

SERVICE PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE

Support to Implementation and Monitoring of Water Management, Montenegro

Location - Montenegro (ME)

1. Publication reference

EuropeAid/139429/IH/SER/ME

2. Procedure

Restricted

3. Programme title

Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA II) 2014-2020, IPA 2016 annual programme for Montenegro

4. Financing

IPA 2016, Financing agreement IPA II

5. Contracting Authority

Directorate of Public Works, Novaka Miloseva 18, 81000 Podgorica, Montenegro

6. Nature of contract

Fee-based

7. Contract description

The overall objective of the project is to strengthen the institutional, administrative and monitoring capacities of the Montenegrin water management sector institutions in order to improve environmental protection, through: a) Transposition and implementation of the EU Directives in water management sector and environment protection; b) Strengthening of the institutional and administrative capacity of the relevant institutions; c) Improving the level of monitoring of the water quality and quantity.

8. Indicative budget

EUR 2,300,000

9. Intended timing of publication of the contract notice

February 2018

10. Additional information

n/a

11. Legal basis¹

- Regulation (EU) No 231/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11th March 2014 establishing an Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA II)
- Regulation (EU) No 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;
- Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 447/2014 of 2nd May 2014 on the specific rules for implementing Regulation (EU) No 231/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11th 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.

¹ Please state any specificity that might have an impact on rules on participation (such as geographic or thematic or long/short term).