China International Public Procurement Forum 2022 Proposed Agenda

(Updated on 3 Aug 2022)

Day 1 Monday, Nov 7, 2022

Plenary meeting (Simultaneous interpretation service)

Venue: National Exhibition and Convention Center, Shanghai

Time	Event	
13:30 – 14:00	Registration	
14:00 – 14:20	Opening of the Forum ➤ Ministry of Finance (MOF) ➤ Shanghai Municipal People's Government ➤ World Trade Organization (WTO)	
14:20 – 15:20	Session I: Keynote Speech Introducing the organizations' core mandate, prioritized strategy, and plans, or existing initiatives/programs and efforts, to help fight against COVID-19 and boost the economic recovery through sustainable and green public procurement, in which the underlying opportunities may be brought to the enterprises, and advising enterprises on how to access this procurement market. Speakers: MDBs International organizations (including UN agencies) Foreign governments	
15:20 – 15:30	Coffee Break (Group Photo)	
15:30 – 16:20	International public procurement contributes to global cooperation against COVID-19. – Insights from the perspective of governments, international organizations, industries, and enterprises. During COVID-19, countries have seen rapid growth in the demand for medical supplies procurement, most of which is international public procurement (procurement from governments or public medical institutions). It is a test of the public procurement capacity of the importing countries and	

	calls for greater regulation and self-regulation in this sector. This panel discussion will be centered on how to give full play to the resources and strengths of all parties to contribute to international public procurement.
16:20 – 17:00	Session II: Invited Speech Sharing the organizations' prioritized strategy and plans in China, the existing efforts (especially those related to procurement) in the global response to COVID-19, as well as the underlying opportunities which may be brought to the enterprises in the future, and advising enterprises on how to access this market.
17:00 – 17:50	Interactions Challenges faced by enterprises in participating in the international public procurement market and the countermeasures. At present, Chinese enterprises are still facing many challenges in accessing the international public procurement market, such as insufficient self-capacity, unfamiliarity with policies and regulations, lack of customized supporting service chains (financing, logistics, etc.), short of resources for green procurement and lack of market channel information. This panel discussion will invite representatives of buyers and suppliers respectively, as well as representatives of enterprises that provide supporting services, to conduct in-depth discussions from their respective perspectives around the challenges faced by enterprises in the procurement process, and possible solutions.
17:50 – 18:00	Q&A Session
18:00 – 18:10	Wrap-up Treasury Department, MOF

Day 2 Tuesday, November 8, 2022 International Public Procurement Training Venue: Shanghai National Accounting Institute

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Time	Event
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8:40 – 9:40	Registration
9:00 – 9:15	Opening of the Training
9:15 – 11:45 Plenary meeting	Theme: Government Procurement Agreement (GPA) session
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 17:30	 ➤ Organizations Speakers: World Bank, Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB), New Development Bank (NDB), Asian Development Bank (ADB) ➤ Organizations Speakers: UNICEF, UNOPS
17:30 – 18:45	Dinner
19:00 – 20:30	Enterprise Experience Exchange and Sharing

A visit to the Exhibition Area of the Forum (for the representatives) Venue: Shanghai National Accounting Institute

Time	Event
14:00 – 16:00	The representatives will visit the Exhibition Area of the Forum, and
14:00 - 10:00	network with enterprises from different fields.

Day 3 Wednesday, November 9, 2022 Venue: Shanghai National Accounting Institute

Time	Event
8:40 – 9:40	Registration
9:00 – 9:15	Opening of the Training
9:15 – 9:45 Plenary meeting	Theme: The Underlying Opportunities FTA will Bring to Enterprises in Terms of International Public Procurement
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9:45 – 11:45	Training 2: Pharmaceutical and Medical Equipment Session
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch

One-on-one meetings (for procurement officials and invited suppliers)

Venue: Shanghai National Accounting Institute

Time	Event
9:30 – 11:30	The site will have booths of international multilateral financial institutions and international organizations. Each invited enterprise has 15-20 minutes to meet with procurement officials from different agencies.

A visit to the Exhibition Area of the Forum (for the representatives) Venue: Shanghai National Accounting Institute

Time	Event
9:30 – 11:30	The representatives will visit the Exhibition Area of the Forum, and
9.30 - 11.30	network with enterprises from different fields.