

## ITU Regional Development Forum for Europe (RDF-EUR)

### *Information and Communication Technologies for Attaining Sustainable Development Goals*

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#### CONTRIBUTION BY

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**TITLE:** National policy advisory on ICT accessibility

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#### Europe Regional Initiative:

- EUR3: Accessibility, affordability and skills development for all to ensure digital inclusion and sustainable development

#### Year(s) of implementation:

- 2020

#### Background

ICT access, inclusion and “leaving no one behind” in this tech-enabled world are among the priorities of the Serbian Government. Historically Serbia was holding the first regional seminar on accessibility, back in 2016, in Belgrade, along with the Serbian Chamber of Commerce, and over the years has been active member contributing to the agenda of accessibility.

#### Proposal

To strengthen the capacity responsiveness of the Serbian Government, as well as to raise awareness and promote relevant guidelines on public policies, including exchanging knowledge and sharing good practices on ICT accessibility products and services for persons with disabilities and specific needs, Serbia is requiring National Policy Advisory to be provided by the ITU Regional Initiative for Europe.

