JOINT MONITORING COMMITTEE

under INTERREG-IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme, CCI No 2014TC16I5CB005

Written procedure No.41, initiated on 10 September 2020

1. Description:

The Written Procedure in accordance with Articles 7 of the Rules of Procedure of the Joint Monitoring Committee (JMC) of the INTERREGIPA CBC Bulgaria — Turkey Programme for approval of Evaluation reports under Step 1 (Preliminary session), Step 2 (Administrative compliance and eligibility check) and Step 3 (Technical and quality assessment) for performed assessment procedure of one strategic project selected for funding under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg — IPA CBC Bulgaria — Turkey Programme 2014-2020 was initiated by the Managing Authority — Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works, Bulgaria on 10.09.2020.

The official letter No. 99-00-2-238_10.09.2020 with proposal of the Assessment Working Group (AWG) the strategic project with reference No CB005.3.12.001 with lead partner "Prof. D-r Asen Zlatarov" University of Burgas to be financed under condition LP to provide complemented consent of the owner and the attachments: Evaluation report under Step 1 - Preliminary session and verification of submitted proposal under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg - IPA CBC Bulgaria - Turkey Programme 2014-2020 (Attachment 3); Evaluation report under Step 2 - Administrative compliance and eligibility check under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg - IPA CBC Bulgaria - Turkey Programme 2014-2020 (Attachment 4) and Evaluation report under Step 3 - Technical and quality assessment under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg - IPA CBC Bulgaria - Turkey Programme 2014-2020 (Attachment 5), were sent to the JMC members via e-mail and made available in the JMC section of the Management Information System.

The JMC members were given 5 (five) working days to send their approval or comments of the aforementioned proposals.

Approvals were received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs - Republic of Bulgaria and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Directorate for EU Affairs - Republic of Turkey and they are reflected in Attachment 1: "Table of the comments received from the JMC Members".

W K

2. Decisions:

- 1. JMC approves the Evaluation report under Step 1 Preliminary session and verification of submitted proposal under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020;
- 2. JMC approves the Evaluation report under Step 2 Administrative compliance and eligibility check under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020;
- 3. JMC approves Evaluation report under Step 3 Technical and quality assessment under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020:
- 4. JMC gives mandate to the Managing Authority to sign a subsidy contract with the strategic project with reference No CB005.3.12.001 with lead partner "Prof. D-r Asen Ziatarov" University of Burgas under condition LP to provide complemented decision of the university academic council clearly stating that all the assets, subject to intervention under the project are given for free right of use for the purpose of the project at least for 5 years after the end of the project (Consent of the owner).

The hereby decisions enter into force on the 18 September 2020, the date following the deadline for submission of comments / objections / additional proposals from the JMC members.

3. Attachments:

- 1. Attachment 1: "Table of the comments received from the JMC Members":
- 2. Attachment 2: Letter No. 99-00-2-238 _10.09.2020 from the Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Public Works Co-chairperson of the JMC for Written procedure for approval of Evaluation reports under Step 1 (Preliminary session), Step 2 (Administrative compliance and eligibility check) and Step 3 (Technical and quality assessment) for performed assessment procedure of one strategic project selected for funding under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020;
- 3. Attachment 3: Evaluation report under Step 1 Preliminary session and verification of submitted proposal under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020;
- 4. Attachment 4: Evaluation report under Step 2 Administrative compliance and eligibility check under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg IPA CBC Bulgaria Turkey Programme 2014-2020:

5. Attachment 5: Evaluation report under Step 3 - Technical and quality assessment under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme 2014-2020.

Signatures:

for BULGARIA:

Ms. Denitsa NiKOLOVA

Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Public Works, Co-chairperson of the JMC for TURKEY:

Mr. Bülent Özcan

Acting Director-General to the Directorate General of the Financial Cooperation and Project Implementation, Directorate for European Union Affairs, Head of National Authority, Co-Chairperson of the JMC

Written Procedure

in accordance with Articles 7 of the

(Technical and quality assessment) for performed assessment procedure of one strategic project selected for funding under the Restricted Call for strategic project proposal of the Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme 2014-2020 approval of Evaluation reports under Step 1 (Preliminary session), Step 2 (Administrative compliance and eligibility check) and Step 3 Rules of Procedure of the JMC of the Interreg-IPA CBC Bulgaria - Turkey Programme for

of the comments received from the JMC Members

Member of the Joint Monitoring Committee / Institution Mrs. Dorita Zlateva	Comments/ Remarks: Expresses no remarks or comments on	Accept //Decline: N.A.	Position of the Managing Authority Justification:
Ministry of Foreign Affairs	the submitted documents.		
Mrs. Ovunc Gunes Directorate for EU Affairs	No comments were received from Turkish JMC members. National Authority	N.A.	N.A.
Ministry of Foreign Affairs	approves the documents.		

Remark: There was no response received from other members of the Joint Monitoring Committee.