Third Central Asia Regional Public Procurement Forum, Issyk-Kul, May 22-24, 2007

Conclusions and Action Plan:

The main objective of the Forum was to provide a platform to the senior public procurement officials from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan for exchanging their experiences and ideas on how to effective implement the public procurement laws and regulations. Also, the main focus of the Forum was to discuss the best practices and capacity building in public procurement over the four countries. This objective was substantially met.

The Forum was opened by Mr Nur Dosbol uluu, the Vice Prime Minister of Kyrgyz Republic (host) and Mr Roger Robinson, the Country Manager of the World Bank Office in Bishkek. The speakers emphasized the importance of public procurement for the economic and efficient use of public funds. Mr. Bernard Becg, the Chief Procurement Officer of the World Bank made a presentation about the recent developments in area of public procurement over the world and the Bank's policy in development of public procurement systems in the member countries. Mr Naushad Khan, Lead Procurement Specialist for Central Asia has presented a topic on achievements and challenges of public procurement in Central Asia over the last year. The heads of delegations of the four participating countries made presentations about their public procurement systems, including their strengths and weaknesses, as well as, about their needs in capacity building for an effective implementation of public procurement laws and regulations.

The Poland delegation delivered a presentation on their public procurement system and the latest trends in further improvement of public procurement ece()]TJET E ocurementIe72 0 1 360.7iprocries4(v)11(e i60.7i)64icipati

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THEME: EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT LAWS, REGULATIONS, USE OF BEST PRACTICES, AND BUILDING PROCUREMENT CAPACITY

	REGISTRATION		
FACILITATOR: RICHARD WESTIN			
CHAIR: KYRGYZ REPUBLIC			
MAY 22, TUESDAY (DAY 1)			

Opening Session

	articipants Break into roups to prepare an action plan for an effective implementation of procurement laws		
	Reception Celebration of th Anniversary of the yrgy State Committee on ublic rocurement and aterial Reserves		
May 24, Thursday (DAY 3) Chair: Tajik Republic			
FACILITATOR: RICHARD WESTIN			



Korea:

1. Mr. Min Hyung Jong, Director General, Public Procurement Service

2. Mr. Jong Yeul Kim, Information Planning Specialist, Public Procurement Service

Poland:

1. Mr. Bartosz Korkozowicz, Director of the Education and International Cooperation Department, Public Procurement Office

2. Mr. Dariusz Piasta, Advisor, Education and International Cooperation Department, Public Procurement Office

Donors:

1. Mr. Valeri D. Tian, Project Implementation Officer, ADB

2. Mr. Esen Turusbekov, Program Officer, DFID

3. Mr. Mambetkulov Kuban, Procurement Officer, UNDP CO, Head of Procurement Unit

4. Mr.

The World Bank:

Action Plan for 2007 – 2008 Third Central Asia Public Procurement Forum, Issyk Kul, May 22-24, 2007 Action Plan for 2007 – 2008

Actions areas