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ACCESS TO INTERNATIONAL MARKETS
NSD EXPERIENCE
# NSD IS A SECURE AND RELIABLE PROVIDER OF INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

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<td>• Mandatory electronic data interchange between CSD and all its counterparties&lt;br&gt;• Mandatory settlement at CSD: exclusive right to open CSD nominee accounts at registrars</td>
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<td>• CSD records prevail over registrar records&lt;br&gt;• Mandatory reconciliation between CSD and registrars on a daily basis</td>
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<td>Information security</td>
<td>• Observance of ISAE 3402 (type II), CPMI-IOSCO&lt;br&gt;• Complex insurance of banking operations (BBB+ECC+PL)&lt;br&gt;• Insurance coverage: USD 65 million</td>
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ACCESS TO INTERNATIONAL MARKETS

NSD CORRESPONDENT NETWORK

RUSSIAN MARKET

EUROCLEAR
CLEARSTREAM

Belorussiya
Kazakhstan
Kyrgyzstan
Armenia

Tajikistan
Azerbaijan
Georgia

BENEFITS

SINGLE ACCESS TO EUROPEAN AND CIS MARKETS

COMPETENCE IN THE ORGANIZATION ACCESS CSDs / ICSDs * TO LOCAL MARKETS

MODERN STANDARDS OF ELECTRONIC INTERACTION

EXPERTISE IN THE ORGANIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL CENTER

SERVICES IN RUSSIAN AND ENGLISH LANGUAGES

EFFICIENCY AND SIMPLICITY OF SETTLEMENT

TRANSPARENT FEES

One way access → Mutual access

*CSDs – Central Securities Depositories
ICSDs – International Central Securities Depositories (Euroclear and Clearstream)
GEOGRAPHY OF NSD CASH
CORRESPONDENT NETWORK

AMERICA
- JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A., New York (USD, CAN)
- Citibank N.A., New York (USD)
- The Bank of New York Mellon, New York (USD)

EUROPE
- JPMorgan AG, Frankfurt am Main, Germany (EUR)
- JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A., London Branch, London, UK (EUR, GBP, CHF, CAD)
- Raiffeisen Bank International AG, Vienna, Austria (EUR)
- Commerzbank AG, Frankfurt am Main, Germany (EUR)
- Euroclear Bank SA/NV, Brussels, Belgium (multicurrency account)
- Clearstream Banking S.A., Luxembourg, Luxembourg (multicurrency account)

RUSSIA
- Bank of Russia (RUB, USD, EUR)
- VTB Bank (PJSC) (USD, EUR, CNY)
- Sberbank of Russia (RUB)
- AO UniCredit Bank (RUB)
- JSC Rosselkhozbank (RUB)
- NCC Clearing Bank (RUB, USD)
- Bank GBP (JSC) (RUB)
- PJSC ROSBANK (RUB)
- Interstate Bank (BYN, KZT, AMD)
- Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Moscow) (CNY, HKD)
- Bank of China (Moscow) (CNY)

ASIA
- Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Asia) Limited, Hong Kong (USD, HKD)
- National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Almaty, Kazakhstan (KZT)
- JSC Central Securities Depository, Almaty, Kazakhstan (KZT)
REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR CORRESPONDENT NETWORK

CSD
- Reliable post-trading infrastructure
- Custody of securities, stock exchange calculations and OTC transactions
- Corporate actions
- Issuer services, tax agency

**PAYMENT SYSTEM**
- The largest payment system that ensures reliability and convenience of payments
- Money transfers in settlements in financial markets, conversion services, currency control, cash account maintenance

Regulatory framework for opening securities accounts
- Federal legislation
  - No. 414-FZ "On the Central Depository" dated December 7, 2011
  - № 156-FZ "On investment funds" from 12/31/2017
- Bank of Russia Guidelines
  - No. 4905-U of 09/12/2018 "On the requirements for the activities of the central depository in terms of the organization of risk management related to the activities of the central depository ...”
  - No. 4050-U of 06/22/2016 "On approval of the list of organizations that keep records of rights to securities in which depositories have the right to open accounts ...”
- Standards of the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision
- Standards and recommendations of international organizations CPMI and IOSCO
- Other normative legal acts of the Russian Federation, normative acts of the Bank of Russia, as well as NSD internal documents

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  - № 161-ФЗ “About the national payment system”, 06/27/2011
  - No. 115-ФЗ “On Counteracting the Legalization of Incomes…”, 07.08.2001
- Bank of Russia documents:
  - Regulation dated 10.15.2015 No. 499-P "Provision on identification by clients of credit organizations ...
  - Ordinance No. 3624-U, dated April 15, 2015, “On the requirements for a risk and capital management system ...
  - Instruction No. 178-I of December 28, 2016, "On Establishing the Sizes (Limits) of Open Currency Positions ..."Standards of the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision
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STAGES OF ESTABLISHING CORRESPONDENT RELATIONS

