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Dear Mr Bogicevic,

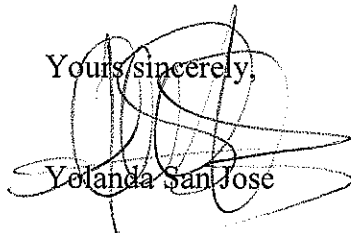
Thank you for your letter which we have received on the 29 July 2014, in which you express your concern in relation to information, gathered from the media article about the public procurement for software for the National Employment Service, for goods that they have already acquired through a previous IPA project.

Respect for the principles of ethics, enhanced transparency and fraud prevention underlies the EUs approach to the use of the EU budget, including IPA funding. The EU requires that all authorities responsible for the management of EU funds must observe the highest standards of ethical behaviour and integrity. The EU further requires that relevant information on the use of EU funds should be available as far as possible.

We shall analyse all information available with regard to the data published in the mentioned article, and contact the responsible authorities for the purposes of obtaining the required clarifications, as needed.

We in particular value good cooperation with civil society on these matters and encourage you to continue following the effects and impact of the implementation of the IPA funding in Serbia.

Yours sincerely,



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