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1. Steering Committee Activities

- At the Steering Committee meeting held in Pristina on 7 November 2007, regarding further ReSPA institutionalisation, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia also expressed willingness to host ReSPA.
- The steering committee member undertook all necessary preparatory work for a successful completion of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia's application to host ReSPA; contacts were made with all relevant ministries, including the Government, in order to ensure their active participation in the initiative and successful submission of the application.

2. ReSPA Publications

- The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia successfully participated in the ReSPA electronic newsletter (November edition) with two different contributions: Policy on attraction and retention of young and highly educated employees into the civil service and Presentation of Civil Servants Agency.
- The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia prepared information on Training events in the country provided by different institutions: Civil Servants Agency, General Secretariat of the Government, Secretariat of European Affairs and to the municipalities, that is to be published on the ReSPA website.
- ReSPA website updates were collected under the co-ordination of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and BiH; website updates were successfully collected in November with contributions from Serbia, Montenegro, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Albania and BiH.
- The draft version of the Civil Service Training System of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia was sent to ReSPA secretariat and preparation of the final contribution is now in progress.

3. ReSPA Events

- SC Member successfully recruited candidates for the final training on Negotiations in EU context, tools and methods, taking place in December in Belgrade.
- SC Member successfully recruited candidates for the Training on Public Procurement at the ILO training centre in Turin, Italy, 19-23 November 07.

4. Other Issues

- Nothing new to report.

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