**EU Public Procurement Workshop**

**for**

**the Republic Commission for the Protection of Bidders’ Rights in Public Procurement Procedures**

**Programme**

**23 April 2018**

**Belgrade**

**Objective**

SIGMA has designed a workshop event for staff of the Republic Commission for the Protection of Bidders’ Rights in Public Procurement Procedures to cover a number of current issues in public procurement law and practice relevant to the work of those attending. The workshop will use a combination of presentation and case based exercises.

The following agenda may be adapted on the day to reflect the needs of the participants at the event.

The working languages of the workshop are English and Serbian with simultaneous interpretation.

**SIGMA procurement experts**

* **Mr. Steen Bruun-Nielsen, Ireland**
* **Mr. Zoran Blažević, Croatia**
* **Erika Bozzay,** SIGMA

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| **08.45 – 09.00** | **Arrival and registration of participants** |
| **09.00 – 09.10** | **Introduction to the workshop**  *Ms Erika Bozzay, SIGMA* |
| **09:10 – 10:30** | **Electronic Procurement system in Croatia (EOJN)**   * *General information* * *Tender publication, e-tenders, e-opening, e-evaluation* * *E-appeal*   *Mr. Zoran Blažević, SIGMA expert, Croatia* |
| **10:30 – 12:00** | **Some selective procurement tools under the 2014 EU Public Procurement Directives**   * *Competitive dialogue – Step by step procedure* * *E-auction – Possibilities and limitations* * *The Innovative Partnership Procedure*   *Mr. Steen Bruun-Nielsen, SIGMA expert, Ireland* |
| **12:00 – 13:00** | **Lunch break** |
| **13:00 – 14:00** | **Tender evaluation – new practice**   * *Tender completion after the public opening – What is possible and what is not?* * *How to protect the principles of public procurement?* * *Practice of the Court of Justice of the European Union and practice of the procurement review body of Croatia*   *Mr. Zoran Blažević, SIGMA expert, Croatia* |
| **14:00 – 15:00** | **Selected Elements of the 2014 EU Public Procurement Directives**   * *Self-cleaning mechanism for exclusion grounds* * *Life-cycle costing as part of tender planning and evaluation* * *Modification of contracts during their term*   *Mr. Steen Bruun-Nielsen, SIGMA expert, Ireland* |
| **15:00 – 15:30** | **Conclusion of the workshop**  *Ms Erika Bozzay, SIGMA* |