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**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE IN DUBROVNIK:
“PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REVIEW AND REMEDIES SYSTEMS”**

Conference under the High patronage of Mr. Stjepan Mesić, President of the Republic of Croatia

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1ST DAY

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| 8:50 - 9:30 | Registration and hand-out of materials |
| 9:30 - 9:50 | Welcome and Introduction
<i>Višnja Tafra ,Representative of the Croatian President</i>
<i>Goran Matešić</i>
<i>Piotr-Nils Gorecki</i> |
| 9:50 - 10:30 | Public procurement review and remedies systems in the EU - SIGMA report
<i>Martin Trybus</i> |
| 10:30 – 11:10 | Right of action in the remedies procedure
<i>Marija Cvrlje</i> |
| 11:10 - 11:30 | Coffee break |
| 11:30 - 12:10 | Transparency, the basis of legal protection in public procurement
<i>Josip Kregar</i> |
| 12:10 – 12:50 | Remedy issues in relation to the implementation of the new EC Directives
2004/17 and 2004/18
<i>Peter Trepte</i> |
| 12:50 - 14:00 | Lunch break |
| 14:00 - 14:40 | Award of damages in public procurement
<i>Srdan Šimac</i> |
| 14:40 - 15:20 | Trends and features in the review and remedies system in Germany
<i>Gabriele Herlemann</i> |
| 15:20 - 15:50 | Dilemmas observed in public procurement procedures
<i>Goran Matešić</i> |
| 15:50 - 16:15 | Responding to questions, briefing of the day
<i>Goran Matešić</i> |

2ND DAY
Workshop day

1st Workshop: Functioning of national review systems in the region – experiences of EU assistance in the sector

Moderators: *Peder Blomberg*
Zoran Blažević
Tomaz Vesel
Constantino Longares Barrio, ECD Zagreb

10:00-12:45 Maximum 20-minute presentation each by a representative of:

- Albania
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Kosovo
- Macedonia
- Montenegro
- Serbia

2nd Workshop: Legal protection in public procurement – practices in the European Union

Moderator *Martin Trybus*

10:00-10:30 Impact of the quality of legal protection on the market of public procurement
Tina Eržen

10:30-11:00 Private sector interests in legal protection
Tomaz Vesel

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-12:15 What makes a remedy system effective? Experiences of two EU countries.
Peter Braun

12:15 – 13:30 Lunch break

Joint session

13:30 – 14:00 Legal protection below EC thresholds
Martin Trybus

14:00 – 14:30 The review of the Remedies Directives - The Commission's perspective
Bertrand Carsin

14:30 – 15:00 Conclusions of the conference