



*Montenegro*  
*Ministry of Internal Affairs*  
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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Ministry of Interior Affairs and Public Administration, Association of Municipalities of Montenegro and UNDP will organize two round tables on the theme of strengthening inter-municipal cooperation in Montenegro**

**What:** For the purpose of promoting inter-municipal cooperation which is very important for all the municipalities in Montenegro, especially in terms of joint servicing citizens, the Ministry of Interior Affairs and Public Administration and the Association of Municipalities of Montenegro, supported by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Montenegro, will organize two round tables in Podgorica and Bijelo Polje. Participants will be the representatives of Montenegrin municipalities, relevant international organizations and NGOs.

#### **Opening remarks at the round table in Podgorica will be given by:**

**Mr. Ivan Brajović, Minister of Interior Affairs and Public Administration of the Government of Montenegro**

**Mr. Alexander Avanesov, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative to Montenegro**  
**Mr. Žarko Pavićević, President of the Managerial Board of the Association of Municipalities of Montenegro**

**When: Monday, October 25th 2010, at 10am**

**Where: Green Hall at the Crna Gora Hotel, Podgorica**

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**The round table in Bijelo Polje will be held on Tuesday, October 26th 2010, at 11am, at the Municipality building.**

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After the introductory part, Mr. Dragan Pejanović, Secretary of the Ministry of Interior Affairs and Public Administration will present a joint publication of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Public Administration and UNDP, titled "Strengthening inter-municipal cooperation in Montenegro". Also, Mr. Ilmiasan Dauti, representative of the UNDP Country Office in the FYR Macedonia will present the Macedonian example of establishing inter-municipal cooperation, and Mayor of the Macedonian Municipality of Bosilovo Mr. Ljupčo Kolev will speak about his municipality's experience in the establishing and implementation of cooperation with the other municipalities. The representative of the European Union Delegation to Montenegro, Mr. Pierre-Yves Bellot will speak about the importance of inter-municipal cooperation in the EU integration context. After presentations a discussion among participants will follow, and will serve as a basis for the conclusions of the round tables.

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