

Public Administration Reform Challenges in Montenegro

Podgorica

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The goals of the meeting are: to present the key findings from the SIGMA 2017 Montenegro Monitoring Report and to facilitate discussions on the current state of affairs as well as the next steps in the PAR agenda with the representatives of Montenegrin administration and the civil society.

8.30 - 9.00 **Welcoming Coffee and Registration**

9.00 - 9.30 **Introductory remarks**

Suzana Pribilović, Minister of Public Administration

Ana Krsmanović, Director General, Ministry of Finance

Zorka Kordić, Director General, Ministry of European Affairs

Hermann Spitz, Head of Cooperation Section, EU Delegation in Montenegro

9.30 – 10.10 **Main Challenges & Recommendations regarding Public Financial Management (including Public Procurement and External Audit)**

Key findings from the SIGMA 2017 Report - *Mirosława Boryczka, Daniel Ivarsson, OECD/SIGMA*

NGO view – *Institut Alternativa*

Administration's vision – *Ministry of Finance*

10.10 – 10.45 **Discussion**

10.45 – 11.20 **Main Challenges with Recommendations regarding Public Service & Human Resource management, Service Delivery and Accountability**

Key findings from the SIGMA 2017 Report - *Kaido Paabus & Timo Ligi, OECD/SIGMA*

NGO view - *Institut Alternativa, MANS*

Administration's vision – *Ministry of Public Administration*

11.20 – 12.00	Discussion
12.00 – 12.45	Buffet lunch
12.45 – 13.30	Main Challenges with Recommendations regarding Strategic Framework of PAR and Policy Development and Co-ordination
	Key findings from the SIGMA 2017 Report - <i>Timo Ligi</i>
	NGO view
	Administration's vision – <i>Ministry of Public Administration, Ministry of Finance, General Secretariat of the Government, Ministry of European Affairs</i>
13.30 – 14.15	Discussion
14.15 – 14.30	Regional School of Public Administration (ReSPA) PAR related activities in MNE
	<i>Ratka Sekulović, ReSPA</i>
14.30 – 14.45	Concluding remarks