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HR-Zagreb: IPA — e-business competitiveness improvement programme, phase II

2011/S 29-046675

Location: Europe (non-EU) — Croatia

Contract forecast notice

Services

Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

Main object:

80000000 Education and training services

Additional object(s):

80522000 Training seminars

80521000 Training programme services

1. **Publication reference:**

EuropeAid/130993/D/SER/HR.

2. **Procedure:**

Restricted.

3. **Programme:**

IPA.

4. **Financing:**

IPA 2007 HR 16 I PO 001 regional competitiveness operational programme 2007–2009 for Union assistance under the IPA regional development component in Croatia.

5. **Contracting authority:**

Central Finance and Contracting Agency, Zagreb, REPUBLIC OF CROATIA.

6. **Nature of contract:**

Fee-based.

7. **Contract description:**

The objective of the project is to enhance the competitiveness of Croatian enterprises through increased utilisation of, and participation in, e-commerce and e-business activities by SMEs in the target regions through the delivery of quality information, training and advice to SMEs on ICT through the selected business support centres.

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

The contract is divided into lots:

No, 1 lot only.

9. **Budget:**

Maximum budget: 1 000 000 EUR.

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

April 2011.

11. **Additional information:**

Not applicable.

12. **Legal basis:**
EC Council Regulation No 1085/2006 of 17.7.2006 establishing an Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA).
13. **Date of dispatch of this notice:**
31.1.2011.

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.