



H.E Mr. Vincent Theo DEGERT Ambassador

Head of Delegation

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

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Your Excellency,

In replying to the EU Questionnaire, the Government of the Republic of Serbia has marked the national health-care system as the most corrupt field. The EU officials have in numerous reports pointed out to priority in eradicating the corruption in health care system. Hence, numerous information provided by the „whistle blowers“ are worrisome in relation to projects that are being implemented under the auspices of the EU Delegation in Belgrade. The latest information reaching us are in regard to cancer patients and are linked to the Project EuropeAis/129567/C/SUP/.

Information available to us clearly point to the continuity of „creative approach“ in spending the money of European tax payers. Medical equipment that does not have the EU origin is purchased, that has not been certified by Serbian government regulatory body, which is a strict tender requirement. Since the donation has been given for diagnostics of breast cancer, we deem it unacceptable that the situation be repeated as in the case when a large delivery of machines for dialysis was effected out of which one half of machines were not installed at all since the machines were either out-of-date or of poor quality. Also, there is the issue of a multi-million EU project for implementation of electronic medical history card/file which even after four years has not been realized. Since the general public does not see that decision-making procedures in projects financed by EU are transparent and in light of the fact that here is no possibility of using the legal remedies in fighting the abuse of office, you are kindly asked, within your sphere of influence to make necessary check ups of our allegations and inform us accordingly.

Respectfully,

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