



Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Moldova Public Procurement Agency

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Main Achievements in Public Procurement in 2014

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Control and Monitoring of Public Procurement Procedures



At the advertisement publication stage

- At the stage of tender launching, verification of documents to ensure their compliance with regulations on description of goods, works and services
- Technical specifications do not make reference to brand names, patents, etc., and are not tailored to specific companies



After contract signing

- After the signing, within 5 days the contract is submitted to the PPA for examination and registration
- The signed contract is considered effective once it is registered by the PPA
- The Contract, registered by the PPA, is then registered at the State Treasury or at one of the territorial treasuries of the Ministry of Finance



During the contract implementation

- Responsibility for contract implementation rests with the Contracting Authority and the Economic Operator (supplier)
- Monitoring of contract implementation is the responsibility of the Working Group, Financial Inspection, Court of Accounts and other control bodies
- PPA does not directly monitor the implementation of public procurement contracts
- PPA can get involved in the process of contract implementation only when the contract is amended



Chapter 1. Improve the existing statistical module

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Implemented Activities

- Analysis of structure of collected data
- Analysis of needs on statistical data
- Analysis of the existing mechanisms for collecting data
- Modification (optimization) of mechanisms for collecting data
- Development of specifications for statistical reports
- Implementation of mechanisms for generating statistical reports (in the process)



Achieved Results:

New statistical reports generated	24
Improved statistical reports	15
Newly introduced data structures	12
Published statistical reports	36

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Chapter 2.

Develop a more complex analytical module which will allow to process all the collected data to give the possibility to follow the trend in each sector and redirect it, if needed



Implemented Activities

- Development of the list of indicators
- Definition of the methodology to calculate the indicators
- Definition of the calculation methodology and of the tools applied to obtain the indicators
- Identification of the scope of the indicators
- Identification of the link and interaction between indicators



Achieved Results:

Number of the existing indicators revised	31
Number of additional indicators developed	21



Decisions taken on the basis of indicators

- Changed the method of procuring oil products
- Changed VAT on meat
- Allocated additional funds for road repair works
- Fixed an average price for coal



Chapter 3.

Ensure transparency in each step of the procurement process, starting with the needs assessment step, financial planning and, most importantly, ending with the contract implementation monitoring



Ensuring Transparency

- Moved from paper-based Public Procurement Bulletin (PPB) to an electronic one
- Expanded the information included in the
- Modified the format of the advertisement in accordance with 18/2004/CE Directive
- Regularly publish information on documents under review
- Publish information on awarded contracts. Filter and search options available
- Launched an official website which provides more information of public interest



Needs Assessment and Financial Planning

- Launched the module on initiating and coordinating of advertisements in the e-procurement system
- Automatically publish invitations for bids in the public zone of the eprocurement system
- In the e-procurement system, developed an engine which offers the possibility to search among the publications
- Publish Procurement Plans on the official websites of the Contracting Authorities



Contract Monitoring and Records Keeping

- Publish the list of awarded contracts. Filter and search options available
- Launched the module on initiating, approving and publication of amendments in the e-procurement system
- Developed the technical specifications for a new tool to monitor the implementation of contracts. This tool will be made part of the eprocurement system



Other Achievements





Other Achievements:

- Increase in the public procurement conducted through the eprocurement system from 28% to 35%
- Increase in the number of contracting authorities which use the eprocurement system, from 98 to 148
- Optimized the e-procurement system functionalities
- In order to harmonize and implement the provisions of Directive 2004/17/CE and Directive 92/13/ECC, developed the draft of the law on utilities
- Submitted the final proposal, negotiated with all the member countries of the World Trade Organization



Thank You !

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