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WP3 Sustainability and long-term governance

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e eGovernment Action Plan 2016-2020

3. Ensure the long-term sustainability of cross-border digital services infrastructure.	2018
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e Council conclusions 20 September 2016

- h) In close collaboration with Member States propose a specific plan for governance, including Member States' involvement, and long-term sustainability of the Digital Service Infrastructures, in particular of the core service platforms and the EU-funded Large-Scale Pilots;

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e-SENS conclusions on paper



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All national experts³³ from countries participating in e-SENS support the position paper and the ideas which are contained in it, but they also pointed out room for improvement and challenges. Despite the support of the position paper, two national experts made the reservation that, if implemented, the legal-organisational framework has to be confirmed by an impact assessment and that any adjustment of a mandate of an agency can only be decided by the competent authorities. In addition, there would still be open issues and questions that need to be solved.

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Questions for the panel



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- ① What are the lessons learnt from domains such as e-Justice, e-Procurement and e-Health concerning sustainability of domain-specific building blocks?
- ① What are your ideas about the future sustainability of BBs?
- ① What are, in particular, the practical implications if we start cooperating to ensure the governance of building blocks:
- ① Which financial agreements would you recommend?
- ① How do we keep domains and MS fully aligned?
- ① What role do you foresee for the public and private sector?
- ① How do outcomes / decisions of an IT governance effect governance structures at national level?
- ① Will the structure of the BBs keep up with the rapid development of IT in the world?