

Republic of Serbia

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

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In accordance with the Law on free access to information ("Official Gazette of RS", No. 120/04, 54/07, 104/09 and 36/10), on March 3, 2020 you addressed the Ministry of Finance with the request for free access to information of public importance, asking us to provide you with the following information:

- 1) How will the Ministry of Finance supervise the execution of public procurement contracts, in accordance with the provisions of the new Public Procurement Law?
- 2) Which organizational unit of the Ministry of Finance will be in charge of that and with what number of staff?
- 3) Is it planned to adopt a bylaw act that will regulate this procedure in more detail?
- 4) Will the Ministry of Finance supervise all or only certain public procurement contracts, and how will it select the contract whose execution is to be supervised?

Acting on your request, we inform you of the following:

The implementation of the Law on Public Procurement ("Official Gazette of the RS", No. 91/2019, hereinafter: the Law) shall begin on July 01, 2020. The provisions of Article 243 of the said Law provide that all bylaws for the implementation of the Law shall be adopted by the implementation date of this Law.

In this regard, the Ministry of Finance will, in a timely manner, before the implementation date of the Law, adopt all bylaws necessary for its implementation.

With kind regards,

Authorized person of the Ministry of Finance

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