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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

CZECH DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

AND

POLICE OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

AND

**STATE INVESTIGATION AND PROTECTION AGENCY (SIPA) OF
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA**

CONCERNING

THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROJECT

**“SUPPORT TO CAPACITY BUILDING AND TECHNICAL
ASSISTANCE FOR POLICE DIVING UNIT IN BOSNIA AND
HERZEGOVINA”**

**IN THE FRAMEWORK OF
DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION**

BETWEEN

THE CZECH REPUBLIC

AND

BOSNIA AND HERCEGOVINA

PREAMBLE

The official development cooperation between the Czech Republic and Bosnia and Herzegovina is based on the principles of partnership, efficiency, transparency, and contributes to the promotion of mutual political and economic relations between the two countries.

In accordance with the government resolution no. 413 of 13 June 2012 approving Czech official development co-operation for the year 2013 including a medium term perspective till 2015, the Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and the State Investigation and Protection Agency of Bosnia and Herzegovina (hereinafter referred to as SIPA) wish to collaborate on the development co-operation project "Support of capacity building and technical assistance for the Diving Team of SIPA in Bosnia and Herzegovina" (hereinafter referred to as "project").

In this Memorandum of Understanding the Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA outline their intentions leading to successful implementation of the project.

The Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA agree to follow this Memorandum of Understanding with due care and efficiency and will provide all information concerning the project to each other. The Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA will discuss all matters that might arise within the context of this Memorandum of Understanding.

ARTICLE I

PROJECT SUMMARY

The project is part of the Czech development cooperation program which is ensured by the Ministry of Interior of the Czech Republic. Overall objective of this program is to contribute to the capacity building of security forces in Western Balkan Countries.

The specific objective of the project is to strengthen the capacity and efficiency of the Diving Team of SIPA. The main project outputs will be following:

- equipment for the Diving Team of SIPA (hereinafter referred to as “equipment”) is delivered to the beneficiary institutions of the project mentioned above (ensured by the Czech Development Agency);
- SIPA diving experts are trained in the field of modern diving techniques and methods (ensured by the Police of the Czech Republic).

ARTICLE II

THE SCOPE OF THE PARTNERSHIP OF THE CZECH DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

The Czech Development Agency is prepared to:

1. Ensure selection procedure for providers of equipment, essential to the implementation of the project.
2. Ensure funding of equipment purchase in accordance with the resolution of the Government of the Czech Republic for respective years.
3. Ensure cooperation with the Police of the Czech Republic, SIPA and other involved institutions regarding the selection and purchase of equipment.

ARTICLE III

THE SCOPE OF THE PARTNERSHIP OF THE POLICE OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

The Police of the Czech Republic is prepared to:

1. Nominate the responsible person to coordinate the activities regarding the implementation of the project.
2. Provide all necessary information relating to the implementation of the project.
3. Ensure training of the SIPA diving experts in the field of modern diving techniques and methods, including training of use of delivered equipment.
4. Elaborate technical part of the tender documentation for equipment purchase, including selection criteria.
5. Participate in assessment of tender bids for equipment purchase.
6. Provide for other measures within its competence which may facilitate the execution of the project.

ARTICLE IV

THE SCOPE OF THE PARTNERSHIP OF SIPA

SIPA is prepared to:

1. Nominate the responsible person to coordinate the activities regarding the implementation of the project.
2. Provide necessary information relating to the implementation of the project.
3. Ensure cooperation with the selected providers regarding the implementation of the project activities.
4. Ensure cooperation of state authorities on different levels, in particular regarding the customs and the value added tax.
5. Ensure payment of value added tax for equipment deliveries to the Diving Team of SIPA or ensure that goods and services provided under the project will be exempted from VAT.
6. Provide for other measures within its competence which may facilitate the execution of the project.

ARTICLE V

All decisions relating to the project will be based on discussion and agreements between the Czech Development Agency, Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA. Any differences, which may arise in the application of the provisions of this Memorandum of Understanding, will be settled by means of negotiations or by any other manner mutually agreed upon.

OTHER ISSUES

All notifications and documents provided or sent by the Czech Development Agency, Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA following this Memorandum of Understanding will always have a written form. All notifications and documents will be in English language. The notifications and documents will be provided or sent to the recipient upon delivery in person, by mail, by e-mail or by fax to the following addresses:

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This Memorandum of Understanding does not constitute an international treaty or legally binding agreement. It is intended only to set out the intentions of the Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA in relation to the implementation of the project only.

The Czech Development Agency, the Police of the Czech Republic and SIPA will cooperate pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding since the date of the last signature of the responsible authority until the date of the official termination of the project.

The Memorandum is signed in six originals in the English language. Each party receives two originals.

**On behalf of the Czech
Development Agency**

Signed in Praha
on 23.7. 2013



Michal Pastvinský
Director of the Czech
Development Agency

**On behalf of the Police
of the Czech Republic**

Signed in
on 23. 7. 2013



Col. Martin Červíček
President of the Police of
the Czech Republic

**On behalf of the State
Investigation and
Protection Agency**

Signed in Praha
on 23.07. 2013



Nediljko Bilić
Ambassador of Bosnia
and Herzegovina in the
Czech Republic