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THIRD PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

As previously announced, the Kosovo Property Agency (the 'KPA') was established on 4 March 2006 under UNMIK Regulation 2006/10. It is an independent agency mandated to resolve claims relating to private immovable property, including agricultural and commercial property arising out of the 1999 conflict.

1. Claim Intake commences in Serbia on 3 July 2006

The KPA will commence claim intake at its Belgrade office on Monday 3 July 2006. Please be informed that claims may be filed by any natural or legal person with the KPA at its office located at

KPA Belgrade

Kosovska 49/8

Tel: 011 334 5513 or 224 5314

Fax: 011 334 4452

The KPA is currently making arrangements to facilitate claim intake in other parts of Serbia proper, Montenegro and FYROM and we will shortly publish details about other claim intake offices. Claim intake is ongoing at the following offices Kosovo-wide:

KPA Gjilan/Gnjilane

Rade Popovic/Washington Street

Tel: 0280 20 289 - fax: 0280 24 067

KPA Mitrovicë/a

Southern part: Mbreteresha Teute Str. (opposite Yugobanka)

028 30 136 and 30137 - fax: 028 30 139

Northern part: Filipa Visnjica No. 4, Room No. 18 (ex KTA Building), North Station Compound

Tel: 063 197 6470 - fax: 028 30 139

KPA Pejë/Peć

Bill Clinton Street, No. 54

Tel: 039 32 968 - fax: 039 32 968

KPA Priština/Prishtinë

Down town: Rexhep Luci 28/Goleska Street 2

Tel: 038 225 473 - fax: 038 249 919

Gračanicë /Gracanica: Behind the Municipality Building

Tel: 038 225 473

KPA Prizren

Jeronim Derada (ex. Zef Mark Lushi/Metohiska) No. 63/A

Tel: 038 504 604 8046 - fax: 029 631 429

2. KPA's Website

The KPA's website is www.kpaonline.org where you can find information on how to file a claim with the agency, its mandate and the laws applicable to the processing and resolution of claims, in addition to real time statistics and statuses on individual claims.

3. Recruitment drive

KPA has launched its recruitment drive and we invite applications for all posts advertised on our website at www.kpaonline.org. The first announcement is published at this link: <http://www.kpaonline.org/PDFs/060619%20KPA%20Ad-01%20SC.pdf> – and please note the deadline of 4 July 2006. A second announcement is expected toward the end of July.

4. HPD's Annual Report 2005

The HPD published this week its annual report for 2005. The report presents the stories of nine claimants, together with an outline of the activities and achievements of the institution for the period up to December 2005. Relevant statistics on the adjudication and implementation of the claims are contained in a separate pamphlet. You may download an electronic version of the first part of the report (the nine stories) at these links:

<http://www.kpaonline.org/media/LocalAnnual.exe> (local version); and

<http://www.kpaonline.org/media/EnglishAnnual.exe> (English version).

The statistical information is available at this link (currently only in English): **XX**

5. Appointment of KPA Supervisory Board Members

The Kosovo Property Agency is composed of a Supervisory Board, an Executive Secretariat and a Property Claims Commission. Following Section 4 of UNMIK Regulation 2006/10, the function of the Supervisory Board is to supervise the work of the KPA and to provide administrative oversight, overall direction and policy guidance. The Board is composed of 5 members, one of whom is also designated as the Chairperson. On 29 June, the SRSG pursuant to the authority vested in him under section 4 of UNMIK Regulation 2006/10, appointed the five members of the Board as follows (chair listed first and subsequent members in alphabetical order):

Mr. Steven Schook, Chairperson;

Mr. Carel Brands;

Mr. Ardian Gjini;

Mr. Kirk McBride; and

Mr. Milorad Todorovic.