

INDIVIDUAL SERVICE CONTRACT FORECAST

Technical Assistance to the Transport Operating Structure for management of the Operational Programme and implementation of projects Republic of Croatia

1. Publication reference

EuropeAid/128331/D/SER/HR

2. Procedure

Restricted

3. Programme

IPA 2007

4. Financing

IPA 2007 HR 16 I PO 002 Transport Operational Programme 2007-2009 for Community Assistance under the IPA Regional Development Component in Croatia

5. Contracting Authority

Central Finance and Contracting Agency

6. Nature of contract

Fee-based

7. Contract description

This project will provide technical assistance to the Operational Structure bodies in carrying out their tasks envisaged under IPA Implementing Regulation and Manuals of procedures related to implementation of projects in the period 2010-2011. The provision of technical assistance shall be related to financial management, reporting to the various stakeholders, preparation of monitoring sheets, monitoring of programme outputs and results, annual implementation reports, work plan preparation, carrying out on-the-spot check controls including risk assessment, managing irregularities, managing "N+3" rule and other procedures and tasks as defined in relevant Manual of procedures for IPA programme.

8. Indicative budget

EUR 370.000

9. Intended timing of publication of the procurement notice

June 2009

10. Additional information

n/a

11. Legal basis

EC Council Regulation No 1085/2006 of 17 July 2006 establishing an Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA)

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.