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TRANSPARENT PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RATING

Assessing Public Procurement Legislation and
Practice in Eastern Partnership Countries

CONFERENCE • 13 MAY, 2017



09:30-10:00 Registration of Participants / Morning Coffee

10:00-10:15 Welcome Remarks

Giorgi Kldiashvili

Institute for Development of Freedom of Information (IDFI)

Tinatin Bolkvadze

Open Society Georgia Foundation (OSGF)

10:15-10:30

Achieving Set Goals: Presentation of TPPR Project Results and Launch of TPPR Website

Sandro Kevkhishvili

Institute for Development of Freedom of Information (IDFI)

10:30-13:00

SESSION I: Assessment Results of Public Procurement Legislations and Practice of Target Countries:

MODERATOR: GIORGI KLDIASHVILI

Institute for Development of Freedom of Information (IDFI)

Oleksandr Shatkovskyi

Transparency International - Ukraine

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Expert-Grup, Moldova

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Institute for Public Administration Reform and Transformation (BIPART), Belarus

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Transparency International, Azerbaijan

Giorgi Lomtadze

Institute for Development of Freedom of Information (IDFI), Georgia

Q & A

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 SESSION II: Harmonizing EU Procurement

Directives: Benefits and Importance

MODERATOR: ERIKS MEZALIS

International Expert in Public Procurement

Natallia Shymko

Ministry of Economic Development and Trade, Ukraine

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David Marghania

International Expert in Public Procurement

Q & A

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

15:45-17:30 SESSION III: Open Data and Public Procurement: Possibilities and Practice

MODERATOR: GIORGI LOMTADZE

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Luis Alberto Velez Pretelt

Open Contracting Specialist

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State Audit Office of Georgia

Sandor Lederer

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Q & A

17:30-17:45 Concluding Remarks