

Business-Related Infrastructure Grant Scheme

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

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NOTE: The decision concerning eligibility of an applicant, a partner, an action or specific activities will be brought by the Evaluation Committee during the process of Evaluation of applications (subject to approval of the CFCA and ex-ante control of EC Delegation).

NOTE: Questions may be sent by e-mail or by fax no later than 21 days before the each deadline for the submission of applications (11/08/2009).

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List of Abbreviations:

CFCA – Central Finance and Contracting Agency

GfA – Guidelines for Applicants

no.	QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
1.	1.1. When are we supposed to enclose location permit and building permit/or request for its issuing. Is it: - September 1, 2009 (delivery of the documents) or - after we shall have been provisionally selected and duly informed about it or - upon evaluation of the Concept Notes	1.1. As stated in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.4 only the applicants who have been provisionally selected or listed under the reserve list (and informed about that in writing by the Contracting Authority) will have to submit mentioned documents under the Step 4: Verification of eligibility of the applicant and partners, of the evaluation. According to the Indicative time table published in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.5.2, Step 4 should begin in January 2010. Please note that this date is only provisional.

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	<p>We did not understand from the Guidelines when it should be.</p> <p>1.2. In the case of our city most of the municipal books were lost or damaged during the war. Therefore we kindly ask you will it be enough to submit a confirmation issued by the County telling that the buildings used to have location and building permits and this confirmation substitutes the original documents?</p>	<p>In case a permit has not been issued by the time supporting documents are requested, the applicant has to present to the CFCA the confirmation of its request to the authority responsible for issuing the permit. In any case, the permit(s) will have to be presented at the latest 3 days after the applicant has been notified by the CFCA on the positive outcome of the verification of the eligibility.</p> <p>1.2. According to the national law building and location permits expire two years after the issuance, therefore new permits must be obtained and submitted.</p>
2.	<p>Related to the feasibility study:</p> <p>2.1. Should we adopt the pattern presented at Anex J to carry out the feasibility study?</p> <p>2.2. Regarding chapter 2.4.1. total investment costs - should we include the formerly paid costs, or just the future cost related to the grant scheme?</p>	<p>2.1. As it is stated in point 2.2.1 of the Guidelines for Applicants (footnote 12) as there is no obligatory template for the CBA and the FS the “Guide to cost-benefit analysis of investment projects” can be used. The guide is available on the following address: http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/sources/docgener/guides/cost/guide2008_en.pdf.</p> <p>2.2. Both, former and future costs could be included but please note that only the costs incurred during the project implementation (after the potential contract signature) are eligible and could be included in the project budget.</p>
3.	<p>3.1. Is it possible to receive funds through this project for preparation of the project documentation such as Feasibility study, budget and CBA which need to be submitted when applying for grant and then apply project to the 2nd Call for proposals as at the moment we do not have a.m. documents to apply to this Call for proposals?</p>	<p>3.1. Please note that the global objective of this Call for Proposals is to support the SMEs growth and job creation in Croatia’s lagging behind regions. Projects that will be financed under this grant scheme must all contribute to the achievement of this objective. Please consult Guidelines for applicants for further information regarding the objectives and eligible activities. Only actions such as development of new and existing business-related infrastructure of existing business zones and new and existing business incubators and other business support entities grouping and servicing SMEs, development of and upgrading public tourism-related infrastructure appropriate to the health, culture and activity tourism which include provision of support services designed to maximize the benefit of the investment are eligible.</p> <p>The assistance for preparation of project application is not envisaged through this scheme but rather through other projects, therefore please check CFCA's web site regularly in order to find more information on such possibilities.</p>

