

GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

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Facing the Challenges of Organized and Serious Crimes in the Western Balkans

“Strengthening Regional and Transnational Co-operation as a Prerequisite for Successful Criminal Proceedings”

**Belgrade, Serbia
September 27-29, 2009**

PROGRAMME

Sunday, 27 September 2009

- 19.00 Arrival and registration of participants in the hotel

- 20.00 Gathering in the hotel lobby and transfer to the Restaurant

- 20.30 *Welcome cocktail dinner¹ hosted by German Federal Ministry of Justice with Minister of Interior of the Republic of Serbia, **Mr. Ivica DAČIĆ**, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Serbia, **Mrs. Snežana MALOVIĆ** and Republic Public Prosecutor, **Mr. Slobodan RADOVANOVIĆ***

- *Boat “Sirona” - Sightseeing - Belgrade from the rivers*

¹ Dress code - Business casual

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Monday, 28 September 2009

08.30 Gathering in the hotel lobby and transfer to the Conference Hall

09.00 Registration of participants in the Palace "Serbia"

10.00 **Opening session** - *Conference Room – Plenary*

Chaired by **Mr. Ivica DAČIĆ**, Vice-President of the Serbian Government and the Minister of Interior

Co-chaired by **Mrs. Snežana MALOVIĆ**, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Serbia

Opening addresses by

Mr. Boris TADIĆ, President of the Republic of Serbia

Mr. Jacques BARROT, Vice-President of the EC, responsible for Justice, Freedom and Security

Mr. Dimitrios KYPREOS, Ambassador of OSCE

Mrs. Snežana MALOVIĆ, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Serbia

Mr. Ivica DAČIĆ, Vice-President of the Serbian Government and the Minister of Interior

10.50 Family photo

11.00 *Coffee break in the lobby*

11.30-12.45 **Session 1. Strengthening regional cooperation in fight against organized crime - Experiences from EU member countries** - *Conference Room - Plenary*

Chaired by **Ms. Milica Delević**, Director of the Serbian EU Integration Office

Co-chaired by **Mr. Tibor Draskovics**, Minister of Justice and Law Enforcement of Hungary

Key-note addresses by EU countries representatives

12.45-13.00 *Coffee break in the lobby*

13.15 *Signing the Protocol on Cooperation between the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Serbia and Ministry of Justice and Law Enforcement of the Republic of Hungary*

13.00-15.00 **Session 2. Presentation of individual experiences of Western Balkan countries and regional cooperation in fight against organized crime- Conference Room – Working Group 1**

Chaired by **Mr. Ivan Brajović**, Minister of Interior and Public Administration of Montenegro

Co-chaired by **Mr. Nitto Francesco Palma**, State Secretary of the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Italy

- Key-note addresses of the Ministers of Interior²
- Presentations of representatives of EUROPOL, INTERPOL, UNODC, SECI Center

Discussion

13.00-15.00 **Session 3. Regional cooperation of Prosecution offices in combating transnational crime and experiences related to provision of mutual legal assistance – Room “Belgrade” – Working Group 2**

Chaired by **Mr. Slobodan Radovanović**, Republic Public Prosecutor of Serbia

Co-chaired by **Mr. Milorad Barašin**, Chief State Prosecutor of Bosnia and Herzegovina

- Key-note addresses of the Public Prosecutors³
- Presentations of EUROJUST Representatives

Discussion

15.00-16.30 *Lunch – Crystal Ballroom (for the Ministers or Heads of delegations)*
Buffet in the lobby (Conference participants)

16.30-18.00 **Session 4. Strengthening the legislative framework as a precondition for successful fight against organized crime - Conference Room - Working Group 3**

Chaired by **Mrs. Snežana Malović**, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Serbia

Co-chaired by **Mrs. Maria Elisabetta Alberti Casellati**, State Secretary in the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Italy

- Key-note addresses of the Ministers of Justice⁴

² Addresses by the region countries in alphabetical order

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⁴ Addresses by the region countries in alphabetical order

- Presentations of OSCE and Council of Europe representatives
 - Discussion
 - 18.00 End of the second working day - Transfer to the hotel
 - 20.00 Gathering in the hotel lobby and transfer to the restaurant
 - 20.30-23.00 *Dinner⁵ hosted by the Minister of Interior, **Mr. Ivica DAČIĆ**, Minister of Justice **Mrs. Snežana MALOVIĆ** and Republic Public Prosecutor, **Mr. Slobodan RADOVANOVIĆ***
- Restaurant „Kalemegdanska terasa“*

Tuesday, 29 September 2009

- 10.00-12.00 **Session 5. Inter-agency and trans-national cooperation – the key for successfully finished actions** - *Conference Room - Plenary*
- Chaired by **Mr. Ivan Šimonović**, Minister of Justice of the Republic of Croatia
- Co-chaired by **Mrs. Katarina Kresal**, Minister of Interior of Slovenia
- Discussion
- 12.00-12.30 *Coffee break in the lobby*
- 12.30-13.00 **Session 6. Summary of the Conference results and conclusions** - *Conference Room - Plenary*
- Addresses by
- Mr. Slobodan Homen**, State Secretary of the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Serbia
- Mr. Dragan Marković**, State Secretary in the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Serbia
- 13.00-13.30 **Closing of the Conference**
- 13.30-14.00 Press Conference – one representative per country
- 14.00 *Cocktail lunch in the lobby*
- 16.00 Departure of participants

⁵ Dress code - Formal