



Investing in Quality Services

The Selection of Best Value in Public & Private Procurement of Cleaning Services

Launch Conference of the Best Value Guide

(Simultaneous translation will be provided from and to English, French, German, Spanish, Italian and Danish)

Wednesday 17th May 2017

Grand Auditorium, International Trade Union House, Brussels

Moderator: Alex Puissant, Journalist and Professional moderator

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| 09:00-9:30 | Welcoming participants –Registration |
| 9:30-10:00 | Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">• David Pascal Dion, Head of Unit A2, Social Dialogue, DG Employment and Social Affairs, European Commission• Yvan Fieremans, President, EFQI/FENI• Oliver Roethig, Regional Secretary, UNI Europa |
| 10:00- 10:30 | The 2014 Revision of the Directive 2014/24/EU on Public Procurement
Presentation by Anna Lupi , Legal and Policy Officer, Unit G1 Public Procurement Strategy, DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs, European Commission |
| 10:30-10:40 | Presentation of the Best Value Guide Video |
| 10:40 -11:00 | “Selecting Best Value”
A Guide for public and private organisations awarding contracts for cleaning services
Presentation by the Social Partners EFQI and UNI Europa
Natalie Swan (UNI Europa) & Mr Andreas Lill (EFQI) |
| 11:00 -11:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |

- 11:30 -12:30 **Panel 1: Focusing on the concept of “Best value”**
- What does Best Value mean for cleaning services stakeholders involved in public procurement?
- Participants:
- Albert Olives Estruch**, Responsible for the Area of Economic Analysis, General Directorate of Public Procurement, Government of Catalonia, Spain
- Lothar Wionzeck**, Specialised lawyer in procurement law, Consultant of the German cleaning association BIV
- Adriano Montorsi**, Trade Union FILCAMS-CGIL, Italy
- Linda Karlsson**, Trade Union FASTIGETS, Sweden
- 12:30-14:00 *Lunch*
- 14:00-15:00 **Panel 2: Understanding the realities of Best Value: A Case Study Approach**
- Special focus on the Banking sector**
- Participants:
- Maria Gil**, Chief Procurement Officer, Swedish Central Bank “Riksbank”, Sweden
- Miguel Gomes**, CEO of Serviclean, France
- José Vallejo Villa**, Trade Union Unite, Regional Officer for the City of London, UK
- Special focus on the Hospital sector**
- Participants:
- John Swords**, Head of Procurement, Health and Safety Executive, Ireland
- Salvatore Navarra**, CEO of PFE S.p.A and Vice-President of ANIP-Confindustria, Italy
- Dominique Fervaille**, Trade Union ACCG- FGTB, Belgium
- 15:00-16:00 **Panel 3: Promoting Best Value**
- How can we promote Best Value at a European and national level and ensure the Best Value Guide is used as a tool for cleaning services procurement?
- Participants:
- Gunther Weber**, Head of Building Cleaning and Facility Services, Federal Procurement Agency (BBG), Austria
- Eddy Stam**, UNI Global Union, Head of Department Property Services
- Joachim Borrás Ferré**, Honorary President, ISS Spain
- 16:00-16:30 Discussion and conclusion by the representatives of the Social Partners
- 16:30- 17:00 *Closures -Cocktail*