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4.	<p>4.1. The total investment costs of the project are 2,6 mil EURO and the grant awarded stipulates maximum contribution of 1 mil EURO which should be 75 % of the total eligible costs as a maximum, or 60 % as a minimum of the total eligible costs. Since in our project 60 % would be 1,56, and 75 % would be 1,95 mil EURO results that both amounts exceed the limit set by the grant scheme. Should we in our project present the real total costs eligible or should we take only the part of the costs that fits into this proportion? Which method is correct? Risk: without spending the total amount of 2,6 mil EURO the project is not complete and does not generate revenues. Shall the Contracting Authority reject the application due to these reasons?</p> <p>4.2. Our second concern is : should we in Feasibility Study/Cost Benefit analysis include the declared total investment costs even though we are unable to apply for the grant scheme funding since it exceeds the limits? Is the correct solution: - in FS/CBA declare total investment costs, - in application form apply only for appropriate grant contribution as stipulated in the Guidelines, page 5, chapter 1.3.</p>	<p>4.1. Please note that limits regarding the size of grant mentioned under point 1.3 of the Guidelines for Applicants must be respected.</p> <p>It is possible to apply only part of the project in order to be within the financial limits. In the case that an action for which EC funding is requested is only a part of a larger project, the action itself has to be designed as a stand alone project (must constitute a whole), with its own methodology and results.</p> <p>4.2. In case you decide to apply with a project that is a part of a larger project - which is within the financial limits stipulated under point 1.3 of the Guidelines for Applicants – and is designated as a stand alone project (see answer under 4.1), the whole investment costs could be presented in FS/CBA but it should be visible from the FS and CBA which costs apply specifically on that part of the project. The amount requested in the Application form must be within the limits set up in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 1.3.</p>
5.	<p>5.1. Would you please explain us how to calculate conversion factor in Economic analysis?</p>	<p>5.1. During the project implementation exchange rate published on the InforEuro http://ec.europa.eu/budget/inforeuro/index.cfm?fuseaction=currency_historique&currency=86&Language=en web site will be applied. At this moment you can use exchange rate published on the a.m. web site or any other exchange rate.</p>
6.	<p>6.1. What does it mean <i>"In this respect, the detailed description of activities must not repeat the action plan to be provided in section 1.9 below"</i>? How do we not mention the activities taken in the action plan? What is the topic of action plan, if</p>	<p>6.1. Under point 1.7 detail elaboration of the project activities is required while under point 1.9 only the title of the activities, duration and implementing body must be specified. All activities mentioned under point 1.9 must be mentioned under point 1.7.</p>

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	not activities?	
7.	<p>7.1. I would like to ask you the following clarification with reference to the Guidelines for Applicants, pg. 10, point 2.1.4 “Eligibility of costs”.</p> <p>We are an Italian Public Research Organization, which is only partly funded by the regional and national government (partly on a competitive basis) and partly by EU-funds won on a competitive basis.</p> <p>Since the technical assistance and training activities in which we would be involved in the EuropeAid above mentioned project imply the involvement of several employees and consist mainly of staff costs, we were wondering if such costs could be higher than the expected 25% co-financing paid by the partners from (own) sources other than IPA.</p> <p>Therefore we would be grateful if you could explain exactly what you mean with the following sentence: “Please note that the salaries of current employees that will be engaged on the project by the applicant or partner being any institution that is continuously financed at any part from the local/state level budget, will only be accepted as eligible and considered as co-financing up to the level of co-financing paid from the Beneficiary or its partners or other donors from sources other than IPA”.</p>	<p>7.1. The cited paragraph relates to the cost of internal staff of the applicants and/or partners. Technical assistance and training activities can be carried out by external experts, whose fees are not considered salaries of current employees. Minimum co-financing paid by the applicants’ and/or partners’ own resources is 25% and maximum is 40%.</p>

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8.	<p>8.1. Could you be so kind to send us answer do you know when is the next tender Business related infrastructure grant scheme? After this with deadline of 01.09.2009. is there any information about the same tender next year?</p>	<p>8.1. Please note that information regarding the 2nd Call for proposals for Business related infrastructure is published on CFCA's web site under Annual Work Programme for Grants for the year of 2009 - IPA IIIc: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/224/godisnji-plan-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-unutar-programa-ipa-iiic-za-2009-godinu. Next Call for proposals is planned to be published in the first quarter of 2010.</p>
9.	<p>9.1. I own a piece of land in an undeveloped part of the Bilogorsko Podravska county (old rural estate) situated in a very interesting location, ideal for tourism, golf courts or youth camps. I would like to know if IPA IIIc programme supports this type of projects and where detailed information regarding necessary documents could be found.</p> <p>9.2. Another idea for the project is the development of a Rehabilitation camp for drug addicts.</p>	<p>9.1. It is not clear from your question in which County the estate you are referring to is located. Please note that the action must take place in one or more of the ten Counties mentioned in the Guidelines for Applicants and designated as lagging behind, namely Virovitica-Podravina, Vukovar-Srijem, Brod-Posavina, Sisak-Moslavina, Šibenik-Knin, Osijek-Baranja, Lika-Senj, Požega-Slavonija, Karlovac and Zadar County. Additionally, only investments into the development and upgrading of public tourism-related infrastructure could be considered for financing, subject to the recommendations of the Evaluation Committee. Please consult Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.1.1 to find additional information regarding the <u>eligibility of applicants</u>.</p> <p>9.2. Please note that the global objective of this Call for Proposals is to support the SMEs growth and job creation in Croatia's lagging behind regions. Projects that will be financed under this grant scheme must all contribute to the achievement of this objective. Please consult Guidelines for applicants for further information regarding the objectives and eligible activities.</p>

