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**Support to Prosecutor's Network in
South Eastern Europe**

Training seminar on Mutual Legal Assistance – International Instruments

18 September 2008 – Belgrade
19 September 2008 - Nis

Agenda

**Day I – Belgrade
Hotel Continental**

- 09:00 Registration
- 09:30 Opening statements:
- Ambassador Constantin Yerocostopoulos**
Special Representative of the Secretary General of
the Council of Europe
- Mrs Jasmina Kiurski**
Deputy Prosecutor General
General Prosecutor’s Office
- Mr Thomas Gnocchi**
First Secretary and Head of Political and Information
Section
European Commission
- Ministry of Justice – Name to be confirmed
- Mr Simon Regis,**
Council of Europe Expert
Team Leader, Project on International Co-operation in
Criminal Matters in Ukraine
- 09:45 United Nations Instruments in the field of Mutual Legal
Assistance
Mr Erik Verbert – Deputy Legal Advisor, Federal Public
Service Justice, Belgium
- 10:30 Council of Europe Convention on Mutual Assistance in
Criminal Matters and its additional protocols
Mr Simon Regis
- 11:15 Questions and Answers
- 11:30 Break
- 11:45 EU Instruments in the field of Mutual Legal Assistance
Mr Erik Verbert
- 12:30 Questions and Answers
- 12:45 Lunch

13:45	Best Practice for drafting and executing requests Mr Erik Verbert and Mr Simon Regis
14:45	Questions and Answers
15:00	Break
15:20	Practical exercise - Case study
17:00	Feedback to plenary session
17:30	Closing remarks

**Day II – Nis
Hotel Aleksandar**

- 09:00 Registration
- 09:30 Opening statements:
- Mr Simon Regis,**
Council of Europe Expert
Team Leader, Project on International Co-operation in
criminal matters in Ukraine
- Mrs Tamara Mirovic**
Deputy District Prosecutor
Prosecutor's Office of Nis District
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