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Initiation of the Project to Enhance the Capacities of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

The Capacity Development Programme (CDP) for the State Administration of the Republic of Montenegro, in cooperation with the Ministry for Foreign Affairs is initiating the Project „**Enhancing the capacity of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to better respond to Montenegro's national priorities for European integrations**”.

The project will be funded by UNDP, with an aim to strengthen the capacity of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to develop and implement national foreign policy.

The Project will support establishing and work of three new departments within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs relevant for effective formulating and implementation of foreign policy, as well as computer equipment procurement.

Official signatories for the Project will be:

**H.E. Minister of Foreign Affairs at the Government of the Republic of Montenegro
Mr. Milan Roćen**
and
**UNDP Resident Representative a.i./UN Interagency Focal Point in Montenegro Mr.
Garret Tankosić Kelly**

The signing will be witnessed by:

**Ms. Sanja Elezović, Director of Foundation Open Society Institute - Representative
Office Montenegro**

When: Friday, July 27, 2007 at 12,30 pm
Where: Vila Gorica, Podgorica, Montenegro

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