





# National Association of Municipal Clerks of Bulgaria (NAMCB) and Foundation "Balkan Net", Supported by the Foundation "Hanns Seidel" Municipality of Sandanski, hotel Pirin May 14-16, 2014

### PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

#### 14.05.2014

#### **Accommodation and dinner**

# 15.05.2014

**Topic:** PREVENTION OF FRAUD OF EU FUNDS, EUROPEAN PROJECTS AND CROSS-BORDER COOPERATION

# **10:00 – 10:30 Opening of the seminar:**

Mr. Valentin Lazarov, President of the National Association of the Municipal Clerks of Bulgaria,

Mr. Andon Totev, Mayor of the Municipality of Sandanski /to be confirmed/,

Mr. Bogdan Mirchev, Head of the Foundation Hanns Seidel - Bulgaria and Mr. Jean Stanoevski, President of Balkan Net

# 10:30 – 11:30 Protection of the financial interests of EU.

On site control and administrative investigations conducted by OLAF and the AFKOS directorate.

Lecturer: Mr. Bojko Kostov, Head of Department "Operational Cooperation"

#### 11:30 - 11:45 Coffee break

11:45 – 12:45 Irregularities and frauds with EU funds, reported to OLAF by the **AFKOS's directorate** Lecturer: Mr. Georgi Zajkov, Head of Department "Reporting of Irregularities" 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch 14:30 - 15:30 Presentation of project proposals for the programme "Cross-Border Cooperation, Macedonia and Bulgaria" Moderator: Mr. Jean Stanoevski, President of Balkan Net 15:30 - 15:45 Coffee break **15:45 – 17:00** Presentation of opportunities for mutual projects Lecturer: Mr. Valentin Lazarov, President of NAMCB 19:30 - 21:30 Dinner 16.05.2014 10:00 - 11:00System for management of irregularities / frauds in terms of EU funds and Irregularities and frauds of EU funds in the Republic of Macedonia Lecturer: Ms. Tanja Zezova, Head of the Department for Financial and System Control of the EU Funds, National Fund, Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Macedonia 11:00 - 11:15 Coffee break Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Macedonia – Financial Police Office 11:15 – 12:15 Lecturer: Mr. Vlado Saraulev and Jelena Georgievska 12:30 Closing of the seminar 12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

Departure of the participants