# Digital Signatures Mission Specific Work Group (MSWG) Project Lead: J. John RYU (GS1 GO)

Report Date: November '23 Expected project close: Q1 '24

## **Business purpose**

Counterfeiting is a growing problem damaging the global economy. More effective enforcement on national and regional level is needed. Various approaches and different emerging solutions are being proposed to combat counterfeiting, diversion and illicit trade. Divergent approaches and solutions pose a risk of adding complexity and cost to the supply chain and they also conflict with GS1 standards and standards-based implementations

#### **Key issues and risks**

- Based on core team meetings and discussions in October and schedule has been updated because review needed by SME, community engagement, and SDL
- Community review by Jan '24
- eBallot changed to Q1 '24 from Nov '23

## **Accomplishments this period**

Core team has been updating the TIG

# **Upcoming period activities**

- Core team conducting calls to prepare for community review
- Deliverable #4 Technical Implementation Guideline (TIG)
  - Draft by core team
  - Community review by Jan '24
  - eBallot in Q1 '24

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Overall Status													
#	Standard/	ndard/guideline Milestones			Due Date Note		#	Collateral milestones	Due date		Notes		
1	WR 21-240	e I - Open Standard Solution 21-240: GS1 Web Vocabulary AuthenticationDetails					Edited Digital Signature Demo Video	Oct '21					
2		nase I - WR 21-240 Extra Link Type or JSON Web Signature			1		2	Demonstration Tool recording	Jul '21				
3		WR 21-307: Application Identifiers for ISO/IEC 20248 data structure		End of April '24			3	Signature session recording for education and awareness	May՝ 21				
4	Deliverable 4 WR 23-172 <b>Technical</b> Implementation Guideline			Q1 ′24	No	Update based upon November meetings original Nov '23		Collateral Material	None	collatera Implem	After further analysis regarding collateral material, Technical Implementation Guideline will be developed within GSMP.		
Stakeholders						Project Scope, Resources and Timeline Change Management							
<u> </u>		Robert BEIDEMAN (GS1 GO)				<ul> <li>Project approval date 5/2020</li> <li>2022-07-21 project change notification was submitted with July Scorecard to change the delivery date of deliverable #3 to Q3 2022 from Q2 2022</li> </ul>							
SDL CE/S Liais	Sol Date	J. John RYU (GS1 GO)  Patrik JONASSON (GS1 GO), Nellie GAYLE (GS1 GO)				<ul> <li>2022-08-18 project change notification was submitted with Sep Scorecard to change the delivery date of deliverable #3 to Q4 2022 from Q3 2022</li> <li>2023-02-10 project change notification was submitted with Feb scorecard</li> <li>Change the delivery date of deliverable #3 ISO/IEC 20248 to end of April '23 from Q4'</li> </ul>							
SME	. Mar	Mark HARRISON, Peta DING, Nadi GRAY (GS1 GO)				2023-04-03 project change notification was submitted with April Scorecard							
AG Liaison Kevin DEAN (GS			S1 Canada)			<ul> <li>Deliverable #4 Technical Implementation Guideline timeline to July '23 from April '23</li> <li>2023-05-04 project change notification was submitted with May Scorecard</li> </ul>							
Cha	irs Bert	Bertus PRETORIUS (Tönnjes)				<ul> <li>Deliverable #3 WR 21-307 timeline to June '23 from April '23</li> <li>2023-11-16 project change notification was submitted with Nov Scorecard</li> <li>Deliverable #4 WR 21-172 timeline to Q1 '24 from Nov '23</li> </ul>							
New	v risks identified	Yes	Change request included	Yes		Legend		Complete	Not Started	On target	Risk of being late	Change needed (not recoverable)	