



Directorate for Anti-corruption Initiative

Conference: “Implementation of the Council of Europe Civil Law Convention on Corruption”

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Hotel “Crna Gora”**

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9:30-10:10	<p>Opening of the Conference</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mr Igor Luksic, Minister of Finance (TBC) ▪ Mr Vladimir Philipov, Special Representative of the Secretary General in Montenegro ▪ Ms Vesna Ratkovic, Director of the Directorate for Anti-corruption Initiative <p><i>Chair: Mr Lado Lalicic, DGHL, Economic Crime Division, Council of Europe, Strasbourg</i></p>
10:50-10:45	<p>Coffee break</p>
10:45-11:15	<p>Session I: Presentation of the Council of Europe Civil Law Convention on Corruption- Measures to be taken at national level:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compensation of damage, liability and state responsibility according to Convention <p><i>Mr Bostjan Penko, Council of Europe expert</i></p>
11:55-11:45	<p>Discussion</p>
11:45-12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview of the Montenegrin current legislation and practice towards CoE Civil Law Convention on Corruption <p><i>Ms Dusanka Radovic, national expert</i></p>
12:15-12:30	<p>Discussion</p>
12:30-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Validity of contracts, protection of employees, accounts and audits <p><i>Mr Bostjan Penko, Council of Europe expert</i></p>
13:00-13:30	<p>Discussion</p>
14:00	<p>Lunch</p>

9:30-10:00	<p>Session II: Presentation of the Council of Europe Civil Law Convention on measures to be taken at national level:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Acquisition of Evidence, Interim measures, international cooperation <i>Mr Bostjan Penko, Council of Europe expert</i>
10:00-10:20	Discussion
10:20-10:40	Coffee break
10:40-11:00	<p>Session III: Implementation of the Council of Europe Civil Law Convention on Corruption- results, obstacles, challenges ahead:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Case study 1, practical issues <i>RAI expert (TBC)</i>
11:00-11:20	Discussion
11:20-11:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Case study 2, practical issues <i>RAI expert (TBC)</i>
11:40-12:00	Discussion
12:00-12:30	Final remarks/Conclusions
14:00	Closing of the Conference