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**TI BiH is organizing „Open Government Café“**

**Sarajevo, 25th February 2017** –Transparency International in Bosnia and Herzegovina (TI BiH) in cooperation with the coalition of NGOs, and within the Open Government Partnership Initiative, is organizing „Open Government Café“.

The main objective of Open Government Café is to present the advantages provided by the OGP Initiative through the presentation of all activities related to the proactive transparency undertaken by the institutions of the Federation of BiH so far. This will be the opportunity to talk about mechanisms for the improvement of communication with interest groups and citizens in order to open the government, and thus strengthen the transparency and accountability in the work of public administration as one of the proclaimed principles of the Reform Agenda for BiH 2015-2018.

The concept of Open Government Café will have a unique way of presenting different types of cooperation between the civil society and public sector using 4 separate podiums: open data, social networks, proactive transparency and Open Government Partnership. This event will be a good opportunity to gather representatives of BiH institutions, civil society, young innovators who will present ideas to use the most valuable potential today – data, and how to provide better communication with the interest groups through the digital media, resource that is available almost free of charge. Concept of transparent and open government will be supported by the Prime Minister of the Federation of BiH, Mr Fadil Novalic, who will give the introductory speech and thus mark the beginning of work of Open Government Caféa.

This event will take place **on Monday, 27th February 2017, at the Hotel Bristol (Fra Filipa Lastrica 2, Sarajevo), at 10.00h**. Press conference will be held **after the introductory speeches**.

**Agenda**

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| 10:00 | **Introductory speeches**   * **Lejla Ibranović,** Executive Director of Transparency International in BiH * **Fadil Novalić**, Prime Minister of the Federation of BiH * **Emir Kremić**, Director of the Federal Office of Statistics |

**\*\*\* OPEN GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIP AND BIH**

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| 10:20 – 11:30 | **BiH membership within the OGP Initiative and further steps**   * **Vildan Hadžihasanović,** BiH Ministry of Justice * **Vedrana Faladžić,** Public Administration Reform Coordinator's Office |
| 10:50 – 11.00 | Questions |
| 11:00 – 11:20 | **Principles of participation in the OGP and fiscal transparency (the best practices)**   * **Zoran Ivančić,** Foundation CPI (Center for Public Interest Advocacy) |
| 11:20 – 11:30 | Questions  Moderator: **Elvira Mujkić,** Transparency International BiH |

**\*\*\* SOCIAL NETWORKS**

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| 10:20 – 11:00 | **Social networks and public sector**   * **Feđa Kulenović**, Associate of Transparency International BiH |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | Questions |

\*\*\* **PROACTIVE TRANSPARENCY**

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| 10:30 – 11:00 | **Proactive transparency and improvement of communication with the users from our point of view**   * **Majda Mušić**, Federal Office of Statistics |
| 11:00 – 11:10 | Questions |

**\*\*\* OPEN DATA**

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| Short presentations of the conceptual solutions (projects) regarding the use of open data in BiH. | |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | **Dream Green Machine Team -** Cities of Tomorrow |
| 10:45 – 10:55 | Questions/discussion |
| 10:55 – 11:10 | **Belaj.ba** - Cities of Tomorrow |
| 11:10 – 11:20 | Questions/discussion |
| 11:20 – 11:35 | **TramTeam** - Cities of Tomorrow |
| 11:35 – 11:45 | Questions/discussion |