



# **FREE MOVEMENT OF GOODS**

**Enhanced Permanent Dialogue  
EU-Republic of Serbia**

**Belgrade, May 23, 2011**



**Ministry of Economy and Regional Development**



# ACTIVITIES AND RESULTS

- Legislation planned/prepared/adopted
- Implementation of the legislation - further steps
- Institutional capacities
- Projects

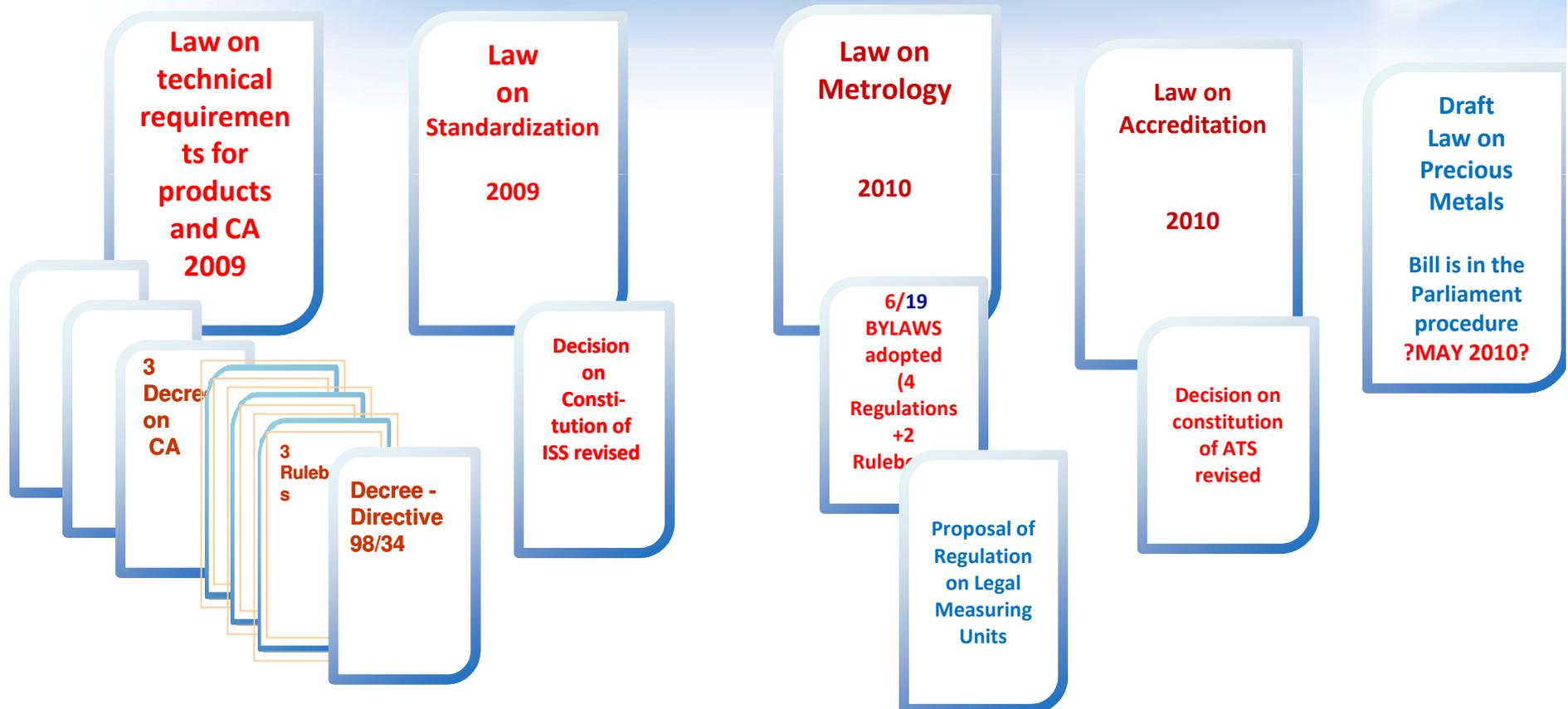




# LEGISLATION

## RESULTS ACHIEVED IN 2009 & 2010

### Horizontal Legislation





# Legislation activities from the last EPD

## (Jun 2010 - May 2011)

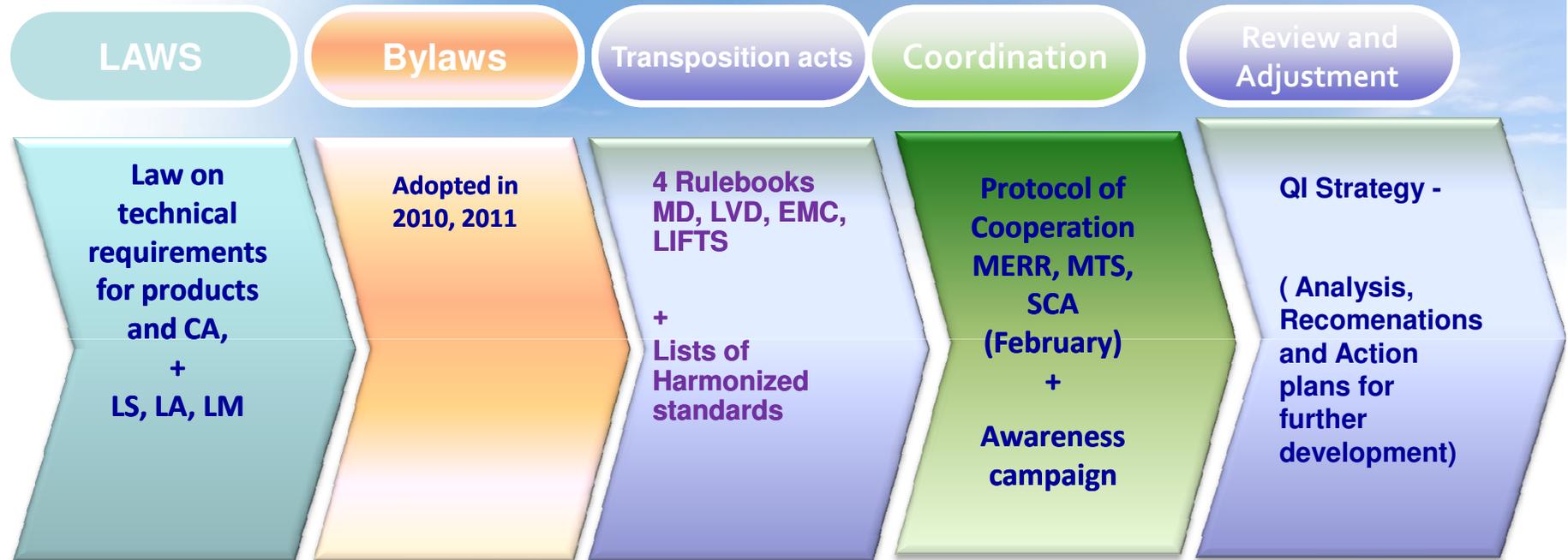
- **Bill on Law on Control of Precious Metals – Approved by the Government in December '10, Parliament Discussion ongoing**
- **6 Bylaws of law on Metrology has been published**
- **Decision on the Establishment of the Serbian Accreditation Body has been published**
- **New Rulebook on Lifts Safety and List of standards for Rulebook on Lifts Safety enacted**
  
- **Proposal of Regulation for Legal Measurement Units prepared and sent to the Government procedure**
  
- **Working groups established within MERR, and transposition started for**
