**WORK PROGRAMME FOR GRANTS**

**Commissariat for Refugees and Migration of the Republic of Serbia and “JUP Istrazivanje i razvoj” d.o.o Beograd**

**1. Basic act and/or Financing source**

*Framework Agreement between the Council of Europe Development Bank and the Republic of Serbia in relation to the Regional Housing Programme* signed on 25 October 2013 and *Grant Agreement between the Council of Europe Development Bank and the Republic of Serbia in relation to the Regional Housing Programme and with respect to second sub-project under the Republic of Serbia’s Country Housing Project* signed on 9 September 2014.

**2. Objectives of the programme, priorities for Country Hosing Project, Sub-project II, Components 3 and 4, and expected results**

The **global objective** of the Country Hosing Project (CHP) in the Republic of Serbia is to contribute to **local integration of refugees in the Republic of Serbia** by providing durable and sustainable housing solutions with full respect for the rights of refugees and obligation undertaken within the Regional Cooperation Process to which the RHP is an integral part.

**Specific objectives:**

* Provision of support to integration of refugees already started to build houses or have inadequate house suitable for reconstruction, through the provision of **packages of construction material (Sub-project II: Component 3: provision of construction material)**.
* Provision of support to integration of refugees through the **purchase of Village Houses** whereby the beneficiary immediately becomes the owner **(Sub-project II: Component 4: Purchase of Village Houses)**.

**Expected results:**

* For component 3: Provision of construction material: **250 packages of building material** are delivered to the beneficiary families selected in accordance with existing legal framework;
* For component 4: Purchase of Village Houses: **250 village houses provided** to the beneficiaries selected in in accordance with existing legal framework.

**3. Eligibility conditions**

Actions must take place in the Republic of Serbia, more specifically in some of the below listed Towns/Municipalities.

Eligible for this Work Programme are the following Local Self Government institutions (i.e. Towns/Municipalities):

* For component 3: Provision of construction material: Backa Topola, Stara Pazova, Pecinci, Kula, Ruma, Irig, Zrenjanin, Temerin, Pancevo, Apatin, Vrsac, Srbobran, Backa Palanka, Sid, Vrbas, Sremski Karlovci, Titel, Kovin, Sremska Mitrovica, Zabalj, Zitiste, Plandiste, Odzaci, Nova Crnja, Bela Crkva, Opovo and 16 municipalities from Belgrade: Barajevo, Cukarica, Grocka, Lazarevac, Mladenovac, Novi Beograd, Obrenovac, Palilula, Rakovica, Savski Venac, Sopot, Stari Grad, Surcin, Vozdovac, Zvezdara and Zemun.
* For Component 4: Purchase of Village Houses: Apatin, Backa Palanka, Vrbas, Zajecar, Zrenjanin, Kikinda, Kragujevac, Kula, Loznica, Odzaci, Pancevo, Paracin, Pecinci, Ruma, Smederevo, Srbobran, Sremska Mitrovica, Sremski Karlovci, Stara Pazova, Ub, and Sabac.

**4. Selection and award criteria**

The selection criteria to be used under this Work programme are related to the applicant's financial and operational capacity to complete the proposed action:

* the applicants must have stable and sufficient sources of funding to keep operating throughout the action implementation period and to participate, where appropriate, in its funding;
* the applicants must have the necessary experience, professional competencies and qualifications to complete the proposed action.

The award criteria relate, in particular, to the relevance of the action and its compatibility with the objectives of the grant programme; the quality, expected impact and its cost-effectiveness.

The evaluation will be carried out in accordance with the procedures set out in the RHP Grant Manual.

**5. Maximum rate of the RHP financing**

The maximum rate of RHP financing is 100 % of eligible expenditure.

**6. Indicative time-schedule of calls for proposals**

The Call for Proposals will most likely be launched in the 4th quarter of 2014.

**7. Indicative amount of calls for proposals**

The overall indicative amount made available:

* For Component 3: Provision of building material: **EUR 2.170.000**.
* For Component 4: Purchase of Village Houses: **EUR 2.750.000**

*This Grant Work Programme is published under suspension clause pending the allocation of the corresponding funds by the RHP Fund.*