

## 6.1 CEER views on Implementing acts on data interoperability by Veli-Pekka Saajo – DS WG Chair

### What will the role of European regulators be?

This depends strongly on whether ACER will be appointed the EU designated authority or if it will merely remain a stakeholder in the consultation process and provide its reasoned opinion on changes in the EU reference model;

CEER can play an incisive role in promoting best practices and favouring the convergence of national reference models over time thanks to its track record in cooperation;

### Harmonised, yet neutral

The key is to guarantee a non-discriminatory, neutral EU reference model for data access that takes into account every national situation (e.g. centralised data hub model vs decentralised vs B2B) accordingly and promotes cross-border interoperability;

### Timing

The maintenance and updating of EU reference model, process deadlines and steps are defined in the implementing acts: find a balance between giving enough time to MS for consultation/implementation and scalability/upgradability of the model.

