**SUPPORTING DIGITAL TRADE IN TÜRKIYE THROUGH LEGAL REFORM (MLETR PROJECT) - PHASE 2 LAUNCH EVENT**

**23/05/2025**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

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| **Time/Duration** | **Speaker** | **Item** |
| 13.30 – 14.00    (30 mins) |  | Registration |
| 14:00-14:15    (15 mins) | *Hüsnü Dilemre*, Ministry of Trade of Turkiye, DG for International Agreements and EU    *Mehmet Uvez*, EBRD Deputy Head for Türkiye, | Welcome and opening remarks |
| 14:15 – 14:25  (10 mins) | *Pamela Mar*, Managing Director, ICC DSI | Keynote speech: What can digital trade do for you? |
| 14:25 – 14:35  (10 mins) | *Meral Sengoz*, Consultant, T3i | Summary of findings from Phase 1 of the Project: Expected economic impact of digitalising trade documents |
| 14:35 – 15:15    (40 mins) | *Gamze Kahyaoglu*, Principal, Policy and Gov’t Relations, EBRD    *Sarah Green*, International Legal Consultant for Phase 2  *Sebnem Akipek*, Local Legal Consultant for Phase 2  *Mehmet Mücahit Arvas*, Local Legal Consultant for Phase 2 | Overview of the Phase 1 and planned structure of Phase 2    Preliminary analysis of the legal situation in Türkiye and overview of key concepts and areas of focus for successfully adopting UNCITRAL Model Law on Electronic Transferrable Records (MLETR) |
| 15:15 – 15:45    (30 mins) | *Milot Ahma*, Principal Counsel, EBRD (Moderator)  *Luca Castellani,* Legal Officer, UNCITRAL  *Philipe Henry*, Senior Adviser, Paris EUROPLACE  *Sarah Green*, (former) Law Commissioner for England and Wales | Primer on MLETR and the experience in transposing MLETR into French and English legislation |
| 15:45 – 15:55    (10 mins) | All | Q&A  Closing remarks  [TBD] |
| 15:55-16:30 |  | Networking Coffee |