMMENTS FOR ANY OF QUESTIONS ABOVE: COMMENT ON QUESTION N° 3

The figures provided in columns 'Listed' and 'Unlisted' are approximate. They were calculated on the bases of data of the major Russian trading floors, whose information is available for NSD.

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