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BA-Sarajevo: IPA — strengthening public financial management in Bosnia and Herzegovina

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Location: Europe (non-EU) — Bosnia and Herzegovina

Contract forecast notice

Services

Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

Main object:

71356200 Technical assistance services

1. **Publication reference:**
EuropeAid/131355/C/SER/BA.
2. **Procedure:**
Restricted.
3. **Programme:**
IPA.
4. **Financing:**
Budget line.
5. **Contracting authority:**
European Union, represented by the European Commission, on behalf of and for the account of the beneficiary countries, Sarajevo, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA.
6. **Nature of contract:**
Fee-based.
7. **Contract description:**
Technical assistance will be provided to the Ministries of Finance of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republika Srpska and the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina in order to assist them in strengthening the effectiveness, efficiency and equity of public expenditure management, promote more efficient and effective use of government resources, and to strengthen internal controls by managers at all public sector levels.
8. **Numbers and titles of lots:**
The contract is divided into lots:
No, 1 lot only.
9. **Budget:**
Maximum budget: 2 000 000 EUR.
10. **Intended timing of publication of procurement notice:**
May 2011.
11. **Additional information:**
Not applicable.
12. **Legal basis:**
Council Regulation (EC) No 1085/2006 establishing an instrument for pre-accession assistance (IPA).

13. **Date of dispatch of this notice:**
18.4.2011.

Remarks:

There must be a minimum period of 30 calendar days between the publication of this contract forecast and the publication of the corresponding procurement notice.

No applications or requests for information should be sent at this stage.