



Subject: First information seminar for the public and private sector employers

Date: April, 8th 2008.

Duration: from 10:00 till 12:00

Place: Varazdin County hall, Franjevački trg 7, Varazdin

On Tuesday, April 8th, 2008. the Project Management Team (PMT) organized an information seminar for public and private sector employers in the Varazdin County hall. Project partners representatives were present: Varazdin County: Mrs. Silvija Ladic, Open Community College Varazdin: Mrs. Nevenka Kobal, Municipality of Cestica: Mrs. Ksenija Boric and Municipality of Petrijanec: Mr. Nenad Tomasek), PMT members (Mr. Bajro Bajric, project manager, Mrs. Margareta Leskovar, project assistant, Petra Scuric, project administrator and Mrs. Stefica Zmegac, Roma coordinator), project associate (Croatian Employment Services: Mrs. Petra Kukec and Mrs. Branka Sasko). Also the Welfare Centre Varazdin representatives came, and Mr. Miljenko Ernoic, a deputy perfect of Varazdin county.

The purpose of the seminar was to inform the public about the REI project and to inform the employers about benefits and rights they have if they employ Roma people. The Croatian Employment Service has stimulation measurements for employers in which the give them facilities when employing Roma people.

First, Mr. Ernoic welcomed all present partners, representatives of companies that came to the seminar and he made speech regarding the Roma Day.

Also Mr. Bajric, a project manager, welcomed all present people and made a speech about Roma history and about Roma problems, not only in Varazdin county, but also at the national level.

Mrs. Leskovar presented the Roma Employment Initiative project, and inform the audience about activities that were implemented until then.

Mrs. Sasko, CES representative, had her presentation on stimulating measurements for employers who hire Roma people.

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