# North Macedonia's Red Flag System — the Public Procurement Bureau's Algorithmic Early Warning on the National e-Procurement Platform

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Quality score: 60/100

Evidence strength: Moderate


### *Summary*

Since December 2019 North Macedonia's Public Procurement Bureau runs 24 rule-based red-flag tools on its national e-procurement system. Of 40 procedures flagged as high-risk from January 2023, nearly 90% were terminated, per a World Bank-co-authored account.


### *Key dimensions*

| Dimension | Score |
|---|---|
| Evidence of impact / measured public value | 2/3 |
| Transparency, fairness & accountability | 2/3 |
| Transferability / demonstrated replication | 1/3 |
| Scalability beyond pilot | 2/3 |
| Governance, capability & sustainability | 2/3 |

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### *Data sources*

C-NAPSE web research — accessed 2026-11-23

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