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Notice on the Mayor's meeting with the municipal directors Mamuşa/Mamusha's executive branch agrees to purchase an ultrasound device

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EC Ma Ndryshe, within the "Online Transparency of *Mamuşa/Mamushë* Municipality" project, has partaken in the meeting of the Mayor, Mr. Arif Bütüç, with municipal directors, in which a number of decisions were rendered. As these decisions are related to the public interest, EC Ma Ndryshe, for the purpose of increasing the local executive's transparency, shall henceforth publicize decisions taken by the municipal government of Mamuşa/Mamushë.

In its last meeting the executive branch of Mamuşa/Mamushë Municipality has approved the proposal of the Directorate of Health for purchasing an ultrasound device (ultrasonography) which will be at aid for the patients of this municipality at the Primary Healthcare. Local government has also adopted the decision regarding the enrolment on the pay-list of two doctors in Primary Health Care, an internal medicine physician and a paediatrician, who are already practicing within the Family Medicine Centre.

Municipal government has also passed the proposal of the Directorate of Public Services for the repair of public (street) lighting in town as well as the directorate's proposal for cleaning up the town's park.

At this meeting, the Directorate of Economy and Finances has raised the concern over the planning and allocation of government's grant 2014-2016, specifically for Education and Health, where it was asserted that this plan does not meet the real needs of the municipality of Mamuşa/Mamushë.

Local executive has been informed by the Directorate of Education, Culture, Youth and Sports regarding the projects for the construction of the sports fields of Mamuşa/Mamusha schools, as was collaboratively agreed between the Municipality and IOM.

At this meeting, the Director of Administration has raised the issue of the use of Turkish language in the civil registry and has requested from the Department of Administration to step up communication with the MIA (*Ministry of Internal Affairs*) for resolving this issue that has emerged after the introduction of the newly-installed software on civil status.

Project of EC Ma Ndryshe for transparency oversight of the executive branch shall continue on publicizing the monitoring findings through regular press releases and project's website, where the findings shall be posted directly by the monitors. So far, all the monitoring findings, including regular press releases and other information relative to local government of Prizren, are published on regular basis on the project's website: <u>www.online-transparency.org</u>.

Thank you for your cooperation,

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