



Project against Economic Crime in Kosovo¹ (PECK)

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TECHNICAL MEETING

on outstanding issues and identified needs for the revision of the AML/CFT Law

Pristina, 12 December 2014

(Venue: Council of Europe Office)

09:00 – 10:30	<i>Briefing and update on outstanding issues and identified needs for the revision of the AML/CFT Law:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Issues identified in the Draft Concept Paper for enhancing the prevention of money laundering and financing of terrorism;- Outstanding issues from the perspective of involved institutions and stakeholders;- Identified needs from assessment reports and other relevant domestic and international documents;- Needs identified from the consultation process;- Identified technical deficiencies and errors.
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee break
10:45 – 12:00	<i>Discussion on structure and content of needed improvements in the AML/CFT Law</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Legal system</i> (Criminalisation of ML and TF, Liability for ML offence, Freezing, seizing and confiscation of proceeds of crime, Freezing of Funds Used for Terrorist Financing);- <i>Related institutional measures</i> (FIU and its functions, Law enforcement, prosecution and other competent authorities, cross-border declaration and disclosure).
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch break
13:30 – 15:00	<i>Discussion on structure and content of needed improvements in the AML/CFT Law (cont'd)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Preventive measures (financial institutions, DNFBPs);- Legal persons and legal arrangements;- Non-profit organisations;- National and international co-operation;- Resources and statistics.
15:00 – 15:15	Coffee break
15:15 – 16:00	Miscellaneous and further expected steps

¹ This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence.

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