



Annual Work Plan (2018)

Country: Serbia

UNDAF Outcome(s):

By 2020, governance institutions at all levels have enhanced accountability and representation to provide better quality services to people and the economy

Expected Output(s):

(Those that will result from the project and extracted from the CPAP) Management of public funds is improved at all levels

Implementing Partner: State Audit Institution

Other Partners (i.e. Responsible Parties): Ministry of Finance, UNDP CO Serbia

The overall objective of the project is to establish a network between the Central Harmonization Unit and cities representing the seat of regional centers in order to enhance the system of Financial Management and Control across local self-government units and ensure that the internal audit function in local government is in place, fully functional and supported and demanded by the municipal leadership. It further seeks to develop the interface between internal and external municipal audit in municipalities, for the purpose of increasing the audit effectiveness, given more responsibility for the financial audit towards internal auditors and increasing the external auditors focus on performance audit. The project will enable more frequent and higher quality municipal audits by SAI within the budget cycle and to establish good practice in sub national PFM reform enforcement. Finally, good public finance management practices will be recorded by civil society and media and promoted widely.

Throughout the year the project component shall support the State Audit Institution (SAI) in development of relations between external and internal audit in order to promote internal audit and internal financial controls at the local level. One of the major activities in 2018 shall be communicating State Audit findings and most common irregularities in Public spending to municipal officials, promotion of Internal Audit and support to Working group consisted of State Audit Institution and Ministry of Finance representatives.

Programme Period:	2015-2019
Programme Component:	State Audit Institution
Project Title:	Enhancement of Municipal Audit for Accountability and Efficiency in Public Finance Management
Award/Output Number:	00087601/00094544
Duration:	2015-2019

Estimated Annualized Budget: \$ 133,920

Annual allocated resources:

- SDC \$ 133,920

Agreed by SAI

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ANNUAL WORK PLAN

YEAR: 2018

EXPECTED OUTPUTS <i>And indicators including annual targets</i>	PLANNED ACTIVITIES <i>List all activities including M&E to be undertaken during the year towards stated CP outputs</i>	TIMEFRAME				RESPONSIBLE PARTY	Source of Funds	PLANNED BUDGET	
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4			Budget Description	2018
Output 1.1 SAI Department for external audit of LSG has widened its competences and capacities from financial and compliance to performance audits, through certification and professional training of its auditors; SAI's capacity building program will respect principles of an equal opportunity employer; Baseline: 1. No 2. 0 3. 0	Activity 1.1 Trainings for Department for auditing of local governments in order to widen the scope and type of audit and use of IT for efficient work i.e. use of Share Point as a tool for Audit Teams information sharing.					UNDP	SDC	71300 Local Consultants 71600 Travel 74200 Printing and translations 75700 Training, Workshops and Conferences	2,000 8,000 8,000 5,000
	Activity 1.2 Debate on criteria for definition of audit frequency and scope organised and analysis to advise SAI further action started. Targets: At least 40					UNDP	SDC	71300 Local Consultants 75700 Training, Workshops and Conferences	3,000 2,000

<p>Informed by the SAI on recurring external audit findings and on how they can best be addressed; SAI external municipal audit findings are reader friendly e.g. for MPs (central and local level), citizens, municipal financial department staff and internal auditors;</p>	<p>Activity 1.5</p> <p>Support to Internal and external auditors to provide mutual support for audit recommendations;</p>	<p>UNDP</p>	<p>X</p>	<p>X</p>	<p>X</p>	<p>SDC</p>	<p>71300 Local Consultants 71600 Travel 74200 Printing and translations 75700 Training, Workshops and Conferences</p>	<p>5,000 1,000 5,000 4,000</p>
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Output 1.4	SAI and Central Harmonisation Unit (CHU) introduce international audit standards (such as defined by INTOSAI) and the Institute for Internal Audit (IIA) jointly, in order that external audits can build on internal audits and external audits can (increasingly) focus on LSGs' performance. The interface between internal and external audit is developed for the purpose of audit effectiveness.						
<i>Indicators:</i>							
1. Working group consisting of SAI and MoF/CHU representatives introduced international audit standards for both internal and external audit (yes/no);							
2. All internal municipal auditors received up-to-date and tailor-made information on how to achieve international audit standards by 2019 (yes/no)							
3. Number of meetings in order to discuss issues related to interaction and cooperation between the internal and external auditors							
Targets:							
1. Yes							
2. Yes							
3. At least 2							
Activity 1.6							
Organised regular up-to-date information on international auditing standards for internal auditors;	X	X	X	X	UNDP	SDC	
71300 Local Consultants							8,000
71600 Travel							1,000
74200 Printing and translations							5,000
75700 Training, Workshops and Conferences							5,000
Subtotal Direct Project Costs	124,000						
General Management Services (GMS 8%)	9,920						
Total Project Costs	133,920						

Note:

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