

Top of the most transparent enterprises with public capital in Moldova: find out who the winners are

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Editorial-Polygraphic Enterprise "Stiinta", the state-owned enterprise "Radio-communications" and Easy Athletics Management are the most transparent enterprises with public capital in Moldova. At the opposite pole are the "Confercai", the Central Printing House and the State Station for testing cars. Transparency ranking of publicly owned enterprises in the Republic of Moldova, available on www.companies.viitorul.org was presented on May 28, during a video conference organized by the Institute for Development and Social Initiatives (IDIS) "Viitorul" and INEKO Slovakia.

For the calculation of the level of transparency the activity of 67 state-owned enterprises, municipal-owned enterprises and of whole and majority state-owned or municipal-owned enterprises of the Republic of Moldova in 2019 was monitored. State enterprises were assessed on the basis of six transparency criteria: economic indicators, transparency and access to information, public procurement and property, human resources, ethics and conflict of interest, grants and sponsorship. The maximum score for an enterprise is 100 points. **Thus, the most transparent enterprises are SoE Editorial-Polygraphic Enterprise "Stiinta" (44 points), the state-owned enterprise "Radio-communications" (43 points) and SoE "Easy Athletics Management" (40 points).** [According to the second monitoring report on transparency of enterprises with public capital](#), signed by Viorel Pirvan, the general average transparency of state enterprises, municipal enterprises and companies with full or majority state or municipal capital in the Republic of Moldova is 17.9%.

Also, during the video conference, PhD in Economics, Mihail Manoli highlighted the most transparent companies taking into account their financial sustainability. According to [his analysis](#), publicly owned enterprises lack transparency and efficient management, complemented by the influence of the political factor. And Transparency International's expert from Slovakia, Michal Pisko, shared his experience on ranking the transparency of state and municipal companies in his country.

The video conference presenting the ranking can be viewed here: ["Transparency of publicly owned enterprises in Moldova: between efficiency, reforms and financial independence"](#) * We recommend you watch the video in 1080p (HD) quality. The video has the following presentations: • (min 00:05) Greetings from Liubomir Chiriac, Executive Director of IDIS "Viitorul" and Peter Golias, INEKO Director; • (min 14:17) Transparency of publicly owned enterprises in the Republic of Moldova: between progress and inherited arrears (Viorel Pîrvan - legal expert); • (min 35:21) Financial sustainability of publicly owned enterprises in the Republic of Moldova: findings and trends (Mihail Manoli - PhD in economics) and • (min 47:12) Good practices on the transparency of state-owned enterprises in Slovakia, presented by Michal Pisko, Project coordinator at Transparency International Slovakia.

The entire news can be found here: [Top of the most transparent enterprises with public capital in Moldova: Editorial-Polygraphic Enterprise "Stiinta", Easy Athletics Management and Radiocommunications, first in the ranking](#)

IDIS "Viitorul" invites all interested parties to participate in a question and answer session on the transparency and financial sustainability of publicly owned enterprises in Moldova. The session

will take place on Tuesday, June 2, at 14.00, through the Zoom.us. application. With more details we will come back in a separate message.

Top of the most transparent state-owned enterprises in the Republic of Moldova can be found on the open data portal www.companies.viitorul.org

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The event is held within the initiative "[Supporting democracy, independence and transparency of key public institutions in Moldova](#)". The initiative is implemented by the Institute for Development and Social Initiatives (IDIS) "Viitorul", in partnership with the Institute for Economic and Social Reforms in Slovakia (INEKO) and is financially supported by the Official Development Assistance Program of the Slovak Republic (SlovakAid). The initiative aims to inform the public about the development of democracy and the independence of key state institutions, as well as to improve the transparency and financial stability of local public authorities and state-owned enterprises in the Republic of Moldova.

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