

**Batumi Initiative on Green Economy (BIG-E)
Actions by Ukraine**

Country: Ukraine, The Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources of Ukraine

Title:

Roadmap for development of sustainable public procurement policy

Focus area 4: Change in consumer behaviour in favour of sustainable consumption patterns

Description of the action: New global 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development adopted by 193 UN member states at the UN Sustainable Development Summit, which was held within the framework of the 70th session of the UN General Assembly, assigns an important role to providing new growth dynamics of developing an inclusive transformation economy, based on the principles of sustainable consumption and production.

Sustainable public procurement was identified as one of the means to achieve sustainability and a key condition for the transition to a green economy.

It is necessary to identify the main tasks and measures for the introduction of sustainable public procurement in Ukraine.

Action's timeframe/milestones, as appropriate: The roadmap will have been developed by the end of 2017. The legislation will have been developed and adopted by the end of 2018.

The mechanism for the implementation of sustainable public procurement will have been formed by the first half of 2019

Type of action: Regulatory

Economic sectors: Economic Wide

Reference instruments and sources, as appropriate: EU Policy on Sustainable Public Procurement; Strategy of Ukraine's State Environmental Policy until 2020

10 YFP Sustainable Public Procurement Programme

Expected co-benefits and impact of the outcome: Ecological: reducing greenhouse gas emission, improving efficiency of energy and water resources consumption, supporting the process industries;

Social: poverty reduction, strengthening of justice, and improving respect for human rights;

Economic: expenses and prices reduction, spreading of skills and technologies.

SDGs target(s) that the action may contribute to implement: Goal 12 "Responsible Consumption and Production"

12.1. Reduce resource intensity of economy

Implementation of Environmental Performance Review (EPR) Recommendations, as appropriate: Strengthening national policies by creating mechanisms for inter-sectoral activities

Objectively verifiable indicators, as appropriate: Percentage of sustainable public procurements of the total volume, %

Partners: The Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine and other

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