

## AGENDA

### MEETING XXXII OF THE INVESTMENT COUNCIL (IC)

#### *CONSULTATION OF THE STRUCTURAL REFORMS IN THE ECONOMIC REFORMS PROGRAMME (ERP) 2024 – 2026*

Date: **15 December 2023** (Friday) time: **10<sup>00</sup> – 11<sup>30</sup>**

Venue: **Ministry of Finance and Economy, Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

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| 10:00 – 10:10 | <b>Welcome and Approval of the Meeting Agenda</b><br><i>Mr. Ervin Mete, IC Chair/Minister of Finance and Economy</i>   |
| 10:10 – 10:20 | <b>Presentation “Economic Reforms Program 2024 – 2026”</b><br><i>Ministry of Finance and Economy – National ERP Coordinator</i>  |
| 10:20 – 11:20 | <b>Focused discussion by IC Members</b><br><i>What is the impact of the structural reforms foreseen in the next 3 years on the promotion of domestic production, the promotion of new investments and sustainable, comprehensive growth and competitiveness:</i><br><br><i>a) In the economic context of the country, which is mainly dominated by MSMEs, what policies/reforms are the ones that solve the existing issue of the lack of labour force in the country? Education and digital skills of the workforce?</i><br><br><i>b) Where should the sustainable development and recovery of the country be based? Energy, Digital Transformation, Green Transition and Transport as Structural Reforms at the Foundation of Sustainable and Rising Economy.</i><br><br><i>c) The limited capacities of companies to increase competitiveness in the country and beyond, require increased support from institutions, with the main focus on research, development and innovation, the business environment and the reduction of the informal economy, economic integration as well as obstacles according to the primary sectors of the economy.</i> |
| 11:20 – 11:30 | <b>Approval of Recommendations and Closing of the Meeting</b><br><i>Mr. Ervin Mete, IC Chair/Minister of Finance and Economy</i>   |