## Consultation on guidelines on Internalised Settlement Reporting under Article 9 of CSDR

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- describe any alternatives ESMA should consider.

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