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1. Steering Committee Activities

- In view of the ReSPA's institutionalisation in the region in Phase II, the Human Resources Management Authority has formed a team with members coming from different state authorities (Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Interior Affairs and Public Administration, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Justice, Secretariat for European Integration, Secretariat for Legislation, State Audit Institution) in order to prepare a detailed proposal to host ReSPA which is to be submitted by 7 January 2007 at the latest.

2. ReSPA Publications

- Draft version of **ReSPA electronic newsletter** (winter 2007 issue) has been prepared. Contributions have been received from Albania (1-page contribution dealing with the translation of SIGMA Papers into Albanian) and Macedonia (2-page contribution providing an overview of the "Policy on attraction and retention of young and high educated employees into the civil service" and 2-page contribution giving Civil Servants Agency's profile). The Montenegrin contribution has been finalised while an 11-page B&H contribution featuring the agencies organising civil service training in B&H was received rather late and required significant editing. No contribution from Kosovo has been received. This issue of ReSPA electronic newsletter will be adapted to include "Country Profiles" section given that there are 2 contributions falling into this category (Macedonia and B&H). Expected to be published online in early January.

3. ReSPA Events

- Three candidates from Montenegro (Ms Jadranka Djurkovic of the Human Resources Management Authority; Ms Bojana Radevic of the Statistical Office and Ms Ljiljana Simovic of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management) participated in the training which took place in Belgrade on 5-6 December 2007 ("*Negotiation Techniques in a European Environment*").

4. Other Issues

- Nothing new to report.

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