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Professional Profile:

A widely experienced positive professional with 40 years service in the UK Government, following an initial industrial grounding with full hands on approach. Strong interpersonal skills with a large network of EU and international contacts. Broad negotiating skills gleaned both in the UK and overseas. Strong presentational skills and the ability to respond to the audience's needs.

Career Summary:

1970 - 1973: Managed small industrial plant for the semi-manufacture of PVC in Yorkshire, This included: staff management/shop floor overseeing; marketing and accounts.

1973 - 2013: Civil Servant in UK Government Departments, including DTI (now BIS); Treasury and Cabinet Office. Duties included:

- Personal Secretary in Minister's Private Office;

- Managing the administration of financial support for innovative industrial projects;

- Senior management trainer covering all aspects of staff training across the whole of the DTI;

- Managing UK "Solvit" team dealing with EU procurement remedies;

- 12 years as procurement policy advisor covering EU and international procurement.

Specific Procurement Responsibilities:

- UK delegate for the GPA and UNCITRAL;

- Represented UK at Working Groups in Brussels on drafting the EU procurement directives and EU proposals, such as the current International Procurement Instrument;

- Represented UK at OECD negotiations on integrity in public procurement;

- Made many presentations in the UK and overseas, in particular, on assisting accession countries interested in joining the GPA.