

NATIONAL LEAGUE
OF TRANSPORT BUSINESS

**ELECTRONIC PREPARATION
MINISTRY OF INFRASTRUCTURE OF UKRAINE
TO INTRODUCE E-DEMOCRACY**



WHY WE HELD EXPERTISE

Transparency of power –

is a key and obligatory condition for public participation in the formation and implementation of state policy.

The subject of expertise –

is compliance with the requirements of the legislation of the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine and observance of the rights to access public information in the form of open data.

The purpose of the examination –

is to create favorable conditions for the introduction of a new format for the electronic interaction of the transport community with the profile ministry on the principles of equal partnership.



METHOD RESEARCH



e-Democracy:

a form of social relations in which citizens and organizations are involved in state-building and public administration through the widespread use of information and communication technologies.



1 e-Transparency:

compliance of the content of the official website of the ministry with quantitative and qualitative legislative requirements to public information in the form of open data.



2 e-Openness:

conformity of the system of accounting of documents of the Ministry to the requirements of the legislation.



3 e-Interaction:

the effectiveness of the mechanisms of interaction between the ministry and the transport community.



CALCULATION INDICES e-READINESS

QUANTITATIVE CRITERIA

2 points	the norm of the law is fulfilled, the information is updated
1 point	the norm of the law is partially fulfilled/ or the information is not updated
0 points	the norm of the law is not fulfilled

QUALITY CRITERIA

1 point	Less than 10% of normalized metrics are published
10 points	published more than 90% of normalized indicators

72

the norm of the law

e-Openness

31

the norm of the law

e-Interaction

5

the norm of the law

e-Transparency

$$I_{\text{e-Openness}} = \frac{\text{main points}}{3 \times \text{max points}}$$

$$I_{\text{e-Interaction}} = \frac{\text{main points}}{3 \times \text{max points}}$$

$$I_{\text{e-Transparency}} = \frac{\text{main points}}{3 \times \text{max points}}$$

e-DEMOCRACY

$$I_{\text{e-Democracy}} = I_{\text{e-Openness}} + I_{\text{e-Interaction}} + I_{\text{e-Transparency}}$$



e-TRANSPARENCY

Possibility of public monitoring of the ministry's activities.

53 of 186 points

$I_{\text{e}} = 0.095$

PUBLISHED INFORMATION ON THE ACTIVITY OF THE MINISTRY ON A SEPARATE STATE WEB-PORTAL OF OPEN DATA



8%

of Procurement Plans



8%

Information on rental property
state property



39%

Information on tariffs
state stewards



40%

Performance Report
financial plans

MINISTRY SETS OPEN DATA

40% published

60% not published

Published website content is insufficient to monitor the ongoing ministry of the public, including published only 40% of open data sets, of which 72% is estimated users of the Unified State web portal of open data as substandard



e-OPENNESS

Possibility of public control over decisions of the ministry.

5 of 18 points

$I_{\text{e2}} = 0.093$

PUBLISHED ORDERS MINISTRY IN 2016



PUBLISHED PROJECTS OF PUNCHES MINISTRY IN 2016



The system of document registration introduced on the website does not provide effective public control over the decisions of the ministry, in particular 40-52% of orders are published, other types of decisions are not published on a systematic basis at all. The procedure for disclosure of documents on the website does not allow monitoring the justification, taking into account public opinion and the effectiveness of decisions taken by the ministry.



e-INTERACTION

Possibility of influence on the decisions of the ministry.

30 of 86 points

$I_{\text{EN}} = 0.116$



5%

of draft decisions are discussed
with the society



18%

of the draft regulatory acts contain a
regulatory impact analysis



32%

of regulatory acts are passed
tracking performance



78%

of participants of electronic consultations do not
agree with decisions of the ministry

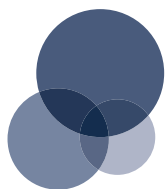


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of the electronic consultation reports published

- ✓ Proposals and remarks.
- ✓ Rejection Protocols of Proposals and Comments.
- ✓ Reports on the results of electronic consultations and public discussion.
- ✓ Reports on the results of public opinion polls.
- ✓ Expert suggestions on alternative issues
- ✓ Plans for measures to promote and implement expert proposals for public expertise.

The electronic interaction system introduced on the website does not provide for participation in public affairs management and public influence on the ministry's decisions, in particular, not all possible tools of e-democracy are used.



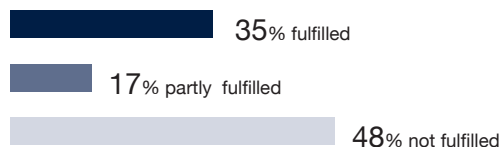
e-DEMOCRACY

Ministry's readiness for implementation of e-democracy.

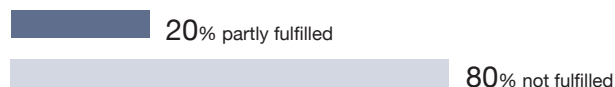
$I_e = 0.304$
at $I_{max} = 1$

NORMS OF THE LAW

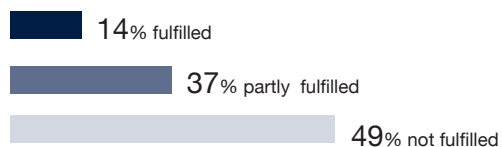
e-INTERACTION



e-OPENNESS



e-TRANSPARENCY



e-DEMOCRACY



The results of the public examination indicate that, despite the availability of the minimum necessary basis for the development of e-democracy on the official web-site of the ministry, the public does not influence the decision of the executive body. The main obstacle to the development of e-democracy is the formal approach and reluctance to cooperate with the public, an executive body that has the power to organize interaction with its own authority.



RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT e-DEMOCRACY IN MINISTRY



To publish on the Uniform State web portal of open data all sets of open data provided by the current legislation, in the format of the information systematized on a branch basis.



Publish a registration system on the website that contains information about all the documents that are in the ministry.



Ensure access to cases in accordance with the nomenclature of cases approved by the order of the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine dated 22.06.2017 № 223 (except for documents containing information with restricted access) through hyperlinks in the accounting system.



Create a working group of representatives of the ministry and organization to coordinate activities aimed at implementing expert proposals and enhancing the effectiveness of the ministry's activities to ensure transparency, openness and interaction with the public.



Implement a pilot project for a public e-platform public consultations.

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