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Project “Support for further improvement of Public Procurement system in  
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**Workshop:**

**Monitoring of the Public Procurement Office and recommendation for  
its improvement**

**and**

**Irregularities in public procurement procedures and recommendation  
for their efficient detection and sanctioning**

GIZ, Terazije 23 (5th floor), Belgrade

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Speaker:

**Saša Varinac:** the expert with more than 15 years of experience in the field of public procurement. On two occasions performed the function of the president of the Republic Commission for the Protection of Rights in Public Procurement Procedures, which in addition to its other tasks, ensures the protection of rights in the field of public procurement, PPP and concessions (the Republic Commission is established on the basis of the Law on Public Procurement the PPL). Previously, Mr Varinac was, as an advisor, employed in the Public Procurement Office. He was also a member of the negotiations group for negotiations of accession to the Republic of Serbia to the European Union for Chapter 5 – Public procurement as an expert for legal protection; he participated also included in the elaboration of the negotiation position of Serbia.

He is an author of numerous books and publications in the field of public procurement, including the Commentary to the Public Procurement Law of 2008 and the current PPL of 2012 as well as the Law on PPP and concessions. He was a speaker at numerous trainings and seminars in the field of public procurement. Currently, he is a partner in the law company specialising in the topic of public procurement, concessions and PPP.

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## Agenda

<b>09:45 – 10:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>10:00 – 10:15</b>	<b>Introduction: Presentation of the agenda, the speaker and the purpose of the workshop</b>
Representative of the Public Procurement Office and Team Leader of the Project	
<b>10:15 – 11:15</b>	<b>Part I: Monitoring of the Public Procurement Office and recommendation for its improvement</b>
Saša Varinac, expert	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Functions of public procurement administrations and function of monitoring according to the practice of the European Union</li><li>✓ Tasks of the public procurement administrations in the region and member states of the European Union</li><li>✓ Analysis of tasks currently performed by the Public Procurement Office and recommendation for improvement</li><li>✓ Recommendation for improvement of function of monitoring performed by the Public Procurement Office</li></ul>	
<b>11:15 – 11:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
<b>11:30 – 13:00</b>	<b>Part II: Irregularities in public procurement procedures and recommendations for their efficient detecting and sanctioning</b>
Saša Varinac, expert	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Current state of play – irregularities in different stages of public procurement</li><li>✓ Current state of play – authority for suppression of irregularities in the current Public Procurement Office</li><li>✓ Recommendation for improvement of measures of efficient detection and sanctioning of irregularities in public procurement</li><li>✓ Corruption map</li></ul>	
<b>13:00</b>	<b>End of workshop</b>
<b>Lunch</b>	

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