

## JOINT MONITORING COMMITTEE

under Interreg-IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme

Written procedure No.9, initiated on 02.03.2017

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**1. Description:** The Written Procedure in accordance with art. 7 of the Rules of Procedure of the JMC of the Interreg - IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme 2014 – 2020 for approval of modification of the Cross-border Cooperation Programme “Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey” for the years 2014-2020 under the Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II), CCI 2014TC16I5CB005 was initiated by the Managing Authority – Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works, Bulgaria on 02.03.2017.

The official letter No 99-00-2-209/02.03.2017 and the following attached documents were sent to the JMC members via e-mail and the JMC section of the Management Information System of the Programme for review:

1. Programme document, version 5 (with track changes);
2. Programme document, version 5 (clean);

The JMC members were given 10 working days to send their approval or comments on the proposed documents.

Approvals of the modification of the Cross-border Cooperation Programme “Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey” for the years 2014-2020 under the Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II), CCI 2014TC16I5CB005, version 5 of February 2017, were received from the following institutions:

- Ministry of Tourism, Republic of Bulgaria;
- Yambol district administration, Republic of Bulgaria.

The names and institutions of JMC members together with summary of their comments are presented in Attachment 1.

**2. Decisions:** JMC approves the modification of the Cross-border Cooperation Programme “Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey” for the years 2014-2020 under the Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II), CCI 2014TC16I5CB005, version 5.

The hereby decisions enter into force on the **20<sup>th</sup> of March 2017**, the date following the deadline for submission of comments / objections / additional proposals from the JMC members.

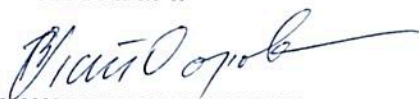
**3. Attachments:**

1. Table of the comments received by JMC members;
2. Letter No 99-00-2-209/02.03.2017 of the Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Public Works, Bulgaria;

3. Modified Cross-border Cooperation Programme "Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey" for the years 2014-2020 under the Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II), CCI 2014TC16I5CB005, version 5.

**Signatures:**

**for BULGARIA:**



**Ms. Valentina VARBEVA**

*Deputy Minister of  
Regional Development and Public Works  
Head of Managing Authority  
Co-chairperson of JMC*

**For TURKEY:**



**Ms. Beyza TURAN**

*Director of Financial Cooperation  
Directorate at the Ministry for EU  
Affairs of Turkey and  
Co-Chairperson of the JMC*

**Written Procedure**

in accordance with art. 7 of the Rules of Procedure of the JMC of the Interreg - IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey Programme 2014 – 2020 for approval of modification of the Cross-border Cooperation Programme “Interreg – IPA CBC Bulgaria – Turkey” for the years 2014-2020 under the Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II), CCI 2014TC1615CB005

**TABLE**  
of the Comments received from JMC Members

<b>Member of the Joint Monitoring Committee / Institution</b>	<b>Comments/ Remarks:</b>	<b>Accept /Decline:</b>	<b>Justification:</b>
<b>Ms. Milka Nanova</b> Directorate for Programmes and Projects, Ministry of Tourism, Republic of Bulgaria	Approves the modification.	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Mr. Georgi Chalakov</b> Governor Yambol district administration, Republic of Bulgaria	Approves the modification.	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Ms. Ovuunc Gunes</b> Ministry for European Union Affairs Republic of Turkey	Shares that there were no comments received by Turkish JMC members.	N.A.	N.A.

Remark: From other members of the Joint Monitoring Committee there was no response received.

