

1st Public Procurement Forum

“Fostering Professionalization and Competition in Public Procurement”

Belgrade, Serbia

Metropol Palace Hotel

23-24 May 2018

Agenda

23 May 2018, Wednesday (Day 1)		
8:30 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 - 10:00	Welcome and Opening remarks Moderator: Mr. Uroš Stojković, Public Procurement Office	
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Coffee break		
10:30 – 12:30	Session 1: Upgrading of Performance of Public Procurement Officers Moderator: Mr. Predrag Jovanović, director of Public Procurement Office	
	Challenges of decision making and motivation within contracting authorities in Serbia – presentation of research results (30 min)	Mr. Srđan Bogosavljević, IPSOS
	Methods for improving decision making process and motivation of PP officers in Serbia (30 min)	Prof. Mladen Čudanov, Faculty of Organizational Sciences, Belgrade Prof. Boris Delibašić, Faculty of Organizational Sciences, Belgrade
	Motivation and incentives of public procurement officers to achieve better procurement outcomes for taxpayers' money – EU practice (30 min)	Mr. Wouter Vandenabeele, associate Professor Human Resources Management at Utrecht University
	Discussion - Question and Answers Session (30 min)	
Lunch break		
13.30 – 15:30	Session 2: Panel on Professionalization of Public Procurement Officers Moderator: Ms. Dariusz Piasta, KE 2 – Public Procurement Expert, IPA Project	
	Upgrading professionalization of public procurement officers – Canadian experience (30 min)	Mr. Francois Emond, Executive Director, Public Procurement Council, Canada
	Certification process of public procurement officers – experience of Serbia (15 min)	Ms. Daliborka Srećkov, Head of Group for monitoring, control and supervision of Public Procurement Procedures, Public Procurement Office



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	Professionalization of public procurement officers – experience of Croatia (15 min)	Ms. Nina Čulina, Head of Sector, Directorate for Public Procurement System, Ministry of Economy, Croatia
Discussion - Question and Answers Session (30 min)		
End of day 1		



24 May 2018, Thursday (Day 2)									
9:00 - 10:30	<p>Session 3: Competition in Public Procurement Market – Existing Constrains and Recommendation on How to Overcome Them</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Miloš Jović, Public Procurement Office</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;">Prevention of uncompetitive behavior - experience of Serbia (20 min)</td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;">Mr. Čedomir Radojčić, Member of the Council of Commission for Protection of Competition, Serbia</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Bid rigging: How to detect it and methods to reduce the risk of it (20 min)</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Mr. Miloš Jovanović, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Organizational Sciences, Belgrade</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Bid rigging practical examples - experience of Hungary (20 min)</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Mr László Bak, Vice-President of the Competition Authority, Hungary</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">Discussion - Question and Answers Session (30 min)</td> </tr> </table>	Prevention of uncompetitive behavior - experience of Serbia (20 min)	Mr. Čedomir Radojčić, Member of the Council of Commission for Protection of Competition, Serbia	Bid rigging: How to detect it and methods to reduce the risk of it (20 min)	Mr. Miloš Jovanović, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Organizational Sciences, Belgrade	Bid rigging practical examples - experience of Hungary (20 min)	Mr László Bak, Vice-President of the Competition Authority, Hungary	Discussion - Question and Answers Session (30 min)	
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	<p>Factors which limits competition in PP in Serbia - research results and recommendations for strengthening of competition (20 min)</p>	<p>Mr. Rade Djurić, expert for competition in procurement Mr. Danilo Pejović, expert for competition in procurement</p>
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