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**HR-Zagreb: IPA — TA to operational structure for management
of the operational programme and implementation of projects
2013/S 036-055769**

Location: Europe (non-EU) — Croatia

Contract forecast notice

Services

Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

Main object:

71356200 Technical assistance services — MA09 For transport

Additional object(s):

79633000 Staff development services

80000000 Education and training services

22470000 Manuals

79418000 Procurement consultancy services

1. **Publication reference:**

EuropeAid/134081/D/SER/HR.

2. **Procedure:**

Restricted.

3. **Programme:**

IPA.

4. **Financing:**

Financing agreement.

5. **Contracting authority:**

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

6. **Nature of contract:**

Fee-based.

7. **Contract description:**

The objective of this contract is provision of continuous assistance to the transport operating structure, especially to the Management Authority and Intermediate Bodies, in the management of the operating programme and also ensuring the link between IPA and structural instruments, facilitating the transition and supporting the preparation for a new financial perspective 2014–2020.

3 components are envisaged, as follows:

- a) assistance with management of transport operating programme 2007–2013 and relevant projects and with transition from IPA to structural instruments;
- b) assistance with preparation and implementation of new 2014–2020 programming period;
- c) provision of trainings and organisation of study tours.

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

The contract is divided into lots:

No, 1 lot only.

9. **Budget:**

Maximum budget: 529 412 EUR.

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

April 2013.

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:**

8.2.2013.

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.