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Regional Workshop on Whistleblower Protection in Security Sector

7-8 May 2019

Hotel CentreVille Podgorica, Montenegro

DRAFT AGENDA



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<p>Participants are kindly requested to prepare a short review of the Ministries' experiences in the field of whistleblower protection</p>	
<p>Monday, May 6</p>	
	<p>Arrival of participants during the day</p>
<p>19:00</p>	<p>Dinner for the participants in hotel restaurant</p>
<p>Tuesday, May 7</p>	
<p>09:30 – 10:00</p>	<p>Registration of Participants</p>
<p>10:00 – 11:00</p>	<p>Opening statements by:</p> <p>Mr. Andrej Lakic, Head of International Cooperation Department, Defense Policy and Planning Directorate, Ministry of Defense of Montenegro MG (ret.) Jeronim Bazo, RACVIAC Director Mr. Vladan Joksimovic, Head of Secretariat, Regional Anti-corruption Initiative</p> <p><i>Tour de table</i> - introductions by all the participants</p>
<p>11:00 – 11:30</p>	<p>Coffee break and Family Photo</p>
<p>11:30 – 12:30</p>	<p><i>Screening of the regional documentary "Medal of the Loud"</i></p> <p>Introduction & first impressions facilitated by Mr. Arjan Dyrmishi protagonist in the documentary, and a Centre for Integrity in the Defense Sector (CIDS) Expert</p>
<p>12:30 – 14:00</p>	<p>Lunch break</p>



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<p>14:00 – 15:00</p>	<p><i>Session 1: Presentation of current state of implementation of whistleblowing policies in the respective Ministry of Defence or Ministry of Interior.</i></p> <p>Presenters from: Albania - Bosnia and Herzegovina - Bulgaria - Croatia - Greece - Kosovo* -</p> <p><i>Session facilitated by Ms. Alma Adrović, Head of Department for Building Integrity, Defence Policy and Planning Directorate, MoD Montenegro</i></p> <p>Participants are expected to hold 5 minutes presentations with focus on practical cases and experiences, and lessons learned.</p>
<p>15:00 – 15:30</p> <p>15:30 – 16:30</p>	<p>Coffee break</p> <p><i>Session 1 – continuation: Presentation of current state of implementation of whistleblowing policies in the respective Ministry of Defence or Ministry of Interior.</i></p> <p>Presenters from: Moldova - Montenegro - Ms. Alma Adrović, Head of Department for Building Integrity, Defence Policy and Planning Directorate, MoD North Macedonia - Romania - Serbia - Turkey -</p> <p><i>Session facilitated by Mr. Vladan Joksimovic, RAI</i></p> <p>Participants will be invited to hold 5 minutes presentations with focus on practical cases and experiences and lessons learned.</p>
<p>19:00</p>	<p>Dinner at the Restaurant Forest, hosted by the Ministry of Defence of Montenegro. Transfer from CentreVille Hotel at 18:45.</p>
<p>Wednesday, May 8</p>	
<p>09:30 – 10:30</p>	<p><i>Session 2: Mechanisms for prevention of retaliation (challenges and opportunities)</i></p> <p>Presenters: Representative of the Commission for Prevention of Corruption Slovenia TBC Representative of the Agency for Prevention of Corruption of Montenegro TBC Representative of the National Anti-corruption Agency of Moldova TBC Representative of the Police Directorate of Montenegro TBC</p>

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSC 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence.



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10:30 – 11:00	<p><i>Session facilitated by Mr. Vladan Joksimovic, RAI</i></p> <p>Coffee break</p>
11:30 – 12:30	<p><i>Session 3: The role of civil society in promotion and protection of whistleblowers</i></p> <p>Presenters:</p> <p>Representative of NGO Institute Alternativa, Montenegro (Member of the Southeast Europe Coalition for Protection of Whistleblowers) TBC</p> <p>Representative of NGO CRVNO, Montenegro (Member of the Southeast Europe Coalition for Protection of Whistleblowers) TBC</p> <p>Mr. Arjan Dyrnishi, CIDS</p> <p>Representative of OECD TBC</p> <p><i>Session facilitated by Mrs. Ana Ezhova Krzhaloska, IRC RACVIAC</i></p>
12:30 – 13:00	Closing statements and conclusions
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch
	Departure of the participants