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## SERVICE PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE

# Technical Assistance to the Ministry in Charge for Energy and Relevant Public Entities for the Implementation of the New Energy Law, NEEAP and RES Directive

## Location - Republic of Serbia

## **1.** Publication reference

EuropeAid/138-041/IH/SER/RS (IPA)

## 2. Procedure

Restricted

#### 3. Programme title

National Programme for Serbia under IPA II for the year 2014

#### 4. Financing

Financing agreement

#### 5. Contracting Authority

The Government of the Republic of Serbia, represented by the Ministry of Finance, Department for Contracting and Financing of EU Funded Programmes (CFCU), Belgrade, Serbia

#### 6. Nature of contract

Global price/Fee-based<sup>1</sup>

## 7. Contract description

The objective of this contract is to provide technical assistance to the Ministry in charge for Energy, in the Republic of Serbia with the aim of improving policy enforcement, monitoring and harmonization of national legislation in line with the EU Acquis in the field of energy efficiency and renewable energy sources.

## 8. Indicative budget

EUR 1,500,000

## 9. Intended timing of publication of the contract notice

December 2016

#### **10.** Additional information

N/A

15 January 2016

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> To be determined in the Contract Notice

## 11. Legal basis<sup>2</sup>

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) No 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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Please state any specificity that might have an impact on rules on participation (such as geographic or thematic or long/short term).