

## Republic of Serbia

## MINISTRY OF FINANCE

**Department for Contracting and Financing of EU Funded Programmes (CFCU)** 

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## **CONTRACTING AUTHORITY'S CLARIFICATIONS NO. 3**

1<sup>st</sup> Call for Proposals for the Cross-border Cooperation Programme Serbia – Bosnia and Herzegovina under the Instrument of Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA III), allocations 2022 and 2024

## EuropeAid/183157/IH/ACT/Multi

No.	Question	Answer
1.	Dear Sir/Madam,  we are writing in relation to the 1st Call for Proposals - Cross-border Cooperation Programme Serbia - Bosnia and Herzegovina 2021–2027 under the Instrument of Preaccession Assistance (IPA III), allocations 2022 and 2024, Reference: EuropeAid/183157/IH/ACT/Multi.  We kindly request your clarification regarding Annex A (Part B), section "Lead applicant's experience". Specifically, in the reference table for similar actions, are applicants expected to include only completed projects finalised in the past three years, or is it acceptable to also list ongoing projects	In line with the Section 2.2. Lead applicant's experience of the Grant Application Form (Annex A Application form):  "This information will be used to assess whether you have sufficient and stable experience of managing actions in the same sector and of a comparable scale to the one for which a grant is being requested.  i) For similar actions.  Please provide a detailed description of actions in the same sector and of a comparable scale to the one for which a grant is being requested managed by your organisation in the past three years"  The experience of "managing actions" means that the assessment focuses on the applicant's

(with activities already implemented and measurable outputs delivered, but not yet finalised)?

This clarification will help us ensure that our application is fully aligned with the requirements of the call.

Thank you in advance for your guidance.

Best regards,

capacity to manage actions in the same or comparable sector. Therefore, it is acceptable to include both completed projects finalised in the past three years and ongoing projects provided that they are already under implementation and that measurable delivered outputs can be demonstrated.