

Mandate Announcement

The Slovak Republic, rated A2 (Negative)/A (Stable)/A+ (Stable), acting through the Ministry of Finance and represented by the Debt and Liquidity Management Agency ("ARDAL"), has mandated Deutsche Bank, ING, SG CIB and Slovenská sporiteľňa (Erste Group) as Joint Lead Managers for a new EUR benchmark issue. The transaction will be launched in the near future, subject to market conditions. FSA / ICMA Stabilisation.

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