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WELCOME



Mr. Gerhard Schumann-Hitzler, Director, Directorate D - IPA Strategy, DG Enlargement

OPENING REMARKS



Ms. Jelica Minic, Deputy Secretary General, Regional Cooperation Council

Update on recent RCC activities



Ms. Gabriela Köhler-Raue, Head of Section, Regional Cooperation and Programmes, DG Enlargement

Update on programming process IPA Multi-beneficiary Programming 2012 and 2013



MB Programme 2012 Timeline

Drafting of PFs	Consultation of NIPACs	Review of draft PFs	Consultation EU-MS, IFIs, CSOs	MB Coordination meeting
April – Sept. 2011	End Oct. – Nov. 2011	Nov. 2011	Dec. 2011	15 – 16 Nov. 2011
QSG	ISC	Translation	IPA Committee	Adoption May – June 2012
14 Dec. 2011	Dec. 11- Jan. 12	March. 2012	23 April 2012	



MB Programme 2013 Timeline

Drafting of PIFs	Consultation of NIPACs on PIFs	QSG	MB Coordination meeting	Development of PFs
January February	March April	19 April 2012	26 & 27 April 2012	April 2012
Consultation of NIPACs on PFs	ISC	Translation	IPA Committee	Adoption end of 2012/ 2013
May 2012	5 July 2012	Sept. 2012	8 Nov. 2012	



Assessment of progress in regional cooperation Implementation Review for a selected sector: Justice and Home Affairs



Purpose:

- To ascertain the degree of success or not of Multi-beneficiary programmes;
- To learn lessons from planning and implementation of MB IPA assistance to improve future strategic planning and programming.



Intervention by NIPACs



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IPA II Regulation and draft Implementing Rules