CSD

Securities accounts

- Initiation
  - Identifying investor demand / Availability of a business case
  - Availability of appropriate regulation and control of the securities market
  - Determining the transparency and security of the infrastructure
  - Use of standard market practices in the market
  - EDI and standardization

- Counterparty Analysis (Due diligence)
  - Account Opening Conditions
  - Assessment of the reliability and efficiency of financial stability
  - KYC & AML & Compliance

- Development of a roadmap for account opening

- Analysis of operational processes
  - Analysis of the operating regulations of the counterparty
  - Messaging Format Analysis
  - Testing with counterparty
  - Approval of procedures

- Contract work
  - KYC & AML & Compliance
  - Coordination of all documents within NSD
  - Signing a contract
  - Opening an account

- Launch
  - System development
  - Testing in production
  - Finalization of internal regulations and tariffs
  - Informing customers
  - Go live

PAYMENT SYSTEM

Banking accounts

- Initiation
  - Availability of a business case
  - Analysis of options for potential counterparties: credit ratings, terms of service and tariffs
  - Selection of a potential counterparty

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CROSS-BORDER SETTLEMENT

The safekeeping of securities and the settlement of over-the-counter transactions through direct accounts are carried out by the National Settlement Depositary in:

- Clearstream Banking and CSD of Kazakhstan starting 2005
- Euroclear Bank and CSD Belarus starting 2008
- CSD Armenia starting 2011
- CSD Kyrgyzstan starting 2013

SEcurities Services

- Internal settlement in CSDs/ICSDs
- Bridge (cross-border) settlement
- Settlement on local markets
- FOP and DVP settlement
- Corporate Actions services
- Tax services
- Individuals clients accounts in ICSDs
SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

NSD LOCAL MARKETS

- Great Britain
- Germany
- Hong Kong
- Italy
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- USA
- Finland
- France
- Switzerland
- Armenia
- Belarus
- Kazakhstan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Russia

SECURITIES TYPES

- OFZ
- Corporate bonds
- Government bonds
- ADR&GDR
- Equities
- Other securities upon request

CURRENCY

- USD
- EUR
- CHF
- GBP
- RUB
- CNY
- HKD
- Other currencies upon request
BOND ISSUER SERVICES

ISIN, CFI and FISN code assignment (with RU prefix)

Bond issue certificate custody

Bond issue placement
- Exchange: for issues admitted to public offering under Russian law
- OTC-market: for Eurobonds

Corporate actions
- Holding meetings
- Payout interest
- Collecting a list of bondholders

Settlements with bonds on the issuer’s accounts when placing and circulating

Notifications on the issue service and conducting of corporate actions

**Benefits of working with NSD**

- Attracting Russian and foreign investors
- Ruble and foreign currency liquidity for settlements with creditors
- Benchmark for subsequent placements of corporate borrowers

**Data on bond issues of foreign issuers and Eurobonds of the Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation with certificate storage in NSD**

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<td>Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation (Eurobonds RU)</td>
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1 Bonds approved for placement under Russian law (Article 51.1. Law on the Securities Market No. 39-FZ), including the 2010 and 2018 release of the Ministry of Finance of Belarus

2 Issues of bonds registered under foreign law with storage of certificates in NSD
OUR BENEFITS

Safekeeping of securities rights using the NSD infrastructure allows minimizing both the risks associated with securities transactions and the costs of performing these transactions, including the costs of establishing correspondent relations with CSDs / ICSDs.

CONVENIENCE AND ACCESSIBILITY

- Developed correspondent network
- Easy access to local markets
- A wide range of services in both CSDs / ICSDs and NSD
- The ability to work both directly and through the account operator
- High level of customer service
- Ease of use of services
- Services in Russian and English
- Competitive rates
- Ability to conduct banking transactions in various currencies
- Convenient access to information on financial instruments, corporate actions
- Collateral Management Services

TECHNOLOGY AND SAFETY

- The use of modern secure channels of electronic interaction (SWIFT, API, web-services, etc.)
- Use of international message format standards, including ISO20022 / 15022
- Message processing in an end-to-end automated way (STP)
- NSD Systems Compliance with International Information Security Standards
- Modern efficient approaches to business continuity management

EFFICIENCY AND RELIABILITY

- Competence and experience in organizing CSD / ICSD access to the local market
- Participation in the project to create the International Financial Center
- Over 10 years of CSD / ICSD experience
- Thomas Murray’s NSD rating is AA–, extremely low risk exposure with a stable outlook
- Compliance with CPMI IOSCO principles
- Implementation of calculations in the mode of FOP and DVP
- Tax administration services
- Corporate actions services
- Simple procedure for accepting securities for service
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- The ability to increase the offer of products in foreign jurisdictions

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