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SSD WBC »STRONGER SOCIAL DIALOG IN WESTERN BALKANS COUNTRIES«

INTRODUCTION TO THE PROJECT

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DURATION AND AIM OF THE PROJECT

1 January 2015 – 1 January 2016

- **Overall objective(s):** Strengthen capacity of social partners in participating countries to contribute to national and regional development of social dialogue and harmonization with EU regulation (Serbia, Montenegro, FYR of Macedonia, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Albania)
- **Specific objective(s):** SO1 – Capacity building of social partners with the purpose of further participation in a process of making sustainable environment for SMEs development and creation of better environment for workers including working conditions and relation between employers and workers because strengthened capacity of social partners is necessary for process of EU integration of this region;
- SO2 – implementation of the Acquis Communautaire in the area of social dialogue in partners countries;
- SO3 - to strengthen influence of social dialog on decision makers and legislation related to doing business in countries involved in project and to improve influence of Social (and Economic) Councils in all countries;
- SO4 – To improve local social dialog through better work of local social (and Economic) councils;
- SO5 – to increase knowledge of target groups (government bodies, local government bodies, employers and workers, citizens, NGOs, medias and other groups) about importance of social dialog;



PARTNERS

- **Association of Employers of FBiH**
- **BusinessAlbania**
- **Business Confederation of Macedonia**
- **Serbian Association of Employers**
- **Union of Employers' Associations of Republika Srpska**



SUPPORT ORGANIZATION



- With support by the European sectoral social partner organisation:
- **BUSINESSEUROPE**

PROJECT ACTIVITIES

- **ACTIVITY A1** – CREATION OF PUBLICATION WITH MANUAL ON SOCIAL DIALOGUE (LOCAL SOCIAL DIALOG) AND COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PROJECT COUNTRIES LANGUAGES
- **ACTIVITY A2** – KICK OFF MEETING OF SOCIAL PARTNERS INVOLVED IN PROJECT IN PODGORICA TO PROMOTE PROJECT WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF OTHER SOCIAL PARTNERS FROM MONTENEGRO
- **ACTIVITY A3** - PANEL DISCUSSIONS IN SERBIA, MONTENEGRO, FYR OF MACEDONIA, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA AND REPUBLIKA SRPSKA AND ALBANIA TO IDENTIFY THE ELEMENTS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE NATIONAL SOCIAL PARTNERS TO TAKE PART IN EUROPEAN SOCIAL DIALOGUE



PROJECT ACTIVITIES

- ***ACTIVITY A4 - NATIONAL WORKSHOPS ON SOCIAL DIALOGUE AND THE MODERNISATION OF LABOUR MARKETS IN PARTNER COUNTRIES (6 WORKSHOPS) WITH THE SPECIAL FOCUS ON LOCAL SOCIAL COUNCILS***

- ***ACTIVITY A5 - STUDY TOUR VISIT OF SOCIAL PARTNER REPRESENTATIVES IN BRUSSELS (BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES, WORKSHOPS, MEETINGS)***



PROJECT ACTIVITIES

- **ACTIVITY A6** - A LEAFLET ABOUT SOCIAL DIALOG IN EACH COUNTRY WITH THE INFORMATION AND RECOMMENDATION FOR IMPROVEMENT
- **ACTIVITY A7** – CREATION OF JOINT DECLARATION
- **ACTIVITY A8** -FINAL CONFERENCE WITH A PRESS CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL DIALOG ON EUROPEAN AND NATIONAL LEVEL IN SKOPLJE)
- **ACTIVITY A9** - WEBSITES ON SOCIAL DIALOGUE, CHANGES IN EMPLOYMENT AND WORK, MODERNISATION OF LABOUR MARKET ETC. (ORGANIZED BY PROJECT PARTNERS IN THEIR WEB PORTALS)



PROJECT EVENTS

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programme, please

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