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**To whom it may concern:**

We hereby confirm that **Mr. Florin NICULESCU** has worked for AGEG Consultants eG, as Environment Specialist - Civil Engineer, within the framework of the Contract N° 2007/0903-0101 Framework Contract Commission - Lot 1 Europeaid/123314/C/SER/multi - Provision of technical assistance related to the implementation of Component III (Regional Development) of IPA (Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance).

The Contracting Authority was the EC Delegation in Zagreb, Croatia and contracted Technical Assistance provided support for the Croatian Waters.

Within that contract, Mr. NICULESCU's task was to assess 2 (two) Tender Dossiers in line with Financing Agreement and Regional Operational Development Programmes, within IPA context, as well as with FIDIC Conditions of Contracts.

Tenders Dossiers were prepared according to **Practical Guide (PRAG)** and were related to Environment Operational Programme for developing waste management infrastructure for an integrated waste management system in Croatia and protecting Croatia's water resources through improved water supplies and an integrated waste water management system, consisting of a Works Contract under **Red FIDIC**, aiming at rehabilitating and extending the water supply and sewage networks, respectively of a Works Contract, under **Yellow FIDIC**, aiming at building two Waste Water Treatment Plants in both cities of Knin and Drniš, Croatia.

**Mr. NICULESCU** made a thorough review of all aspects in the two Tender Dossiers, including Instructions to Tenderers, Appendix to Tender, Evaluation Criteria/ Grids, Particular Conditions of Contract, Bills of Quantities/ Schedules of Prices and Technical Specifications/ Employer's Requirements.

After extensive discussions with representatives of both Croatian Waters and EC Delegation in Zagreb, **Mr. NICULESCU** issued a set of comments and recommendations, as well as several improved documents to be inserted in the final Tender Dossiers.

His pro-active approach, as well as his knowledge in technical and especially in contractual matters was highly appreciated by the project beneficiaries and we therefore warmly recommend **Mr. Florin NICULESCU** for further assignments.

We thank Mr. Florin NICULESCU for the outstanding cooperation.

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