

MONITORING COMMITTEE

under Interreg VI-A IPA Bulgaria Serbia 2021-2027 Programme

Written procedure No.04, initiated 04.05.2023

1. Description:

The Written procedure for approval of Annual Implementation Report for 2022 of INTERREG-IPA CBC Bulgaria – Serbia Programme 2014 – 2020 and amendment of Eligibility of Technical Assistance Expenditures of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Serbia Programme 2014 – 2020, was initiated by the Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Public Works and Co-chair of the MC on 04.05.2023.

The Annual Implementation Report for 2022 has been prepared by the Managing Authority and the Joint Secretariat in cooperation with the National Authority, containing summarized data on the progress made and the results achieved in 2022.

The amendment of the Eligibility of Technical Assistance Expenditures of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Serbia Programme 2014 – 2020 concerns Budget Line 3, sub-lines “3.2. Daily allowances” and “3.3. Accommodation costs”, namely:

The expenditures for daily allowances and for accommodation for in-country travels will be according to the Bulgarian Decree for Mission in the Country and the internal rules/orders issued by the MRDPW. The expenditures for daily allowances and for accommodation for travel abroad will be according to the Bulgarian Decree for Mission Abroad. The accommodation cost in the border region remains unchanged.

The official letter No 99-00-2-104/04.05.2023 was sent to the MC members by e-mail for review and approval.

The MC members were given **7 working days** to send their approval or comments on the proposed documents. Only opinions of approval were received.

2. Decisions:

Decision 1:

The Monitoring Committee approves the Annual Implementation Report for 2022 and the Citizen’s summary with the publicity measures undertaken in 2022.

Decision 2:

The Monitoring Committee approves the amendment of the Eligibility of Technical Assistance Expenditures of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria

– Serbia Programme 2014 – 2020.

The hereby decision enter into force on 17th May 2023 – the date following the deadline for submission of comments from the MC.

3. Attachments:

1. Annual Implementation Report 2022;
2. Citizen's summary 2022;
3. Eligibility of TA Expenditures of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Serbia Programme 2014 – 2020.

Signatures:

for BULGARIA:

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Co-chairperson of the MC*

for SERBIA:

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