

# Announcement regarding the General Terms and Conditions of Account Opening and Maintenance at ING Bank Śląski S.A.

Valid from 14 March 2021

## Principles of Effecting Domestic Payment Instructions

### 1. Outgoing

- 1) Domestic Payment Instructions in PLN submitted electronically to be settled within Poland (external payments) as well as internal transfers within ING Bank (without currency conversion) are effected – result in debiting the account – in real time (24 hours 7 days a week, hereinafter referred to as “24/7”). These rules do not apply to Payment Instructions submitted via the InsideBusiness and Access Channels, they are performed – they result in debiting the Payment Account – only on Business Days by 8 pm.
- 2) Domestic Payment Instructions in PLN submitted on paper as well as domestic payment instructions involving currency conversion are effected – result in debiting the account – by the cut-off times indicated below (not 24/7):

| Payment Instruction placement form | Payment Instruction type                                                                           | Cut-off time                            |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| paper-based at ING Bank branches   | Domestic transfer                                                                                  | during the business hours of the Branch |
| electronic                         | Domestic transfer from foreign currency accounts and internal transfer involving currency exchange | by 17.00 hrs on Business Days           |

- 3) Paper-based and electronic Payment Instructions are sent to the Recipient's Payment Services Provider only on Business Days by the cut-off times indicated in the table below. Instructions submitted on Business Days after those cut-off times will be sent to the Recipient's Payment Services Provider on the following Business Day.

| Transfer type                                             | Time  | Forwarding to the clearing system                                   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Domestic transfer (Elixir, Tax Office, Social Insurance)  | 11:30 | on business day in 1st or 2nd clearing session of the ELIXIR system |
| Urgent domestic transfer (cleared in the Sorbnet2 system) | 14:30 | processed in the Sorbnet2 system on the same business day           |
| Express ELIXIR transfer                                   | 24/7  | processed in real time without any time limits                      |

- 4) ING Bank processes Domestic Transfers through:
  - a) the Elixir system:
    - if the Transfer amount is under PLN 1,000,000.00,
    - regardless of the Transfer Amount – Transfers to accounts of tax authorities and the Social Insurance Institution.
  - b) the Sorbnet2 system – if the Transfer Amount is equal to or exceeds PLN 1,000,000.00,
  - c) the ING Bank internal system – regardless of the Transfer amount if both the Payer Account and the Beneficiary Account are held at ING Bank,
  - d) Express Elixir transfers:

- if the Transfer Amount is equal to or does not exceed PLN 100,000,
  - the Beneficiary Bank is a system member and it is available when the Payment Instruction is being processed.
- 5) At Client's request, ING Bank processes Domestic Transfers under PLN 1,000,000.00 in the Sorbnet2 system, save for transfers to tax authorities and the Social Security Institution.
  - 6) The Client may recall the submitted Payment Instruction subject to positive verification of such possibility by the Bank.
  - 7) The Client cannot revoke Payment Instructions sent to accounts within ING Bank (internal transfers).

## 2. Incoming

ING Bank will credit the Recipient's accounts with ING immediately by the following cut-off times:

| Transfer type                                                                    | Time     | Collection from the clearing system       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------------|
| Domestic Elixir transfer                                                         | 11:00    | 1st clearing session of the ELIXIR system |
|                                                                                  | 15:00    | 2nd clearing session of the ELIXIR system |
|                                                                                  | 17:30    | 3rd clearing session of the ELIXIR system |
| Domestic transfer is cleared in the Sorbnet2 system                              | by 16:00 | upon receipt of the Payment Instruction   |
| Express ELIXIR transfer                                                          | 24/7     | in real time, 24/7                        |
| Blue Media transfer                                                              | 24/7     | in real time, 24/7                        |
| Internal transfer without currency conversion to accounts maintained at ING Bank | 24/7     | in real time, 24/7                        |

