SERVICE PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE

Education for Employment Bosnia and Herzegovina

1. Publication reference

EuropeAid/139293/DH/SER/BA

2. Procedure

Restricted

3. Programme title

IPA 2016- Support to Employability

4. Financing

BGUE-B2017-22.020102-C8-NEAR DELBIH

5. Contracting Authority

European Union, represented by the European Commission on behalf of and for the account of Bosnia and Herzegovina

6. Nature of contract

Fee-based

7. Contract description

The contract will improve the quality and effectiveness of labour market institutions and improve the link between education systems and the labour market needs. Responsiveness of the education systems to labour market demands in BiH will be enhanced and human capacity of the education sector will be enhanced.

8. Indicative budget

EUR 3 000 000

9. Intended timing of publication of the contract notice

February 2018

10. Additional information

n/a

11. Legal basis

Regulation (EU) N°236/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 laying down common rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for financing external action, and

Regulation (EU) N°231/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing an Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II).

Remarks:

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

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