Factsheet Lithuania

Main interoperability activities

In the beginning of 2012 (07/02/2012), by the Government decree No 171¹, Lithuania approved the Public Governance Development Programme 2012-2020 (PGDP). One of the tasks of this programme under the eGovernment area is the creation of a national interoperability framework (NIF). The framework will use the European Interoperability Strategy (EIS) and the European Interoperability Framework (EIF) as their guidelines. It has not been communicated by when the NIF would be ready.

Lithuania has recently (by the end of 2011) adopted the Law of Management of Government Information Resources. The law aims to ensure adequate public information resources development, management, administration, use, maintenance, interoperability, planning, financing and safety.

Summary of the NIF

No NIF has been developed yet for Lithuania.

Alignment NIF/EIF

Currently Lithuania has no NIF yet. Lithuania has concrete plans to develop a NIF for which the EIS and EIF will be used as guidelines. The NIF/EIF alignment will be made after the formal publication of the Lithuanian NIF.

Other initiatives on interoperability

Lithuanian Information system for interoperability between public administration information systems (VAIISIS)²: The VAIISIS is a central portal which facilitates the offering of services to citizens and legal bodies from different public administrations. The strength of this platform is that it provides a single interface for the data exchange between the base registries and the information systems. Currently the portal is being updating.

Squeikumo portalas³: A website where all information concerning Interoperability is grouped, but it is expected to be improved. This website explains a.o. what interoperability is, what the current projects are and contains links to initiatives in other countries, including the ISA programme.

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¹ http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.showdoc | 1?p id=432505

² http://www.epaslaugos.lt

³ http://saveikumas.gov.lt