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Dear Sir or Madam,

We would like to inform you that the new version of the COBISS3 application will run a check of the required Java version and operating system version when you login. If the installed Java version is too old or if you are using an operating system, which is no longer supported by the vendors, you need to upgrade the operating system or the Java version. The deadline for the upgrade is 28 February 2019.

To start the COBISS3 application, Oracle Java 8 or OpenJDK 8 with support for IcedTea must be installed on the client. However, you must not install Java 11 or a newer version, because these versions no longer support the Java Web Start functionality. In the future we will find a solution that will eliminate these issues.

The client supports the following operating systems with installed Java 8:

- Windows 7, Windows 8 and Windows 10;
- CentOS 6, CentOS 7, Ubuntu 18, Ubuntu 16 and other newer versions of other Linux distributions;
- MacOS X.

Outdated operating systems (e.g. Windows NT, Vista, Server 2003, XP) need to be upgraded and exchanged with newer OS versions supported by the manufacturers.

Instructions for OpenJDK 8 and IcedTea installation will be published in the first half of January 2019.

If you require any additional explanations, please contact the National COBISS Centre.

Yours faithfully,

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