

# **Standard Business Reporting Seminar**

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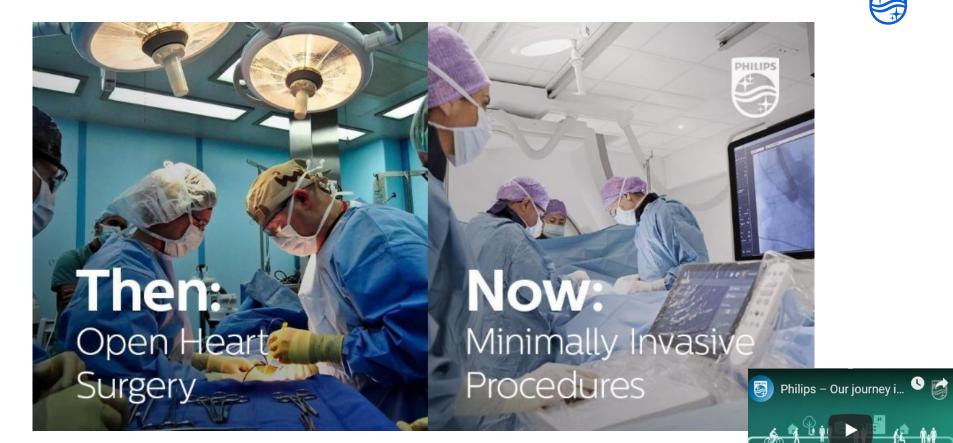
## **Agenda**

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Philips experience with (i)XBRL
- 3. Philips recommendations to the European and Dutch regulators
- 4. Q&A



## Introduction







# Philips experience with (i)XBRL





# The Daily News

www.dailynews.com

Washington D.C., March 1, 2017

#### **SEC Posts Notice of Availability of IFRS Taxonomy**



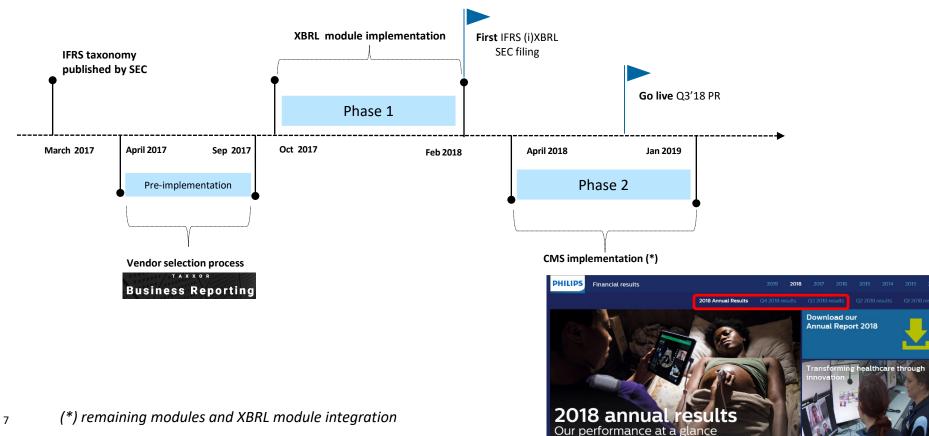
The Securities and **Exchange Commission today** published a taxonomy on its website so that foreign private issuers that prepare their financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) may submit those reports using XBRL. XBRL is a machine readable data format that allows investors and other data users to more easily access, analyze and compare financial information across reporting periods and across companies.

Foreign private issuers that prepare their financial

statements in accordance with IFRS as issued by the IASB may begin immediately to submit their financial statements in XBRL. Otherwise, all such foreign private issuers must submit their financial statements in XBRL for fiscal periods ending on or after December 15, 2017. In 2009, the Commission adopted requirements for structuring certain foreign private issuer financial statements in XBRL once an IFRS taxonomy was specified on the Commission's website. SEC.gov.

## **Our** XBRL journey





## Zoom in XBRL implementation



- Philips responsibility to prepare and review XBRL reporting supported by Taxxor XBRL knowledge
- 2. Involving both **notes/content owners** and **technical accounting** (TAO) in the preparation and review process
- Process started well in advance to secure required time to initially prepare and review XBRL

Time (*)	Philips	Taxxor	Total	
Hours	590	209	798	Scope: block and detail tagging
Days	74	26	100	20% statement tagging 80% notes tagging
Weeks	15	5	20	

4. Opting for (i)XBRL yet having traditional XBRL as a back-up solution

## **Pros** and **cons** of XBRL reporting for Philips



#### **Pros**

- 1. Being more in control of the way the data is provided to data aggregators eliminating manual data processing
- 2. Re-thinking the external reporting process.
- 3. Re-thinking presentation of certain data
- 4. Data validation

#### Cons

- 1. Additional work & implementation costs
- 2. Using the taxonomy can be timeconsuming
- 3. SEC EDGAR portal technical issues
- 4. 'Black hole' no visibility on XBRL usage by data aggregators



# Philips recommendations to the European and Dutch regulators

#### Recommendations



- 1. One set of XBRL taxonomy for both SEC and ESMA filing or a formal cross-reference table so that tags are consistent across dual filers
- 2. Adding a **search option** in the Taxonomy based on IFRS disclosure number/paragraph
- 3. Providing a user and IT friendly **filing portal** including a sound validation mechanism
- **4. Providing feedback** for the filers on # of downloads, usage, questions form data aggregators

