

Short-Term Mission on

Activity 2.2 “Assessment on legislation”

- Workshop 1/3, Workshop 2/3 and Seminar 1/1 -
within CARDS Twinning Project BA05 IB AG 01

Sarajevo, 23rd – 27th April 2007

and

Sarajevo, 31st- 01st June 2007

Mission Report

1. Name and function of the Experts:

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2. Objective and tasks of the mission:

The objective of the activity is to develop the recommendations and proposals for a strategy in working groups jointly between MS experts and BiH counterparts under consideration of the existing reports on previous relevant internships, workshops or seminars.

The German experts will prepare and carry out one Workshop 1/3: “How to draft national regulations and directives based on EU legislation”, one workshop 2/3: “Handling of notifications and request for permits, system for follow-up, system for public information, public awareness and public participation” and one Seminar 1/1: “From Thessalonica to Brussels – reform progress of BiH towards the EU accession”.

3. Time schedule of mission:

23th of April 2007

VENUES:

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| 09h00 | Sarajevo | Study of legislation, SVO Preparation of workshop 1/3 and 2/3 and seminar 1/1 Contact person: Darko Čobanov |
| 17h00 | | END OF DAY ONE |

24th of April 2007

VENUES:

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| 09h00 | Sarajevo | Study of legislation, SVO Preparation of workshop 1/3 and 2/3 and seminar 1/1 Contact person: Darko Čobanov |
| 17h00 | | END OF DAY TWO |

25th of April 2007

VENUES:

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| 09h00 | Sarajevo | Study of legislation, SVO Preparation of workshop 1/3 and 2/3 and seminar 1/1 Contact person: Darko Čobanov |
| 17h00 | | END OF DAY THREE |

26th of April 2007

VENUES:

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| 09h00 | Sarajevo | Study of legislation, SVO Preparation of workshop 1/3 and 2/3 and seminar 1/1 Contact person: Darko Čobanov |
| 17h00 | | END OF DAY FOUR |

27th of April 2007

VENUES:

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| 09h00 | Sarajevo | Study of legislation, SVO Preparation of workshop 1/3 and 2/3 and seminar 1/1 Contact person: Darko Čobanov |
| 17h00 | | END OF THE VISIT |

| 31 st May 2007 | |
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| | <p>Workshop 1/3, Workshop 2/3 and Seminar 1/1</p> |
| 10h00 | <p><u>VENUES :</u> Sarajevo</p> <p>Enlargement and Accession</p> <p><i>Speaker: Ms. Barbara Meentzen</i> Senate Department of Employment, Woman, Health, Youth and Social Issues of Bremen</p> |
| 11h00 | <p>From Thessalonica to Brussels -reform progress of BiH towards EU accession</p> <p><i>Speaker: Ms. Barbara Meentzen</i></p> |
| 11h30 | <p><i>Coffee break</i></p> |
| 11h45 | <p>Situation report on legislation -what has been done, what has to be done-</p> <p><i>Speaker: Mr. Jozo Bagarić.</i> State Veterinary Office in BiH</p> |
| 12h30 | <p><i>Lunch break</i></p> |
| 13h30 | <p>How to draft national regulations based on EU legislation</p> <p><u>Part 1</u> From the EU-draft to the EU legal act (Co-decision-process of 27 Member States)</p> <p><u>Part 2</u> From the EU legal act to the national enforcement (Co-decision-process in each Member State)</p> <p><u>Part 3</u> From a national draft to an EU legal act (Notification, Follow-up, Community Financial Aid)</p> <p><i>Speaker: Mr. Norbert Rehm</i> Bavarian State Ministry of the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection</p> |
| 14h30 | <p>Structure, contents, implementation of a national regulation (taken two German regulations on animal health as an example):</p> <p><u>Part 1:</u> Regulation laying down measures for the control of classical swine fever (intervention regulation)</p> <p><u>Part 2:</u> Regulation laying down measures regarding hygiene in pig production (prevention regulation)</p> <p><i>Speaker: Mr. Norbert Rehm</i> <i>Mr. Ansgar Aschfalk</i> Federal Research Institute for Animal Health, Institute of Epidemiology</p> |
| 15h30 | <p><i>Coffee break</i></p> |
| 15h45 | <p>System for public information, public awareness and public participation</p> |

16h30

Speaker: Mr. Ansgar Aschfalk

END OF DAY

01st June 2007

VENUES:

10h00

Discussion with an ad hoc established expert group, to discuss the actual arising problem concerning Brucellosis in livestock

Participants:

Ms. Indira Mulalic
Mr. Kazimir Juric
Mr. Nermin Smajlagic

Dr. Schollmeyer
Dr. Meentzen
Dr. Rehm
Dr. Aschfalk

15h00

END OF DAY TWO

4. Results of the Mission:

For the results and recommendations to the following listed tasks 1-5 of the mission see mission report for the period 02. April to 06. April 2007 from Dr. Bambauer.

Task 1

Validate and confirm the last missions results in particular the animal health legislation as already designed already.

Task 2

Review the ongoing work of transposing EU provisions and creation of secondary legislation in the field of animal health.

Task 3

Draft together with the Task-Force "Legislation" secondary legislation as agreed in the last expert mission.

Task 4

Define gaps and constraints existing for the preparation of secondary legislation.

Task 5

Definition of "to do" list for the Task-Force "Legislation" workgroup to be accomplished.

Task 6

Carry out one Workshop 1/3: "How to draft national regulations and directives based on EU legislation", one workshop 2/3: "Handling of notifications and request for permits, system for follow-up, system for public information, public awareness and public participation" and one Seminar 1/1: "From Thessalonica to Brussels – reform progress of BiH towards the EU accession".

Situation:

Due to technical reasons the workshops and seminar were not held as scheduled on 26th April 2007 and were postponed to 31. May 2007.

The workshops and the seminars were held on 31. May 2007 in an extended version and were complemented by a presentation on the situation report on legislation and by presentations on the structure, contents, implementation of a national regulation, by taking two German regulations on animal health as example.

All presentations of the workshops and the seminars are attached:

Annex 1: Enlargement and Accession

Annex 2: From Thessalonica to Brussels –reform process of BiH towards EU accession

Annex 3: Situation report on legislation –what has been done, what has to be done

Annex 4: How to draft national regulations based on EU legislation

Annex 5: Regulation laying down measures for the control of classical swine fever

Annex 6: Regulation laying down measures regarding hygiene in pig production

Annex 7: System for public information, public awareness and public participation

Additional task 7:

Discussion with an ad hoc established expert group, to discuss the actual arising problem concerning Brucellosis in livestock in BiH.

5. Remarks

The working atmosphere during the workshops and seminars was friendly and open. All participants were cooperative and answered questions extensively and honestly. Within the workshop and the seminar there was an active and constructive discussion.

6. General remarks concerning the project

The establishing of the task force “Legislation” is strongly recommended.

A joint mission to assist the task force “Legislation” for the evaluation of progress and determining further steps should be scheduled in the third / fourth quarter of 2007.

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