JOINT MONITORING COMMITTEE

under Interreg-IPA CBC Bulgaria - Serbia Programme Written procedure No. 37, initiated on 21 February 2020

1. Description:

The Written procedure for approval of the contract modifications of projects no. CB007.2.32.151 and CB007.2.11.204, funded under the Second Call for Proposals of the Interreg-IPA CBC Bulgaria - Serbia Programme 2014-2020, was initiated by the Co-chairperson of the Joint Monitoring Committee (JMC) from Bulgarian side:

- Request for contract modification of project no. CB007.2.32.151, "Environmental education – a bridge for sustainable development of the cross border region", includes modification concerning the partnership - replacing of Project Partner 2 -Centre for Development Support and Initiative NOVITAS, Pirot with Association of citizens PLANT, Nis; modification concerning the project content and budget reallocation.
- Request for modification of project no. CB007.2.11.204, "Increasing the touristic attractiveness of Sofia and Nis", includes modification concerning the partnership withdrawal of Project Partner 2 Touristic Organization of Nis and taking over of its duties by Project Partner 4 -Institute for progress and collaboration of the Western Balkans regions replacing of consist replacing of Project Partner. The changes of the partnership lead to changes in project content and budget changes, allowing the integration of all activities and responsibilities of Project partners 2 and 4.

The above modifications will not change the approved project objectives and results, and will allow the implementation of the projects.

The official letter No. 99-00-2-58/20.02.2020 with the requests for contract modification in attachment were sent to the JMC members via the Management Information System of the Programme, for review and approval.

The JMC members were given 3 working days to send their approval or comments on the request for modification. The only remarks received, within the set deadline, were opinions of approval.

2. Decisions:

The JMC approves the modifications of project no. CB007.2.32.151, "Environmental education – a bridge for sustainable development of the cross border region", concerning the partnership and project no. CB007.2.11.204, "Increasing the touristic attractiveness of Sofia and Nis", concerning the partnership, changes in project content and budget changes, both funded under the Second Call for proposals of the Interreg – IPA Cross-border Cooperation Bulgaria - Serbia

Programme 2014-2020.

The hereby Decision enters into force on 27 February 2020 - the date following the deadline for submission of objections / additional proposals from the JMC members.

- 3. Attachments:
- 1. Request for modification of project no. CB007.2.32.151;
- 2. Request for modification of project no. CB007.2.11.204.

Signatures: for BULGARIA:

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