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10.	<p>10.1. My company owns a real estate (300m2 in Zagreb, next to the Zagrebački velesajam). On the surface of 230m2 a youth hostel will be built after the location permit has been issued. Although all necessary preconditions have been fulfilled due to the too long time needed to obtain the location permit (2 years) financial loss has been experienced and therefore there is a lack of financial means to perform further works on the hostel. Does IPA IIIc programme finance this type of projects and if so, what are the necessary documents that need to be submitted?</p>	<p>10.1. Please note that projects need to take place in one of the ten counties listed above. City of Zagreb and Zagrebačka county are not targeted by this Call for proposals.</p>
11.	<p>11.1. Is the project for the development of a new industrial zone (and not extension of the existing one) acceptable?</p> <p>11.2. There are some additional works that need to be done in the existing industrial zone (at the moment only 20% of the zone is asphalted, and 30-40% of water and sewage system has been laid down) and additional expansion of the zone is planned. Is it possible to request funds to finish the necessary works in the zone, for the expansion of the zone or for both?</p> <p>11.3. We have all the necessary documentation for the reconstruction of waterfront used exclusively for tourist purposes (boarding and discharging place for visitors of national park and of other islands). Could this project be considered as “active tourism”?</p> <p>11.4. We have all the necessary documentation for the</p>	<p>11.1. As it is stated in the Guidelines for Applicants, points 1.2 and 2.1.3, only improvements of existing business zones are eligible for financing, subject to the recommendations of the Evaluation Committee.</p> <p>11.2. Please note that extensions as well as improvement of existing business zone are eligible activities and could be considered for financing from this Call for proposal, subject to the recommendations of the Evaluation Committee. Please also note that applicants must prove the demand for the planned investment in the form of a feasibility study or in a form of feasibility study and a letter of intent from tenants in case of improvement of an existing business zone. Moreover, the infrastructure investments have to include investment in support services¹, designed to maximize the benefits of the infrastructure investment.</p> <p>11.3., 11.4. and 11.5. As stated in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 1.2 and 2.1.3, projects whose aim is investments in the development and upgrading of public tourism-related infrastructure appropriate to the health, culture and activity tourism which those areas specialize in, aimed for enlargement of tourism offer and development of SMEs</p>

¹ For example, trainings for business infrastructure management, education programmes for entrepreneurs, transfer of good practice and know-how, training of managers.

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	<p>reconstruction of the surrounding buildings of the town Church. Could this project be considered as “cultural tourism”?</p> <p>11.5. Stone tiles are currently being placed in the town center (all necessary documentation has been obtained). Is this activity eligible under this Call for proposals?</p>	<p>for tourism are eligible under this call for proposals and could be considered for financing, subject to the recommendations of the Evaluation Committee. However, the applicant must clearly demonstrate the relevance of the project proposal for the priorities and objectives of the Call. Please note that infrastructure investment will also have to include investment in support services², designed to maximize the benefits of the infrastructure investment.</p> <p>Please consult eligibility criteria published in the Guidelines for applicants (2.1.1, 2.1.2 and 2.1.3) and the evaluation grids according to which each project proposal will be evaluated and scored (Guidelines for Applicants section 2.3).</p>
12.	<p>12.1. Is the program for the development of clinic for physical therapy with wellness center and accommodation capacity for 30 people to be built as a part a spa, eligible for financing under this Call for proposals?</p> <p>12.2. Does a company established less than 2 years ago meet preconditions necessary for participating in the grant contest for funds up to EUR 1 million?</p>	<p>12.1. Project whose aim is investments in the development and upgrading of public tourism-related infrastructure appropriate to the health are eligible under this call for proposals and could be considered for financing, subject to the recommendations of the Evaluation Committee.</p> <p>12.2. There are no restrictions regarding the year of establishment of the applicants, but the operational and financial capacity will be evaluated. Please note that the form of establishment is very important for eligibility of applicants. Please consult the eligibility criteria published in the Guidelines for applicants section 2.1.1.</p>
13.	<p>13.1. Can an entrepreneur apply for the contest or does the local government unit need to do it (county, city, municipality)?</p> <p>13.2. Is the amount of funds to be received limited?</p> <p>13.3. The questions refer to the project for developing medical tourism the aim of which is to construct hospital with hotel. Project has significant role in the development of medical</p>	<p>13.1. Eligible applicants which can apply are regional or local self-government units; or regional/local owned public institutions or associations; or public companies owned by regional/local self government units; or regional/local tourism boards. Please consult the eligibility criteria published in the Guidelines for applicants section 2.1.1.</p> <p>13.2. Maximum amount that could be awarded to one project under this grant scheme is 1 million EUR, and minimum amount is 325,000 EUR. Please find detailed information in the Guidelines for applicants published on CFCA's web site</p>

