



Support to the advancement of human rights and zero tolerance to discrimination (SR 13 IB JH 01)



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March 21st-25th, 2016

A 1.3 – Develop and assist the HMR office of the Government to train trainers and implement training programs for civil servants from relevant institutions involved in the process of reporting and monitoring of regional conventions on minority rights

STEs
Mihaela Brezar, Office for National Minorities of the Republic of Slovenia
Maja Mamlić, Office for National Minorities of the Republic of Slovenia

Work program
Day 1: Meeting with RTA (briefing on aims of the mission), getting acquainted with relevant documents, meeting with the Department for the Improvement of the Status of National Minorities at 13.00
Day 2: Conceptualizing a methodology for drafting quarterly reports monitoring the implementation of the Action Plan on the Improvement of the Situation of National Minorities
Day 3: Share ideas developed with the Department for the Improvement of the Status of National Minorities (tbc), start developing a questionnaire targeting implementing partners of the Action Plan
Day 4: Further develop the methodology and the questionnaire
Day 5: Share ideas developed with the Department for the Improvement of the Status of National Minorities (tbc), finalizing Activity Report (describing methodology and including the questionnaire), draft Mission Report, meeting with RTA

Expected outcome of the mission
Methodology for drafting quarterly reports monitoring the implementation of the Action Plan on the Improvement of the Situation of National Minorities developed
Questionnaire targeting the implementing partners of the Action Plan developed
Time schedule for next steps in order to draft the first quarterly report on the implementation of the Action Plan covering Dec 1st 2015 to March 3rd 2016

Results of previous missions

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- **A 1.4 - Analyse the organisational and functional capacity of the Republic of Serbia to collect and disseminate disaggregated statistical data in the field of human rights and protection of minorities**

STEs, Maja Mamlić and Tatjana Vlašić still working on the Activity Report, which will then be shared with the Department Promoting the Rights of National Minorities

- **A 3.1 - Perform review of needs in relation to the legislation and practice in the area of protection of human rights defenders and minority protection in Serbia and propose recommendations**

Activity Report drafted by STE Hanns Tretter under review of the RTA, will then be shared with Vladimir Šoč

Upcoming missions

- Activity 1.5 (focusing on UPR and monitoring implementation of recommendations): April 4th-8th, 2016: STEs – Eva Schöfer (Austrian Federal Ministry of Europe, Integration and Foreign Affairs), second STE from another EU MS to be still confirmed
- Activity 1.4 (continue with assessing LSGU data): April 18th -22th, 2016: STE – Tanja Vlašić (Office of the Ombudswoman of the Republic of Croatia)
- Activity 3.3 (prepare training materials for trainings on anti-discrimination targeting NCNMs): April 11th-15th, 2016 – STEs: Karin Bischof (Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights) and Michael Kern (Anti-Discrimination Contact Point of the Federal Province of Styria)
- Activity 3.6 (prepare training materials and manual for trainings for judges): April 11th-15th, 2016 – STEs: Kurt Weisgram (Regional Court Wiener Neustadt) and Katrin Wladasch (Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights)

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