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Public Procurement Procedures: Inherent Problems in their Application

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ABSTRACT

Internationally, public procurement procedures are interesting, because they account an important part of the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of countries and are crucial for the economy. Procurements create business opportunities contribute to key public administration, economic development and job creation. A literature review over the last fifteen years was undergone and the progress in the thematic area was highlighted regarding the adoption of legislation, guidelines and standards, aiming in promoting fair competition, transparency, economic development, innovation, and reducing corruption, bureaucracy and high administrative burdens. Also problems encountered and processes of dealing with new and innovative areas to research are depicted and commented. Also, presented a primary effort surveying opinions of public and private sector executives, on key questions, taking into account common procurement's errors and problems, experience of executives and consultation of Law 4412 / 2016 on adaptation of new EU directives into national legislation. Conclusions and recommendations are presented that were shaped by the literature review and the field research. The main points are the inadequate planning, immaturity, fragmentation of public procurement items, the complexity of the legal framework, the difficult settlement of disputes and the lack of evaluation systems, and as a major issue, worldwide, is the corruption.

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