² For example, trainings for business infrastructure management, education programmes for entrepreneurs, transfer of good practice and know-how, training of managers.

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	<p>tourism within tourist offer of the Republic of Croatia.</p>	<p>http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/230/shema-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-za-poslovnu-infrastrukturu.</p> <p>13.3. Project whose aim is investments in the development and upgrading of public tourism-related infrastructure appropriate to the health are eligible under this call for proposals. Please consult other eligibility criteria published in the Guidelines for applicants (2.1.1, 2.1.2 and 2.1.3).</p>
14.	<p>14.1. We are interested in finishing the construction of infrastructure in a business zone. A building permit for infrastructure has been obtained, works on construction of two bridges finished and works on construction of roads have started. We do not have sufficient financial means to finish the following infrastructural works: water system, sewage system, gas, phone, roads and public lighting. Due to the existing interest for the construction in the business zone (medical industry, wood industry) we would like to apply for funds under the grant scheme in order to construct necessary infrastructure in the year 2009. Please inform us on necessary documentation.</p>	<p>14.1. For further information on how to apply for the funds please consult Guidelines for Applicants published on CFCA's web site: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/230/shema-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-za-poslovnu-infrastrukturu. Please note that funds under this grant scheme will not be granted before 2010, as state in Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.5.2.</p>
15.	<p>15.1. Is a faculty from Zagreb eligible as an applicant if proposed activities are implemented in the counties eligible under this call for proposals? Can the town be acceptable as an applicant if it is not situated in one of the ten counties mentioned in the Guidelines for Applicants but is cooperating with one of these counties on the implementation of the activities in the eligible areas?</p>	<p>15.1. The action must take place in Croatia, in one (or more) of the 10 counties designated within the RCOP as "lagging behind regions". Applicants and partners can be registered anywhere in Croatia, EU Member States or any other IPA eligible country. Public Higher Education Institutions are eligible as partners, as stated in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.1.2.</p>

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16.	<p>16.1. Is it necessary for FS and CBA to be made in English language?</p> <p>16.2. Does the main construction project (Bills of Quantities, Technical specification and main drafts) also need to be in English?</p>	<p>16.1., 16.2. It is recommendable but not mandatory to have these documents made in English.</p>
17.	<p>17.1. Are only the candidates situated in one of the 10 mentioned counties eligible, i.e. only the projects located in one of these counties?</p>	<p>17.1. Candidates do not have to be located in one of the mentioned counties but projects need to take place in one (or more) of the ten “lagging behind” Counties as stated in the Guidelines for Applicants, point 2.1.3.</p>
18.	<p>18.1. In the Application form it is requested to state number and title of lot. What does this refer to as this reference is not mentioned in the GfA?</p>	<p>18.1. This reference is a part of the template and if it does not apply on your project you can just add “not applicable”.</p>
19.	<p>19.1. Regarding the current Grant Scheme – IPA Business related Infrastructure, please could you please answer the following question about the following specific objective „The BRI GS shall three years after the project completion create at least 50 jobs in lagging behind regions and establish or expand at east 20 SMEs located within those regions“.</p> <p>As the City has received from the State a land for business zone, surface 10 Ha, because of the surface of the zone, is it possible to send the project application for this Grant Scheme based on clear evidence about less than 20 investors? Is it possible to send the project application for 1-2 investors that would be in the zone alone, but would</p>	<p>19.1. Please note that this grant scheme as a whole (and that includes all projects from first and second call for proposals which will be published next year) should result in creation of at least 50 jobs and establish at least 20 SMEs. These are not the results that should be met by each project separately but by all projects that will be financed from this grant scheme.</p> <p>Although each project should contribute to the achievement of these results as much as possible, there are no restrictions set in the GfA regarding the number of jobs or SMEs to be created.</p>

