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Small Business Act Assessment for the Western Balkans and Turkey (2016-19)

Launch Meeting

8 November 2017

Hotel Bristol, Sarajevo

Room Sarajevo II+III



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LAUNCH OF THE SBA ASSESSMENT FOR THE WESTERN BALKANS AND TURKEY (2016-19)

9:30-16:00

The launch meeting will consist of an opening plenary session (9:30 – 13:00), followed by bilateral meetings by policy dimension with line ministries and other relevant stakeholders (14:30 – 16:00).

The overall objective of the Meeting is to present the key features of the SBA assessment methodology and process, as well as to introduce the revised SME Policy Index assessment frameworks by dimension.



09:00-09:30 REGISTRATION AND WELCOME COFFEE

09:30-10:00 INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

Mr. Dragan Milović, Assistant Minister and the SBA Co-ordinator, Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Mr. Jan Snidauf, Head of Political and Economic Section, Delegation of the EU to Bosnia and Herzegovina

Ms. Marzena Kisielewska, Head of South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

10:00-10:30 PRESENTATION OF THE SME POLICY INDEX METHODOLOGY AND THE ASSESSMENT PROCESS

Mr. Umur Gökçe, Project Manager, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Questions and answers

10:30-10:45 COFFEE BREAK

10:45-11:30 PRESENTATION OF THE ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS

Dimension 1. Entrepreneurial learning and women's entrepreneurship, Mr. Anthony Gribben, Specialist in Entrepreneurship and SME skills, ETF

Dimension 2. Bankruptcy and second chance for SMEs, Mr. Ali-Fuad Turgut, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 3. Institutional and regulatory framework, Ms. Jovana Pavlović, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 4. Operational environment for SMEs, Mr. Ali-Fuad Turgut, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 5a. Support services for SMEs and start-ups, Mr. Patrik Pruzinsky, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 5b. Public procurement, Ms. Jovana Pavlović, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

11:30-11:45 DISCUSSION ON THE ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS

11:45-12:30 PRESENTATION OF THE ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS (CONTINUATION)

Dimension 6. Access to finance, Mr. Ali-Fuad Turgut, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 7. Standards and technical regulations, Mr. Umur Gökçe, Project Manager, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 8a. Enterprise skills, Mr. Anthony Gribben, Specialist in Entrepreneurship and SME skills, ETF

Dimension 8b. Innovation policy for SMEs, Mr. Umur Gökçe, Project Manager, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 9. SMEs in a green economy, Ms. Jovana Pavlović, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Dimension 10. Internationalisation of SMEs, Mr. Patrik Pruzinsky, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

12:30-12:45 DISCUSSION ON THE ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORKS

12:45-13:00 CLOSING REMARKS

Mr. Dragan Milović, Assistant Minister and the SBA Co-ordinator, Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations, Bosnia and Herzegovina

13:00-14:30 LUNCH

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14:30-15:15 BILATERAL MEETING WITH ETF ON HUMAN CAPITAL DIMENSIONS (1 and 8a)

Mr. Anthony Gribben, Specialist in Entrepreneurship and SME skills, European Training Foundation

Mr. Dragan Milović, Assistant Minister and the SBA Co-ordinator, Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Mr. Alden Kajtaz, Ministry of Education and Science, FBiH

Mr. Goran Dodig, INTERA Techno park, FBiH

Ms. Zorica Garača, Ministry of Education and Culture, RS

Ms. Nikolina Dorontić Alibabić, Chamber of Commerce, RS

Representatives from the Ministry of Civil Affairs of BiH will attend the meeting.

