**13th MARS Group meeting**

24 – 25 June 2015
Prague, Czech Republic

**Agenda**(Final version)

**24 June 2015 – Wednesday**

**Meeting of the Bureau (RESTRAINT)**

10:00 – 10:25 Individual arrival to the Conference room “Diviš” at the Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing, Biskupský dvůr 5, Prague 1

10:30 – 12:00 **Preparatory meeting of the Bureau Members of the MARS Group and the other organizers**

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch
Restaurant La Republica, Na Poříčí 12, 110 00 Prague 1

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Individual arrival of other participants to the Conference room at the Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic, Na Františku 32, Prague 1

13:30 – 14:00 Registration

14:00 – 14:45 **Official opening of the 13th MARS-meeting**

14:00 – 14:15 Welcome addresses

 *Mr Viktor Pokorný, President, Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing*

*Mr Karel Novotný, Deputy Minister, Czech Ministry of Industry and Trade*

**Introductory words**

14:15 – 14:30 **Ms Marion Stoldt***WP 6 Chairperson, UNECE*

14:30 – 14:45 **Ms Vera Despotović***MARS Group Chairperson*

14:45 – 15:15 Round table

15:15 – 15:45 **Information and plans, follow-up of the WP.6 and MARS***Ms Marion Stoldt, WP 6 Chairperson, UNECE
Mr Miroslav Chloupek, Vice-Chair WP.6, Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing*[*Presentation by Ms Lorenza Jachia*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/L.%20Jachia%2013th%20MARS%20meeting%20WP6%20activities%20%26%20plans%202015%20rev4.pptx)*, Secretary to WP.6, UNECE*

15:45 – 16:00 **Online Market Surveillance**[*Presentation by Mr Martijn Hendriksen*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/M.%20Hendriksen%20MH_DG%20GROW_e-commerce%20key%20challenges%20REV.ppt)*, Policy Officer on Market Surveillance for Products, DG for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs, European Commission*

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee Break

16:30 – 16:50 **Mapping of other market surveillance networks**[*Presentation by Ms Amina Makboul*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/A.%20Makboul%20Global%20and%20regional%20market%20surveillance%20networks-%20UNECE%20MARS%20150624.pptx)*, Market Surveillance Coordinator, SWEDAC*

16:50 – 17:10 **Cooperation between MSA and economic operators / consumers**
[*Presentation by Mr Paul Walker*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/P.%20Walker%20UNECE%20CTSI%20Presentation%20v3.1.pptx)*, Chartered Trading Standards Institute of the UK*

17:10 – 18:00 Discussion, comments and exchange of views

19:00 Official dinner
Restaurant Petřínské Terasy, Petřínské sady 393, 118 00 Prague 1

**25 June 2015 – Thursday**

**13th MARS Group meeting**

Individual arrival of participants to the Conference room at the Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic, Na Františku 32, Prague 1

09:00 – 10:30 **Presentations on best practices on Market Surveillance authorities**

**1) Current Activities in International Cooperation in Czech Trade Inspection Authority**
[*Presentation by Ms Dana Manová*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/D.%20Manova%20MARS_Prague_2015_CTIA.pptx)*, Head of International Cooperation Department, Central Inspectorate – Czech Trade Inspection Authority*

**2) Presentation on Market surveillance in the Eurasian Economic Commission**
[*Presentation by Mrs Viktoria Chepelova*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/V.%20Chepelova%20%20MARS%20English.pptx)*, Adviser, Eurasian Economic Commission*

**3) Presentation on Market surveillance in the Republic of Serbia (Management Information System, National RAPEX and New System for Intellectual Property Rights – INES plus) – the significance for the further development of inter sector and regional cooperation**[*Presentation by Ms Vera Despotović*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/V.%20Despotovic%20MARS%20Group%20meeting%20in%20Prague%2CVD%2CJune%2025th%202015%20v2.ppt)*, Senior Advisor for Coordination and Improvement Intersectional and Regional Cooperation in the field of Market Surveillance, Ministry of Trade, Tourism and Telecommunications of the Republic of Serbia*

Discussion, comments and exchange of views

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 11:30 **Overview of the Blue Guide, issued by the Commission and the main changes since the last revision**
[*Presentation by Mr Daniel Bodnar*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/D.%20Bodnar%20Blue%20Guide%20pps%20Prague%202015.pdf)*, Metrology Expert, Romanian Bureau of Legal Metrology*

11:30 – 12:00 **ATEX – Guidelines on implementation***Discusion and exchange of views, all participants*[SIEEE Guidelines for Market Surveillance of Equipment for Explosive Environments](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/SIEEE_Guidelines_ENG.pdf)
[EC Guidelines On The Application Of Directive 94/9/EC](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/atex-guidelines_en%20dec%202013.pdf)

12:00 – 14:00 Lunch
Restaurant U Sádlů, Klimentská 2, 110 00 Prague 1

14:00 – 14:20 **New Law of the Czech republic on Conformity Assessment and Market Surveillance**
[*Presentation by Mr Igor Švarc*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/I.%20Svarc%20MARS.pptx)*, Legislation Department, Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing*

14:20 – 14:40 **Safety at Child Playgrounds - Market surveillance as a basis for development of self-regulatory instruments**[*Presentation by Mr Libor Dupal*](http://www.unmz.cz/files/mezinarodni_vztahy/WP.6/MARS%202015/L.%20Dupal%20MARS%202015%20-%20Consumers.pdf)*, Chairman of the Board of the Czech Consumer Association*

14:40 – 15:50 **Planning for 25th WP.6 Plenary***Inputs to the WSC workshop on conformity assessment, such as experience from mutual recognition of the accredited CABs results, included those supported by the international (regional) voluntary schemes*

15:50 – 16:30 Conclusions