### INTERNATIONAL GREEN PURCHASING NETWORK

## Call for Submissions of Good Practices for Environmentally Friendly Products/Services and Green Purchasing

The International Green Purchasing Network invites you to share your experience and examples to help identify lessons learned and good practices on the synergized between environment friendly products/services and green purchasing including those implemented through labels or purchasing network in your country or area.

Taking stock of existing experiences and lessons learnt on how to improve green purchasing powerful way to stimulate environmentally friendly products/services to adopt, adapt and scale up proven and effective practices thus in turn stimulate the sustainable consumption and production regionally.

The practices will be collected and analyzed, aiming to identify the gaps, needs and realities, the characters of difference green purchasing stage, comparison on each stage and summarize progress, challenge and way forward. The results of this exercise will be compiled and edited by the IGPN Secretariat and opened on line by the IGPN website or the UNEP One Planet network SPP program website.

A selection of the submitted experiences and examples will be compiled in a background document for discussion.

In the selection process, we will consider typical and diversity in terms of geography, actors and perspectives, hot environmental topic such as plastic pollution, biodiversity and resources efficiency issues are addressed. We will also consider the innovation of environmentally friendly products, services or business mode of green purchasing, such as green financing; we will also consider the lessons learnt in terms of their relevance for policy making or green purchasing implementation. Examples submitted by GPNs are highly encouraged.

To make your contributions as relevant as possible, we would like to invite you to provide any practices which promote the development of environmentally friendly products/service and green purchasing including but not limit to the new criteria, guideline, method, stakeholder meeting, or initiatives in late 1-2 years which focus on:

- Environmentally friendly products/services: ecolabels, green labels or sustainable labels etc.;
- Innovation practice in: business mode; networking operation; green finance etc.;

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Green purchasing in: policy, action plan or implementation etc.

The timeline will be as follows:

- Submissions: 30th November, 2020.
- Compiled for discussion: 31st January, 2021.
- Report and Publish on IGPN website: 31st March,2021

Please use the submission template to share your examples and experiences.

You can upload the completed form below or send it via email to <a href="mailto:igpn.secretariat@igpn.org">igpn.secretariat@igpn.org</a>.

Annex: submission template



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#### **Template for submissions**

(Approximately in 3 pages for each in total)

- 1. Name
- 2. Back Ground
- 3. Develop approach
- 4. Approach results/Outcomes
- 5. Experience or Lesson learnt
- 6. Key challenge
- 7. Way forward
- 8. Organization Name
- 9. Contact detail

(Please provide the available link or website of cases)