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**Serbia-Belgrade: IPA — Technical assistance for building capacity in employment policy  
2014/S 052-086040**

**Location: Europe (non-EU) — Serbia**

**Contract forecast notice**

**Services**

Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

Main object:

75110000 General public services

1. **Publication reference:**

EuropeAid/135639/IH/SER/RS.

2. **Procedure:**

Restricted.

3. **Programme:**

IPA.

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, Belgrade, SERBIA.

6. **Nature of contract:**

Fee-based.

7. **Contract description:**

Development of a system that significantly contributes to the efficient and effective matching of supply and demand and overall functioning of the labour market, with special emphasis on the inclusion of people with disabilities (PWDs). TA will cover the following:

- building the capacity of the National Employment Service and Ministry of Labour, Employment and Social Policy in enhancing the effectiveness of its employment policy,
- supporting the National Employment Service, Ministry of Labour, Employment and Social Policy and enterprises for professional rehabilitation and employment of persons with disabilities in improving their performance in the employment policy toward PWDs,
- supporting the National Employment Service in managing direct grant.

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

The contract is divided into lots:

No, 1 lot only.

9. **Budget:**

Maximum budget: 2 000 000 EUR.

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

May 2014.

11. **Additional information**

12. **Legal basis:**

Council Regulation (EC) No 1085/2006 of 17.7.2006 establishing an Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA).

13. **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

28.2.2014.

**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.