



**Cross-Border Cooperation Programme, Co-Financed by the
Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance
CCI Number 2007CB16IPO007**

**Training Session for Potential Beneficiaries
of the First Call for Proposals within the Cross-Border Cooperation
Programme
„Preparation of Project Proposals and Completion of the Application Form“
November 3, 2009, Blagoevgrad**

On November 3, 2009 a training session for potential beneficiaries of the First Call for Proposals within the Cross-Border Cooperation Programme co-financed by the Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance CCI Number 2007CB16IPO007 will take place in Blagoevgrad.

The Training Session will take place in **Ezeretz Hotel, Conference Hall 1, 2 Peyo Yavorov Blvd, Blagoevgrad, from 9.00 a. m. to 5.00 p. m.**

The training is organized by the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works (Managing Authority), in cooperation with the Ministry of Local Self-Government (National Authority).

You can find the training agenda on the website of the Programme at <http://ipa-cbc-007.eu> and on the website of the Managing Authority at <http://www.mrrb.government.bg>.

Those who wish to participate should complete a registration form which can be requested on email ipa@strategma.bg or downloaded from the web page of the Programme and should be sent back to the email or to fax.: +359 (0)2 981 63 48.

The deadline for registration for participation in the training is **October 28, 2009**.

The Call for Proposals for the Cross-Border Cooperation Programme between Bulgaria and Macedonia, co-financed by the Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance, CCI Number 2007CB16IPO007 was launched on September 14, 2009. Under present Call for Proposals an indicative amount of EUR 4 131 652 is available for the project. Project proposals would have to target one of the following priority axes:

1. Economic Development and Social Cohesion
2. Improvement the Quality of Life

You can find the complete application documentation, including the Applicant's Guide available for download on the following internet pages: www.ipa-cbc-007.eu, www.mrrb.government.bg, and www.mls.gov.mk

The deadline for submission of project proposals is 4 p.m. local time on December 14, 2009 on the address, indicated in the Applicant's Guide for the Call for Proposals.

The events within the information campaign are organized by Consortium „STRATEGMA – European Institute“ with financial support under the BG 2006/018-389.01.03.01 Technical Assistance Project.

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