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**BA-Sarajevo: IPA — support to coordination and implementation
of public administration reform (PAR) in Bosnia and Herzegovina
2012/S 60-096513**

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/132748/C/SER/BA.
2. **Procedure:**
Restricted.
3. **Programme:**
IPA.
4. **Financing:**
Financing agreement.
5. **Contracting authority:**
European Union, represented by the European Commission, on behalf of and for the account of the beneficiary country, Sarajevo, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA.
6. **Nature of contract:**
Fee-based.
7. **Contract description:**
The purpose of the contract is to provide technical assistance to strengthen the State's, entities' and Brcko district's capacities for coordination, management and supervision of implementation of the public administration reform strategy and action plan.
The main beneficiaries are the PAR Coordinator's Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina, PAR coordinators of the entities and Brcko district and the members of the implementing structure for PAR strategy action plan implementation, members of the working group for sectoral reforms and other actors in the coordination/ implementation structure for action plan 2. The PAR Coordinator's Office is coordinating a formal intergovernmental structure established for the implementation of PAR in Bosnia and Herzegovina, at the managerial (PAR coordinators) and the implementation (supervisory teams, working groups, etc.) levels. Indirect project beneficiaries are managerial and other civil servants from institutions that are identified as bearers of activities in the revised action plan 1 and action plan 2.
The project entails 2 components, or areas of intervention. The first is about strengthening horizontal capacities of administration and the second deals with vertical ones. 2 main segments of intervention and project activities are the establishment and development of the system for coordination, planning, implementation and monitoring

of PAR and the capacity building of the actors included in coordination, planning, monitoring and implementation of the PAR strategy.

8. **Numbers and titles of lots:**

The contract is divided into lots:

No, 1 lot only.

9. **Budget:**

Maximum budget: 500 000 EUR.

10. **Intended timing of publication of procurement notice:**

June 2012.

11. **Additional information**

12. **Legal basis:**

Council Regulation (EC) No 1085/2006 establishing an Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA).

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

12.3.2012.

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.