## Principles of Effecting FX Payment Instructions

1. For outgoing foreign currency Payment Instructions (external transfer) and to accounts at ING Bank (internal transfers):
  - 1) Cut-Off Time for accepting Payment Instructions to debit the Client's account on the same Business Day. Payment Instructions submitted after the Cut-Off Time are deemed submitted on the following Business Day

| Payment Instruction placement form | Payment Instruction type                      | Cut-off time                        |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Paper-based at ING Bank branches   | FX transfer                                   | <b>by 14:30</b><br>on Business Days |
|                                    | External FX transfer                          | <b>by 17:00</b><br>on Business Days |
| electronic                         | Internal FX transfer with currency conversion | <b>by 19:00</b><br>on Business Days |
|                                    | Internal FX transfer without conversion       | without any time limits             |
| SWIFT message in the MT 101 format | External FX transfer                          | <b>By 17:00</b><br>on Business Days |
|                                    | Internal FX Transfer                          | <b>By 19:00</b><br>on Business Days |
|                                    | External domestic transfer                    | <b>By 14:30</b><br>on Business Days |

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|  | Internal domestic Transfer | <b>By 19:00</b><br>on Business Days |
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- 2) Cut-off times for outgoing (external) Payment Instructions submitted electronically for selected currencies. Urgent Payment Instructions delivered after cut-off time for a given currency are effected with the Value Date of the following Business Day.

| Currency                     | Value date D  | Value date D+1 | Value date D+2 |
|------------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| USD                          | 16:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| GBP, CAD                     | 16:00         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| EUR                          | 15:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| EUR – SEPA European transfer | 11:30         | 17:00          | Not applicable |
| CHF, HUF                     | 14:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| PLN, BGN                     | 14:00         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| RON                          | 12:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| CZK                          | 12:00         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| RUB                          | 11:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| SEK, NOK,                    | 10:30         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| TRY, DKK, CZK                | 10:00         | 17:00          | 17:00          |
| AUD, JPY                     | not available | 15:00          | 17:00          |
| ZAR                          | not available | 14:00          | 17:00          |
| CNY                          | not available | 10:00          | 17:00          |
| INR                          | not available | not available  | 17:00          |

## 2. Principles of Effecting FX Payment Instructions

- a) Payment order in EUR processed to the recipient bank operating in the Republic of Poland or in the territory of another Member Country or SEPA Country, settled in the SEPA (Single Euro Payments Area) system submitted by 11:30 ING Bank process for settlement on the same business day. The payment order is not treated as an urgent payment.
- b) For ING Bank to be able to effect a Payment Transaction the Client is obliged to provide relevant information in the Payment Instruction. The information is specific to the country of destination :
  - for EUR payments to EU Member States), the bank account number of the recipient, in the IBAN format,
  - for Countries using the IBAN format – account number in this standard and BIC of the Beneficiary Bank,
  - for other countries, excluding countries indicated in paragraph 5 item c) – Beneficiary Account number and Beneficiary Bank BIC,
  - for the USA – BIC or the so-called FW/ABA number (nine-digit bank code identifying banks in the clearing systems in the USA) and full name of the beneficiary bank.
- c) Payment Instructions meeting the requirements referred to in item 1) are treated as standard instructions sent for automatic clearing in the so-called STP mode.

- d) Should a Payment Instruction in the currency of one of the Member States be addressed to the Bank of the Beneficiary operating in the Republic of Poland or in the territory of another Member State or SEPA Member, it is necessary to provide the account number in the IBAN format.
- e) By placing a Payment Instruction expressed in renminbi currency (China), the Client authorises ING Bank to pass to the Beneficiary Bank any and all data and documents submitted by the Client, required for the instruction processing. Therefore, the Client undertakes to submit commercial documents to ING Bank, should they be required by the Beneficiary Bank.
- f) The Client may not revoke the submitted Payment Order from the moment ING Bank receives it.

