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Predmet: Ministarstvo zdravlja podriva izradu Nacionalne strategije za borbu protiv korupcije

Beograd, 26.april, 2013.

Poštovani g.Podpredsedniče, g.Ministre,

U okviru izrade Nacionalne strategije za borbu protiv korupcije u Beogradu je 19.aprila 2013. održan sastanak fokus grupe posvećene borbi protiv korupcije u zdravstvu na kome smo učestvovali na poziv Ministarstva pravde kao predstavnici civilnog sektora. U radu fokus grupe su učestvovali predstavnici domaćih i inostranih antikoruptivnih institucija, tužilaštva i policije.

Na naše zaprepašćenje, sastanku nisu prisustvovali predstavnici Ministarstva zdravlja iako su bili pozvani od organizatora. Podsećamo da se zdravstvo nalazi na vrhu najkorumpiranijih sektora u zvaničnom odgovoru Vlade RS na Upitnik EK kao i da je pitanje korupcije u zdravstvu Srbije naglašeno u Rezoluciji Evropskog Parlamenta iz marta 2012. Složićete se da je navedeno ponašanje Ministarstva zdravlja u direktnoj suprotnosti sa proklamovanim prioritetima Vlade RS o borbi protiv korupcije i predstavlja otvoreno izrugivanje svim Vašim naporima da se ova kriminalna pojava iskoreni. Ovako ignorantski stav zdravstvenih vlasti prema korupciji je ujedno i potcenjivanje preporuka iz Rezolucije Evropskog parlamenta.

Višegodišnje zataškavanje od strane Ministarstva zdravlja potpuno dokumentovanih

Attention: **Mr. Aleksandar Vučić**, Deputy prime Minister of the Government of Serbia and coordinator in fight against the corruption

Mr.Nikola Selaković
Justice Minister of the Government of Serbia

Matter: Serbian Ministry of Health Disrupts the Making of the National Strategy to Fight the Corruption

Belgrade, 26 April 2013

Dear Mr. Deputy Prime Minister and Mr. Minister,

In the course of making the National Strategy to Fight the Corruption, a meeting was held in Belgrade on 19 April 2013 of the focus group. The meeting was dedicated to fight against corruption in healthcare sector, and we have participated at the meeting, at the invitation of the Ministry of Justice as the representatives of the civil sector. In the business of focus group representatives of domestic and foreign anti-corruptive institutions, public prosecutors' offices and police have also taken part.

Much to our dismay, no representatives of the Ministry of Health (MoH) were present at the meeting, although they had been invited by the organizer of the meeting. We want to bring to your attention that healthcare system is at the top of the most corrupt sectors in the official reply of the Serbian Government to the EU Questionnaire. You will certainly agree that the said attitude of MoH is in direct opposition to proclaimed priorities of the Serbian Government regarding the fight against corruption and is an open mockery to all your efforts that this criminal activity be eradicated. Such ignoring attitude of healthcare authorities towards the corruption at the same time holds in low esteem the recommendations from the EU Parliament's Resolution from March 2012. A long-time covering up by the Serbian

velikih koruptivnih afera (trgovina listama čekanja na Institutu za onkologiju Vojvodine, trgovina službe Hitne pomoći Bg sa pogrebnicima, zloupotrebe kredita EIB u projektima rekonstrukcije bolnica, itd) permanentno otvara pitanja o sposobnosti države Srbije da iskoreni institucionalnu korupciju. Moramo napomenuti da uporno tolerisanja sistemske korupcije u zdravstvu, kao oblika korupcije sa najtežim posledicama po život i zdravlje hiljada pacijenta, i to od strane nadležnih organa izaziva opravdanu zabrinutost poslanika EP za kapacite naše države da usvoji standarde pravne države i ubrza proces evrointegracija.

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Odbijanje Ministarstva zdravlja da učestvuje u izradi Nacionalne strategije za borbu protiv korupcije je još jedan dokaz da u ovoj oblasti ne postoji politička volja za borbu protiv korupcije.

Iz tih razloga Vas molimo, g Podpredsedniče i g. Ministre da preduzmete neophodne mere kako bi se ovo neprihvatljivo stanje promenilo.

S poštovanjem,

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MoH (which has been going on for years now) of fully documented corruptive scandals (trade with waiting list of cancer patients at the Vojvodina Institute of Oncology, „deals“ of the Emergency Squad in Belgrade with private funeral parlours, embezzlement of credit lines extended by EIB for the projects of reconstruction of hospitals etc.) permanently opens the question of capacity of the Republic of Serbia to eradicate the institutional corruption. We have to point out that the stubborn tolerating of systemic corruption in healthcare system as the form of corruption has the gravest possible consequences to life and limb of thousands of patients, and such tolerance of corruption shown by the competent Government agencies causes a justified concern of EU deputies for capacities of Serbia to adopt the standards of the Rule of Law and speeds up the process of Euro-integrations.

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The refusal of the Serbian MoH to participate in the making of the National Strategy to fight the Corruption is one more proof that in this field there is no political will to fight the corruption.

On the basis of aforesaid, you are kindly asked, Mr. Deputy prime Minister and Mr. Minister, to take all necessary measures and steps so that this unacceptable situation be changed.

Yours respectfully,

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