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Disaster Preparedness and  
Prevention Initiative for South  
Eastern Europe  
(DPPI SEE)

***Seminar on „Intervention on the occurrence of accidents and fires in tunnels, roads and railway traffic“***

**Belgrade, 12 - 13 April 2018**

**Dear Colleagues,**

It is our pleasure to invite two representatives from your country to attend the Seminar on “Intervention on the occurrence of accidents and fires in tunnels, roads and railway traffic“ which will be held in Belgrade, Serbia on 12-13 April 2018. The Seminar is a Serbian contribution to the Disaster Management Training Programme for 2018 within the activities of Disaster Preparedness and Prevention Initiative for South Eastern Europe (DPPI SEE) and is organized by the Sector for Emergency Management of the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Serbia.

The overall aim of the Seminar is to exchange experiences and lessons learned between DPPI SEE participating states on the role and readiness of firefighters and first responders in case of emergencies in roads and railway tunnels accidents. Discussions will cover topics on adequate response, successful activities during interventions in disaster relief, communication and coordination of all agencies responding to incident, command and coordination of different services, procedures in responding, importance of joint exercises and other issues concerning mass casualty accidents in tunnels in road and rail transportation.

The Seminar will be organized in a plenary session. In accordance to DPPI SEE Reimbursement policy, travel, meals and accommodation for 2 participants per DPPI SEE signatory country will be covered by DPPI SEE budget upon request addressed to DPPI SEE Secretariat ([vildana.bijedic@dppi.info](mailto:vildana.bijedic@dppi.info)) by 23 March 2018.

Enclosed you will find information package for the seminar (draft agenda, administrative arrangements and the registration form). 20 minute presentations on the topic of experiences and lessons learned in „Accidents and fires in tunnels, roads and railway traffic“ are the most welcomed, and should be sent to [marija.vidanovic@mup.gov.rs](mailto:marija.vidanovic@mup.gov.rs) and [silvana.petrovic@mup.gov.rs](mailto:silvana.petrovic@mup.gov.rs) by 23 March 2018 at the latest.

We look forward to welcoming you in Belgrade.

Respectfully,

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