

AGENDA
**AD-HOC MEETING OF THE ADVISORY GROUP ON MARKET
INFRASTRUCTURES FOR PAYMENTS (AMI-Pay)**

20 August 2026, 16:00 – 17:00 (CEST)

via MS Teams

0. Introductory remarks and approval of the agenda

1. PMPG request regarding the removal of the fully unstructured postal address

On 4 August 2026, the European industry participants of the Payments Market Practice Group (PMPG) raised to the AMI-Pay Chair a request for the Eurosystem to consider aligning the removal of the fully unstructured postal address across major payment infrastructures. This request follows concerns on the readiness of parts of the global payments ecosystem and potential risks linked to an un-coordinated approach among major infrastructures. The ECB will present the implications of such a decision as regards T2.

AMI-Pay will be invited to review this request and agree on an advice to the Market Infrastructure Board to support its consideration of this matter.

Document:

Email from the European payments industry participants of the PMPG - Request for alignment of the removal of the fully unstructured postal address across major infrastructures

Presentation from the European payments industry participants of the PMPG – Industry request to postpone the removal of the unstructured postal address

ECB presentation – Implications of request for alignment of the removal of the fully unstructured postal address across major infrastructures

2. AOB