### 3. Cut-Off Time for incoming FX Payment Instructions

| Payment Instruction type                                                                                                                                                                                         | Cut-Off Time*   |
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| ING Bank credits the Client's account with the received payments on Business Days, immediately after the funds are booked to ING Bank account subject to the clause 30 point 2 and 4 Of the Terms and Conditions | <b>by 19:00</b> |

### Restrictions for processing of Payment Instructions

ING Bank Śląski S.A. reserves the right to suspend processing or refuse to process the payments:

- a) with the agency of or to the benefit of the below mentioned banks:
  - Belagroprombank,
  - Belarusbank,
  - Belarussian Bank for Development and Reconstruction Belinvestbank JSC,
  - National Bank of the Republic of Belarus,
  - BC Moldindconbank S.A.,
  - banks with their registered office in Pridnestrovian Moldavian Republic.
- b) should the transaction sender or beneficiary be an entity owned by the government of Belarus,
- c) and should the transaction be set for settling with the agency of or to the benefit of the below mentioned countries:
  - Iran,
  - North Korea,
  - Cuba,
  - Sudan, or
  - Syria,
- d) for commodities or services from one of the countries listed in par. 5 item c) of this Announcement or commodities or services controlled by the government of this country,
- e) should the transaction sender or beneficiary be one of the following entities:
  - natural person / any entity whose place of residence / registered office is located in one of the countries listed in par. 5 item c) of this Announcement,
  - government of one of the countries listed par. 5 item c) of this Announcement and entities owned by the government of one of those countries; entities under direct controion of governments of those countries; natural persons or entities acting on behalf of those governments.

### **VAT Accounts**

#### 1. Principles of opening and maintaining

- 1) ING Bank opens and maintains one VAT Account, regardless of the number of Bank Accounts maintained for this Account Holder,
- 2) at the request of the Account Holder, ING Bank may maintain more than one VAT Account for the same Account Holder, with the provision that only one VAT Account may be maintained for one Bank Account,

- 3) the VAT Account is maintained in PLN solely with PLN Bank Accounts,
  - 4) ING Bank shall not issue any Payment Instruments with the VAT Account,
  - 5) ING Bank issues with the VAT Account bank statements solely in the electronic form available in the System or in any other mode agreed upon with ING Bank,
  - 6) ING Bank shall not charge fees or commissions for opening and maintaining one VAT Account, while for other activities it charges fees and commissions in compliance with the Table of Fees and Commissions,
  - 7) ING Bank shall inform the Account Holder about the number of the VAT Account and the principles and term of informing about the account balance in the VAT Account:
    - a) via the System,
    - b) in a customary manner.
  - 8) The rights to manage the funds accumulated in the VAT Account are the same as the rights granted to the User for the Current Account through which the VAT Account is debited with the Payment Instruction amount. Access to balances, transaction history, statements, list of related settlement accounts in the System requires an instruction for granting rights to the VAT Account.
2. Settlement principles:
- 1) settlements in the VAT Account are effected in line with the Act on amendment to the Value-Added Tax Law and certain other acts of 15 December 2017,
  - 2) no cash payment transactions – cash deposits/withdrawals, can be effected to/from VAT Accounts,
  - 3) a VAT Account Holder may credit the VAT Account only with cash accumulated in other VAT Accounts maintained at ING Bank,
  - 4) VAT Account crediting and debiting is effected by debiting or crediting, respectively, the Bank Account of the Holder of the VAT Account maintained by ING Bank,
  - 5) payment with the use of the split payment mechanism i.e. with the use of the VAT Account is effected in PLN, in the form of a transfer order/ direct debit by way of the System functionality or in another mode as agreed upon with ING Bank,
  - 6) A Bank Account Holder shall be liable for the correctness of data provided for settlements in the VAT Account.

