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BEARR News

BEARR Trust 25th Anniversary Conference: “25 Years On: the development of health and welfare NGOs in the BEARR region”. Report available shortly.

<http://www.bearr.org/annual-conference-2016-11-november/>

25th Anniversary edition of the BEARR Newsletter, September 2016

http://www.bearr.org/pdfs/web_Bearnews_no67_2016.pdf

“IDPs: Integration or Differentiation?” BEARR/UCU conference in Lviv, 12-13 May
Report at <http://www.bearr.org/conference-in-lviv/>

“25 years on: the Rule of Law in Russia and the Republics”, anniversary lecture by Prof Bill Bowring. Report at <http://www.bearr.org/the-bearr-trust-annual-lecture-2016/>

News from the Region

Community forum discusses need for resource centres for SONGOs

<http://www.bearr.org/forum-discusses-need-for-resource-centres-for-songos/>

Synod department for charity published fund-raising manual for charities

<http://www.bearr.org/synod-publishes-fund-raising-manual-for-charities/>

Russian government approves list of public services that NGOs can provide

<http://www.bearr.org/russian-government-lists-services-open-to-ngo-provision/>

Russians donated 143 billion roubles to NGOs in 2016

<http://www.bearr.org/russians-donated-143-bn-roubles-to-ngos-in-2016/>

HRC proposes minimum benefits for foster families

<http://www.bearr.org/minimum-benefits-proposed-for-foster-families/>

Russia rises slightly in the World Giving Index

<http://www.bearr.org/russia-rises-slightly-in-the-world-giving-index/>

Possible replacement of law on public associations with one on citizens' associations

<http://www.bearr.org/possible-replacement-of-russian-law-on-public-associations-with-one-on-citizens-associations/>

Public Chamber discusses non-payment of child support

<http://www.bearr.org/public-chamber-discusses-non-payment-of-child-support/>

Russia to create a map of crisis centres for women

<http://www.bearr.org/russia-to-create-a-map-of-crisis-centres-for-women/>

Research into adaptation of orphans leaving Russian children's homes

<http://www.bearr.org/research-on-orphans-leaving-russian-children-s-homes/>

Ministry of Justice to prepare register of NGOs providing useful social services

<http://www.bearr.org/moj-drafting-register-of-ngos-providing-useful-social/>

Russian authorities instructed to facilitate NGOs' access to social services market

<http://www.bearr.org/russian-authorities-instructed-to-open-access-for-ngos-to-service-provision/>

NGOs discuss improving situation and care of older people

<http://www.bearr.org/ngos-discuss-improving-care-for-older-people/>

AIDS Centre wins Made in Russia prize

<http://www.bearr.org/aids-centre-wins-made-in-russia-prize/>

Sales outlet for goods from social entrepreneurs opened at Planeta.ru

<http://www.bearr.org/shop-for-social-entrepreneurs-at-planeta-ru/>

Film festival in Moscow in November features people with disabilities

<http://www.bearr.org/disability-film-festival-in-moscow-in-november/>

Book on new ways of financing social projects published in Moscow

<http://www.bearr.org/book-on-financing-of-social-projects-published-in-moscow/>

MoJ intends to change regulations governing the activities of NCOs

<http://www.bearr.org/moj-to-change-rules-on-controlf-ncos/>

Institute issues report on "Slave-like Conditions of Russian Prisoners"

<http://www.bearr.org/institute-reports-on-situation-of-russian-prisoners/>

Public Chamber gives initial results of first inspections of children's orphanages

<http://www.bearr.org/first-inspections-of-russian-orphanages-results/>

Anna Kuznetsova appointed Russia's federal Children's Ombudsman

<http://www.bearr.org/new-federal-children-s-ombudsman-anna-kuznetsova/>

Grants and Competitions

Prize for independent social initiatives in Russian-American cooperation. Deadline:

29 November. <http://www.bearr.org/russian-american-independent-professionals/>

USAID grants for new businesses for people with special needs in Ukraine.

Deadline: 30 December. <http://gurt.org.ua/news/grants/32492/>

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