

# CONVENTION INTERNAZIONALE SUGLI APPALTI PUBBLICI

## INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

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## Importance of Digitalisation

Fundamental role in increasing the efficiency of the public procurement market by:

- ✓ fostering **awareness** of procurement processes, opening up competition;
- ✓ allowing for greater **simplification** and shorter procurement process procedures;
- ✓ improving **transparency** and **confidence** in the public procurement market.

## Digitalisation and the NRRP

- ✓ Digitalisation of Public Administration is **one of the goals of the National Recovery and Resilience Plan** – Axes 1 Mission 1 Component 1 (allocates € 6,4 billion);
- ✓ This goal can be achieved through the full sharing of the benefits of innovative change (public administration, economic operators, general public);
- ✓ Need for an adequate regulatory system and the implementation of appropriate planning.

## Italian Code of Public Contracts

Legislative decree No. 36 of 31 March 2023 provides for:

- ✓ Digitalisation of the **entire lifecycle of contracts**;
- ✓ **Once-only** submission of data to a single IT system;
- ✓ Expansion of the National Public Contracts Database (**BDNCP**);
- ✓ Verification of the exclusion grounds and selection criteria through the Economic Operator Virtual Dossier (**FVOE**);
- ✓ Management of all phases of the contract lifecycle through **interoperable digital platforms and services**.

## Interoperable digital platforms and services

Permit:

- ✓ Drafting or acquisition of documents in **native digital format**;
- ✓ **Publication** and sending of data and procurement documents to the BDNCP;
- ✓ **Electronic access** to the tender documents;
- ✓ Presentation of the **ESPD** (European Single Procurement Document) in digital format;
- ✓ **Interoperability with FVOE**.



## Interoperable digital platforms and services

Facilitate:

- ✓ **Submission** of tenders;
- ✓ **Digital management and archiving** of tender documents;
- ✓ **Technical, accounting and administrative control** during the performance of the contract;
- ✓ Management of **guarantees**.

## Key Results

- ✓ Collection of all data related to public contracts in a **single database**;
- ✓ **Reduction of administrative burdens** for contracting authorities due to use of interoperable digital platforms;
- ✓ **Shorter and faster** procurement processes;
- ✓ **Lower risk of mistakes and false declarations** in the tender procedures due to possibility to verify the exclusion grounds and selection criteria through one unique system.

## Additional benefits

- ✓ Reduction of administrative burdens relating to the transparency of procurement processes;
- ✓ **Compliance with deadlines** for completing the procedures set by the law;
- ✓ More **transparent** procurement activities **open to scrutiny** by auditors and citizens **in real time** to monitor spending and prevent cost inefficiencies and corruption;
- ✓ Alignment with the principles of the Code of Public Contracts.



# The Qualification System

## Regulatory References:

- Articles 62 and 63 of Legislative Decree 36/2023
- Annex II.4 to Legislative Decree 36/2023
- General Act of July 2, 2025
- Regulation on the qualification of contracting stations (Deliberation No. 334/2025)

The Qualification System represents a true **accreditation** that **certifies the organizational, technical, and professional capacity** of contracting authorities

# Objective

- **Reduction of fragmentation** of contracting stations
- More **competence** and greater **efficiency** in public procurement
- **Professionalization**

Qualification is **mandatory** for contracting stations managing contracts for:

- Works exceeding €500,000
- Services or supplies exceeding €140,000

Since July 1, 2023, qualification is essential for the **phases of awarding and design**. Since January 1, 2025, qualification is also required for the **execution phase**.

**Unqualified** contracting authorities shall be required to rely on qualified central purchasing bodies or entities for the purpose of initiating above-threshold procurement procedures or managing the performance of contract

### Qualification ex **art. 63, paragraph 13**:

- Extraordinary nature
- Formation of new entities
- Mergers or aggregations of existing entities
- Significant reorganizations
- Objectively documented exceptional circumstances

Objective: allow contracting stations **to acquire** the technical and organizational capacity needed under qualification rules

Duration: 12 months

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION**

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