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NOTIFICATION: UAT3 Environment Decommissioning on 4 May 2024

Audience: All DSB UAT3 Users

Dear Users,

As agreed with the DSB Technology Advisory Committee (TAC), an additional User Acceptance Testing (UAT) environment, DSB UAT3 (also referred to as UPIUAT), was made available in April 2023 to support new users onboarding on to the UPI service. The environment was to be made available for 9 months, the original end date was 31 January 2024. After further consultation with the TAC, the DSB will extend this environment until 4 May 2024, to ensure the environment remains available to support users preparing for the ESMA regulatory mandate on 29 April 2024. The DSB will be decommissioning the UAT3 environment at this point in the interest of cost management.

All functionality of the DSB UAT3 environment has been available in the UAT environment since 15 July 2023. Users who are accessing DSB UAT3 will need to use the Client Onboarding and Support Platform (COSP) to migrate any DSB UAT3 GUI or programmatic accounts to the UAT environment. To assist users, the DSB has prepared a short [guide](#)¹.

On 4 May 2024, the DSB UAT3 environment will be taken down at 00:30AM UTC as part of routine maintenance. However, the environment will not be restarted at the end of the routine maintenance window. In addition, from mid-April it will not be possible to create new accounts on UAT3 and following the decommissioning, all user details relating to DSB UAT3 environment will be removed from the COSP.

Notes:

- Users should be aware that the UPI codes generated in the DSB UAT3 environment were specific to that environment. The codes generated in UAT are different as this is a separate test environment. Users can reference the UAT weekly snapshot files to refresh any local cache.
- Programmatic users are advised that the UAT environment is a separate environment with its own connection details which are available via the UAT API Connectivity screen in the COSP.

Impact on Users:

Users of DSB UAT3 environment who wish to continue testing must migrate to the UAT environment before 4 May 2024.

Programmatic users should ensure that they can reach the UAT target network addresses. The UAT environment connection information is available in the COSP. Please select the "API Connectivity" option, then select "UAT" from the list of environments. This information is visible at the bottom of the screen, in the section titled "DSB Connection Information".

Please contact DSB Technical Support if you have any questions in relation to this notification.

¹ <https://www.anna-dsb.com/download/uat3-user-cosp-migration-guide/>