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Technical specifications and procedures**8. Structure and use of the unique identifier**

The unique identifier for the purpose of communication between registers shall be referred to as the EUID (European Unique Identifier).

The structure of the EUID shall be compliant with ISO 6523 and shall contain the following elements:

EUID element	Description	Additional description
Country code	Elements making it possible to identify the Member State of the register	Mandatory
Register Identifier	Elements making it possible to identify the domestic register of origin of the company and of the branch respectively	Mandatory
Registration number	Company/branch number refers to the registration number of the company/branch in the domestic register of origin	Mandatory
Verification digit	Elements making it possible to avoid identification errors	Optional

The EUID shall be used to unequivocally identify companies and branches for the purpose of the exchange of information between registers via the platform.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2244, Division 8..