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## **EUROPEAN UNION**

DELEGATION TO THE REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

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## Capacity building for development of the National Animal Disease Compensation fund and other services

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No	Question	Answer
1.	Under selection criteria point 21-3 of the procurement notice it is requested that:  "The candidate has provided in the course of the past 3 years (starting from 1.1.2010 up to the deadline for receipt of applications) at least 2 projects (the candidate's proportion greater than 500,000 EUR) in any of the fields described in Article 7."  a) Can you clarify if a project that started before 1.1.2010 and that has been finalized within the reference period beginning 1.1.2010 is eligible?	A reference project is considered eligible if it has been successfully completed in the relevant period (starting from 1.1.2010 until the deadline for receipt of applications) regardless of its starting date.  It is possible for the candidate/tenderer to refer to a part of a project where the contract is not yet finalised, but then, only the part which is successfully completed may be used as reference and the candidate/tenderer needs to be able to submit documentary evidence of this part's successful completion (e.g. statement from the entity which ordered the service).
2.	b) Can you further clarify if in this case the candidate's proportion refers to the whole project period, thus also for the period before 1.1.2010? For example, if a project started in 10.06.2008 and ended in 09.06.2010, is it considered to be provided in the course of the past 3 years and in this case, does the candidate's proportion refers to the whole project period of 24 months or just for the period from 1.1.2010 to 09.06.2010?	In this case, the whole value of that project (taking into account the candidate's proportion) will be considered, regardless of its starting date.