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14:30- 15:15 BILATERAL MEETING ON SUPPORT SERVICES FOR SMEs (Dimension 5a)

Mr. Patrik Pruzinsky, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Ms. Ekrema Kasum, Ministry of Finance, FBiH

Ms. Nikolina Radovan, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Vesna Jugo, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Adis Fajić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH & FBiH SBA Co-ordinator

Ms. Žana Bajalica, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS

15:15- 16:00 BILATERAL MEETING ON INTERNATIONALISATION OF SMEs (Dimension 10)

Mr. Patrik Pruzinsky, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Mr. Adis Fajić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH & FBiH SBA Co-ordinator

Ms. Andreja Softić, Chamber of Commerce, FBiH

Mr. Domagoj Andrijanić, Chamber of Crafts, FBiH

Ms. Nikolina Dorontić Alibabić, Chamber of Commerce, RS

Mr. Jovan Blagojević, Ministry of Economic Relations and Regional Cooperation, RS

Representatives from the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations of BiH and the Foreign Trade Chamber of BiH and BiH Export Promotion Agency will attend the meeting.

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14:30-15:15 BILATERAL MEETING ON BANKRUPTCY AND SECOND CHANCE (Dimension 2)

Mr. Ali-Fuad Turgut, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Ms. Ivana Boban, Ministry of Justice, FBiH

Ms. Jovana Vučković, Ministry of Justice, RS

15:15-16:00 BILATERAL MEETING ON OPERATIONAL ENVIRONMENT FOR SMEs (Dimension 4)

Mr. Ali-Fuad Turgut, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Mr. Samir Iskrić, Government of FBiH

Mr. Jozo Bejić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Zdravko Čerović, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Zdenko Perić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Gordana Krčum, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Sead Džiho, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Denis Vasić, Institute for development planning, FBiH

Ms. Aida Soko, Government of FBiH

Mr. Zoran Savić, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS & RS SBA Co-ordinator

Mr. Miroslav Radinković, Agency for IT society, RS

Ms. Jelena Ivošević, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS

Ms. Jovana Vučković, Ministry of Justice, RS

Representatives from the Ministry of Finance of BiH and the Indirect Taxation Authority of BiH will attend the meeting.

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14:30-15:15 BILATERAL MEETING ON STANDARDS AND TECHNICAL REGULATIONS FOR SMEs (Dimension 7)

Mr. Umur Gökçe, Project Manager, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Ms. Angelina Zelenika, Ministry of Energy, Mining and Industry, FBiH

Ms. Jelena Ivošević, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS

Representatives from the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations of BiH, the Standardisation Institute of BiH, the Accreditation Institute of BiH, the Metrology Institute of BiH and the Market Surveillance Agency of BiH will attend the meeting.

15:15-16:00 BILATERAL MEETING ON INNOVATION POLICY FOR SMEs (Dimension 8b)

Mr. Umur Gökçe, Project Manager, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Mr. Alden Kajtaz, Ministry of Education and Science, FBiH

Mr. Goran Dodig, INTERA Techno park, FBiH

Ms. Nikolina Radovan, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Vesna Jugo, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Žana Bajalica, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS

Representatives from the Ministry of Civil Affairs, the Council for Science of BiH, and the Institute for Intellectual Property of BiH will attend the meeting.

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14:30- 15:15 BILATERAL MEETING ON INSTITUTIONAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK (Dimension 3)

Ms. Jovana Pavlović, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global Relations

Mr. Samir Iskrić, Government of FBiH

Mr. Jozo Bejić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Zdravko Čerović, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Zdenko Perić, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Gordana Krčum, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Mr. Sead Džih, Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Craft, FBiH

Ms. Aida Soko, Government of FBiH

Mr. Zoran Savić, Ministry of Industry, Energy and Mining, RS & RS SBA
Co-ordinator

Mr. Jovan Blagojević, Ministry of Economic Relations and Regional Cooperation,
RS

Ms. Marica Berić, RS SME agency

Representatives from the Ministry of Justice of BiH will attend the meeting.

15:15- 16:00 BILATERAL MEETING ON SMEs IN A GREEN ECONOMY (Dimension 9)

Ms. Jovana Pavlović, Policy Analyst, South East Europe Division, OECD Global
Relations

Ms. Nataša Zrilić, Environmental Protection Agency, RS

Ms. Suada Numić, Ministry of Environment and tourism, FBiH

***Representatives from the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations of
BiH will attend the meeting.***



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