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	encourage the development of SMEs in the region?	
20.	20.1. Our project covers the following counties Bjelovarsko Bilogorska, Požeško Slavonska, Sisačko Moslavačka. Although Bjelovarsko- Bilogorska county is not eligible under this call for proposal there are parts of the county in which the project is located that are designated as special state concern areas. Is it possible to apply for the funds as there is a great tourist potential in this area?	20.1. Please note that the action must take place in Croatia, exclusively in one (or more) of the 10 counties designated within the RCOP as “lagging behind regions”. However, it is not required that applicants are registered in those 10 counties. Applicants and partners can be registered anywhere in Croatia, EU Member States or any other IPA eligible country as stated in the Guidelines for Applicants (2.1.1., 2.1.2.).
21.	21.1. Is the IPA programme suitable for financing Tourist Boards (regional competitiveness)? Could you introduce us with a programme suitable for tourism, tourist boards or tourist signalization?	21.1. Regional/local tourism boards are eligible applicants for Call for Proposals for Business related infrastructure, which is currently open. The relevant documents can be consulted at the CFCA web page: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/230/shema-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-za-poslovnju-infrastrukturu or at www.regionalna-konkuretnost.hr .
22.	22.1. Is it necessary to attach offers for the equipment to the application form? How do we choose the offers we send? 22.2. Does the Ministry co-finance the project?	22.1. It is not necessary to attach offers to the Application form. However, it is important to make realistic and justifiable budget in the project application, and to base the cost estimates on a market study. Before the contract signature, the CFCA will perform “budget clearing” to remove the arithmetical errors, inaccuracies or unrealistic costs and other ineligible costs. As in this phase grant beneficiaries have to prove that the costs presented in their project budget are necessary and realistic, it will be necessary to prove that a market study has been conducted. 22.2. No, the Ministry does not co-finance the projects.

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<p>23.</p>	<p>23.1. The listing of eligibility criteria in the guidelines for applicant is followed by ' AND' and not by ' AND/OR'. Does it mean that the applicants have to comply with all eligibility criteria as a package?</p> <p>23.2. With reference to point 2.1.1. Eligibility of applicants, “be regional or local self-government units; or regional/local[1] owned public institutions or associations[2]; or public companies owned by regional/local self government units; or regional/local tourism boards</p> <p>Is the following reading correct: Such entities are those which demonstrate regional or local jurisdiction and scope of work by virtue of the Statute?</p>	<p>23.1. Yes, applicant and their partners need to satisfy (must meet) all the criteria mentioned under point 2.1.1. Eligibility of applicants.</p> <p>23.2. Applicants and/or their partners will prove their eligibility under this point by the statutes or articles of association of the applicant organization and of each partner organization.</p> <p>Where the Contracting Authority has recognized the applicant’s eligibility for another call for proposals under the same budget line within 2 years before the deadline for receipt of applications, the applicant may submit, instead of its statutes, copy of the document proving the eligibility of the applicant in a former Call (e.g.: copy of the special conditions of a grant contract received during the reference period), unless a change in its legal status has occurred in the meantime. Where the applicant and/or (a) partner(s) is a public body created by law, they have to quote publication reference to the relevant law.</p> <p>If not regulated by local act, associations demonstrate regional or local jurisdiction and scope of operation by the seat of Association. Please note that it is not only the jurisdiction, but also the ownership structure that determines eligibility (public bodies, owned by local/regional government units) as stated in the Guidelines for Applicants point 2.1.1.</p>
<p>24.</p>	<p>24.1. Local self government unit from Šibensko-Kninska county would like to apply for this Call for proposals in order to realize the following ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - business incubator - multimedia centar with library - Etno gallery <p>How can we apply for the project?</p>	<p>24.1. Please find all the detailed information regarding the possibility of application on our web site: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/230/shema-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-za-poslovnu-infrastrukturu.</p> <p>Please note that the deadline for submission of proposals is 1 Sept 2009. Another similar Call for proposals is envisaged to be published next year, please consult the Annual Work Program for grants to obtain more information: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/224/godisnji-plan-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-unutar-programa-ipa-iiic-za-2009-godinu.</p>

