

UPDATE OF THE INFORMATION REPORTED IN 2021 ON THE NATIONAL SYSTEM FOR REPORTING ON POLICIES AND MEASURES TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND PROJECTIONS OF THE EMISSIONS OF THESE GASES AS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 39 AND POINT (A) OF ANNEX VI TO REGULATION (EU) 2018/1999

Information reported in 2021 shall be updated as follows:

Point 5 - Description of the information collection process

The last paragraph is to be replaced by the following text:

In addition, starting from December 2021, activity projections are prepared by KOBiZE in cooperation with the competent Ministers. This is expected to ensure better availability and quality of data (more information on this issue is given in Section 9 of this Report).

Point 7 - Description of the links to arrangements on integrated national energy and climate reports pursuant to Art. 17 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1999

The previous description is to be replaced by the following text:

The work on the first National Energy and Climate Plan (NECP) involved inter-institutional cooperation and exchange of information in the scope of input data to greenhouse gas emission projections in the process to prepare the NECP and emission projections pursuant to the MMR Regulation (EU) No 525/2013. Such an approach will be maintained in subsequent years, in particular, for the purposes of preparing and acquiring data for activity projections necessary for estimating emission projections.

The first integrated report pursuant to Article 17 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1999 is to be submitted to the EC by 15 March 2023. In accordance with Article 17(3) of this Regulation and Article 2 and Article 7 of the Commission Implementing Regulation 2022/2299, data from greenhouse gas inventories (Article 26(3) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1999) and information on climate change mitigation policies and measures and greenhouse gas emissions projections contained in reports prepared pursuant to Article 18 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1999 constitute an integral part of the integrated report. This means that consistency will be maintained between the data and information contained in integrated reports and reporting pursuant to Article 18.

The Minister of Climate and Environment is responsible for reporting under article 18 and integrated reporting on climate and energy under article 17, which will ensure consistency between both processes, including that of the information reported.

Point 9 - Description of the process for selecting assumptions, methodologies and models for making projections of anthropogenic greenhouse gas emissions

The fourth paragraph is to be replaced by the following text:

In this context, it should be pointed out that a new task has been assigned to KOBiZE. It is the preparation of activity change projections. It is carried out in cooperation with the competent Ministers who are obliged to cooperate with KOBiZE in the scope of developing assumptions and to forward the necessary data and information in their possession. Activity change projections are prepared every 5 years (the first data was developed by KOBiZE in December 2021) and apply to the calendar years ending in the digit 0 or the digit 5 and cover a period of 25 years, starting from the reference year (i.e. the year ending in the digit 0 or the digit 5 or another one – in justified cases). The data developed in this way provides, among others, the basis for the preparation of projections of greenhouse gas emissions starting from 2023.