

Clarification No. 1 for

IPA IV “Preparation of project pipeline and support to the ESF beneficiaries” EuropeAid/132480/D/SER/HR

Request for clarification	Clarification
<p data-bbox="185 651 432 680">No. 1, 26 June 2013</p> <p data-bbox="185 719 671 857">1. Can we submit references of projects for ESF in EU Member States or just in IPA countries outside EU?</p> <p data-bbox="185 898 671 1149">2. If the percentage of the project carried out by the legal entity is less than 60% but the project is highly above 1.000.000 euro, thus letting the legal entity carry out more than 600.000 euro of project, is the reference eligible?</p>	<p data-bbox="695 651 922 680">No. 1, 3 July 2013</p> <p data-bbox="695 719 1401 846">The criteria regarding eligibility of legal and natural persons are described in section 21. <i>Selection criteria</i>; subsection 3. <i>Technical capacity of candidate</i> of the Contract Notice.</p> <p data-bbox="695 898 1401 1267">Please note that at least one technical assistance project on which candidate has worked on must have been implemented in a country eligible under IPA programme, among which EU Member States are also listed (Council Regulation (EC) No 1085/2006 — OJ L 210/82 of 31.7.2006: EU Member States, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Kosovo under UNSC Resolution 1244/99, Montenegro, Serbia and Turkey, countries of the European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument, countries of the European Economic Area).</p> <p data-bbox="695 1323 1401 1547">Furthermore, at least one technical assistance project on which candidate has worked on must have been with a budget equal to or exceeding 1.000.000 EUR in which the proportion carried out by the legal entity must be equal to or exceeding 60 %. Therefore, the project reference which has the proportion carried out by the legal entity below 60% would not be accepted.</p>