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<p>25. Concerning the opened IPA component 3C Call for Proposals for Business Related Infrastructure Grant Scheme, I have a few questions all of which are in connection with the existing business zone registered by MELE – Business zone in Zadarska County. We are planning to apply for the 1st action - development of new business-related infrastructure of business zone. We possess Detailed Regulation Plan of the Zone (cro. Detaljan plan uređenja) which includes different drawings of the Business zone and also prefeasibility study and CBA for the Zone. But we still don't possess BoQ (Bill of Quantities). Although I read the Guidelines for grant applicants, for us it is very important to find the best suitable option for receiving the funds, so my questions are listed below:</p> <p>25.1. Would it be possible to apply Business zone on the IPA component 3C Call for Proposals for the action of development of new business-related infrastructure with the prefeasibility study & CBA, Detailed Regulation Plan & 5 drawings of the Zone attached, and send the BoQ (Bill of Quantities) later (after the 1st of September 2009 – the deadline for submission of proposals)?</p> <p>25.2. Is it possible to submit prefeasibility study (study which is not based on the exact figures taken from the Bill of Quantities for the business zone) and apply for the IPA component 3C Call for Proposals for the action of development of new business-related infrastructure?</p> <p>25.3. Would it be possible to apply the concerned Zone on the IPA component 3C Call for Proposals for the action of development of new business-related infrastructure and receive the grant also for the action of financing construction</p>	<p>25.1. Please note that complete documentation must be submitted within the deadline for submission of Applications which is 1 September 2009. Second Call for proposals for Business Related Infrastructure is envisaged next year, please consult the Annual Work Program for grants to get more information: http://www.safu.hr/hr/natjecaji/pregled/224/godisnji-plan-dodjele-bespovratne-pomoci-unutar-programa-ipa-iiic-za-2009-godinu.</p> <p>25.2. Please note that it is necessary to submit all the documents as requested.</p> <p>25.3. Please note that only the costs incurred during the project implementation are eligible and therefore costs of production of project documentation are not eligible as they will be incurred before the potential contract signature. Having the appropriate licence is a precondition for grant award (see GfA section 2.4, item 6).</p> <p>25.4. Second call for proposals under this grant scheme will be published in 2010. Please find detailed information regarding eligible activities in the Regional Competitiveness Operational Programme published on the following web site www.regionalna-konkuretnost.hr.</p> <p>25.5. In order to find the information regarding other IPA components and similar EU funds please visit CFCA's web site as well as EuropeAid's web site.</p>
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	<p>project documentation (idea project, main project and construction project for the Business zone) plus infrastructure construction works?</p> <p>25.4. Do you have any information if IPA component 3C Call for Proposals for the action of development of new business-related infrastructure will also be launched in the 2010?</p> <p>25.5. Is there any other IPA component or similar EU fund which could finance the action of creating the construction project documentation (idea project, main project and construction project for the business zone)?</p>	
26.	<p>26.1. We are building tourist infrastructure located on the shore whose owner is port authority. Is the port authority eligible as a partner?</p> <p>26.2. Since part of the construction works will be performed by the port authority could a building permit be issued in their name?</p>	<p>26.1. Please consult point 2.1.1 And 2.1.2 of the GfA to find which criteria must be met by the applicants and partners in order to be eligible. There are several parameters that need to be satisfied.</p> <p>26.2. The holder of the permit is not defined in the criteria of the Call for Proposals. Therefore your interpretation is correct.</p>
27.	<p>27.1. Does Company registered as Ltd. (d.o.o.)- company owned by local self government, may apply as partner to IPA 2007-2009: Business Related Infrastructure Grant Scheme? Question is what does it mean "be non profit making", and if the communal company is "d.o.o." owned by local self government is it "profit making" or not?</p>	<p>27.1. As stated in the corrigendum no1. on the Guidelines for Applicants (point 2.1.1.), in case that the applicants and/or their partners are registered as Ltd. Company their non-profit status must be proven by their statutes or articles of association or by the decision brought by the shareholders. The decision must state that applicant's and/or partner's surplus income is used for financing their own activities and not distributed to the shareholders or directors as profit/income.</p>