

Sofia and the Eurocities Algorithmic Transparency Standard — A Shared Register Schema Still Awaiting Local Publication

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Bulgaria

Quality score: 53/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Sofia joined six other EU cities in the Eurocities Digital Forum Lab to co-publish, on 19 January 2023, an open-source algorithm-register standard modelled on Amsterdam and Helsinki's pioneering registers — though Sofia has not yet published a live public register using it.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	0/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	3/3
Scalability beyond pilot	1/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

[Sofia Municipality / Eurocities Digital Forum Lab](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

[Eurocities — Nine cities set standards for the transparent use of artificial intelligence](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

[Cities for Digital Rights — 9 European cities set a common data algorithm register standard](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

[Algorithm Register — Algorithmic Transparency Standard](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

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