### Cash payment services

1. ING Bank processes Payment Instructions for cash deposits and withdrawals in PLN, both in banknotes and coins and in foreign currencies, solely in banknotes, subject to section 2.
2. ING Bank does not effect FX withdrawals in coins. If an FX Payment Instruction cannot be effected in banknotes, ING Bank will pay the equivalent of this amount in PLN, according to the separate currency conversion regulations.
3. ING Bank accepts Payment Instructions for cash deposit in the form of:
  - 1) open deposit – on the basis of a paper Instruction submitted personally at all cash branches,
    - a) In the case of making open cash deposits to the Bank Account, in order to ensure safety of Clients' funds, ING Bank holds the right to confirm the data identifying the person submitting a Payment Instruction against the ID document or other document allowing for identification, accepted by ING Bank,
    - b) Open cash deposits to accounts maintained at ING Bank may be effected by a person submitting a Deposit Payment Instruction on behalf of the Account Holder under a separate authorisation issued by this holder, in compliance with the information published at notice boards at ING Bank branches and on the ING Bank's website.
    - c) open deposit – via CDM,
    - d) closed deposit – under a separate agreement concluded with the Client.
4. ING Bank accepts Payment Instructions for cash withdrawal in the form of:
  - a) open withdrawal – on the basis of a paper Instruction submitted personally at all cash Branches,
  - b) open withdrawal – via ATM,
  - c) open/closed withdrawal – under separate agreements concluded with the Client.
5. If the Payment Instruction amount exceeds the amount specified in the Communication on advising withdrawals from Bank Accounts, the Client is obliged to Advise the Bank thereon.

6. As regards Cash Deposits, ING Bank immediately provides funds for the Client, however not later than on the Business Day following the receipt of the Payment Instruction and funds.

### Electronic Withdrawal System

1. To withdraw cash at ING Bank branch the withdrawing person is obliged to:
  - 1) present an ID document,
  - 2) provide the data required by ING Bank to effect the withdrawal.
    - a) Reference number,
    - b) No reference number.
2. ING Bank shall effect the cash withdrawal solely to the withdrawing person whose identity is verified against the data provided in the instruction by the Account Holder.
3. Account Holder may set the following withdrawal limits:
  - 1) one-off,
  - 2) daily,
  - 3) weekly.
4. Addresses of ING Bank Branches can be found on ING Bank website.

### Direct Debit

1. ING Bank provides Payment Service in the form of a Direct Debit as a Beneficiary Bank and/or Payer Bank.
2. The Beneficiary is obliged to send to ING Bank a Payment Instruction solely in the electronic form indicating the payment date and amount, no later than:
  - 1) by 18:00 on a Business Day preceding the indicated payment date, unless the Direct Debit Agreement provides otherwise – with regard to Payment Instructions effected from payment accounts of the payer held outside ING Bank,
  - 2) by 9:00 at the indicated payment date – with regard to Payment Instructions effected between Payment Accounts held at ING Bank.

### Complaints

ING Bank offers the following channels for submitting a complaint:

- 1) ING Business,
- 2) complaint form on the Bank's website [www.ing.pl](http://www.ing.pl),
- 3) personally at any branch,
- 4) by phone + 48 (32) 357 00 24 Office hours: Mon-Fri 8:00 - 18:00,
- 5) by mail to the correspondence address:

**ING Bank Śląski S.A.**  
ul. Sokolska 34  
40-086 Katowice

### Customer service/ assistance

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| <b>Office Hours</b>     | 08:00 - 18:00                                      |
| <b>Business Days</b>    | Monday – Friday                                    |
| <b>Telephone Number</b> | + 48 (32) 357 00 24                                |
| <b>Website</b>          | <a href="http://www.ingbank.pl">www.ingbank.pl</a> |

In the case of loss, theft, appropriation or unauthorised use of a payment instrument, or the need to report a technical incident or other damage that would threaten the security, please contact us using the following contact details:

Telephone in the case of card loss: + 48 32 357 0012

in the case of blocked System access: + 48 (32) 357 00 24