

## *Integrity in public expenditure:*

*- How does Romania use public money in the context of the current financial crisis? -*

Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> of October  
Hotel Athenee Palace Hilton  
Hall Regina Maria

### *Agenda*

Schedule	Topic	Speaker
09 <sup>00</sup> – 09 <sup>30</sup>	<i>Welcome</i>	
09 <sup>30</sup> – 09 <sup>45</sup>	<i>Opening</i>	<b>Iulia Coșpănar</b> , Deputy Director - Transparency International Romania <b>Debra Price</b> , Counsellor, Embassy of Canada (TBC)
09 <sup>45</sup> – 10 <sup>00</sup>	<i>The legal framework regulating public procurement and public spending in Romania</i>	<b>Ion Georgescu</b> , Expert on public procurement, Romanian Training Institute – IRT <b>Mihai Prisăcariu</b> , President, National Council for Settlement of Contestations - CNSC
10 <sup>00</sup> – 10 <sup>30</sup>	<b>DEBATES</b>	
10 <sup>30</sup> – 10 <sup>45</sup>	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
10 <sup>45</sup> – 11 <sup>15</sup>	<i>Actual Practices in the sphere of public procurement and spending. Risks and vulnerabilities</i>	<b>Cristian Pârvan</b> , Secretary General, Romanian Association of Businessmen– AOAR <b>Maria-Magdalena Manea</b> , Research – Transparency International Romania
11 <sup>10</sup> – 12 <sup>30</sup>	<b>DEBATES</b>	
12 <sup>30</sup> – 14 <sup>00</sup>	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
14 <sup>00</sup> – 14 <sup>30</sup>	<i>Prospects for the system of public contracting and spending in Romania</i>	<b>Marcela Rozo</b> , Senior Programme Coordinator on Public Contracting – Transparency International Secretariat
14 <sup>30</sup> – 15 <sup>40</sup>	<b>DEBATES</b>	
15 <sup>40</sup> – 16 <sup>00</sup>	<i>Conclusions</i>	