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### **1. Steering Committee Activities**

- Continuous communication between the Serbian SC member and substitute member regarding the procedure for signing the International Agreement Establishing ReSPA.
- Preparation of the Serbian SC Substitute Member for participation in the 9<sup>th</sup> session of the Steering Committee to be held in Sarajevo, Bosnia & Herzegovina, 5 November 08.

### **2. ReSPA Publications**

- October website contribution about the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual ReSPA Conference, held in Belgrade on 23-24 September 2008, **produced**.
- Coordination and synthesis activities pertaining to the production of the second regional ReSPA publication **continued** (reading through and commenting on the contributions received from other Option B resources, research of relevant literature, in particular Sigma literature, production of the introductory and drafting of other sections of the publication).

### **3. ReSPA Events**

- 3 Serbian participants **participated** in the CEF/ReSPA seminar "Introduction to Public Finance Management" held in Ljubljana 13-17 October 2008.
- 3 Serbian participants **participated** in the first part of the Bakov/ReSPA seminar on law drafting held in Bonn, 20-24 October 2008.

### **4. Other Issues**

- Domestic procedure for the signature of ReSPA international agreement **continued**.