  - **PPE,**
  - **MID,**
  - **NAWI,**
  - **Prepackages.**





# IMPLEMENTATION

- NEW CONCEPT for placing products on the market started



- DESIGNATION of 5 CABs (8 decisions on designation for MD, EMC and LVD), there are 3 more requests for designation currently in the procedure -1 for MD and 2 for Lifts)
- RECOGNITION of foreign certificates - 1 certificate registered





# QUALITY INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

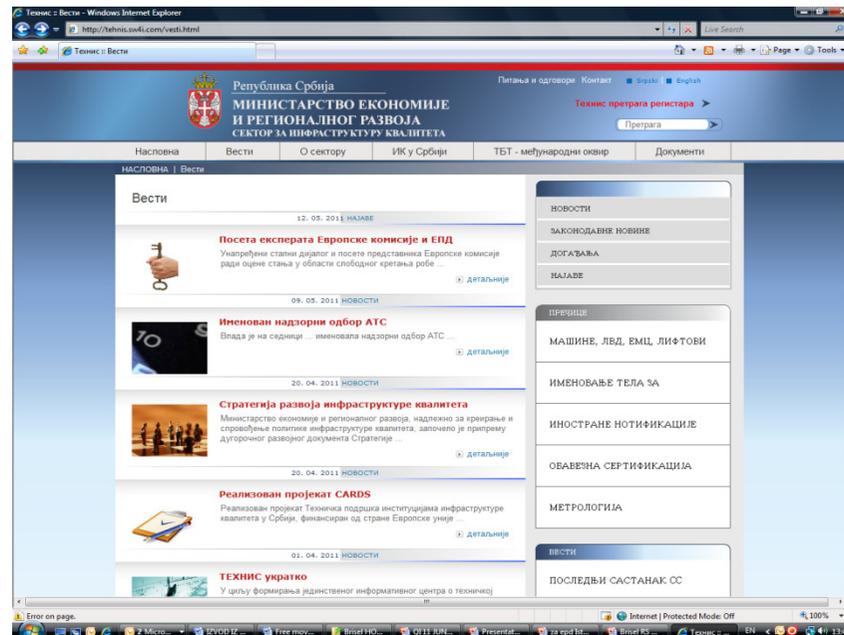
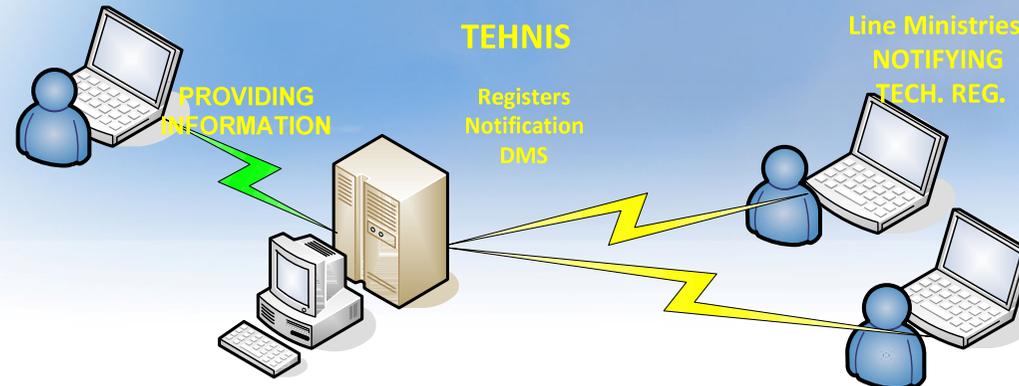
- Preparatory activities started
- 4 analysis will be prepared
  - Analysis of economy/industry structure (“demand side”)
  - Analysis of CABs (“provider side”)
  - Analysis of QI institutions
  - Analysis of market functionality of Serbian QI including screening of practicality of law on Technical Requirements for products
- Action plans with recommendations
- Support from GIZ provided
- GOAL- Modern and sustainable QI system to support industry needs





# “TEHNIS” - IT database and web portal published

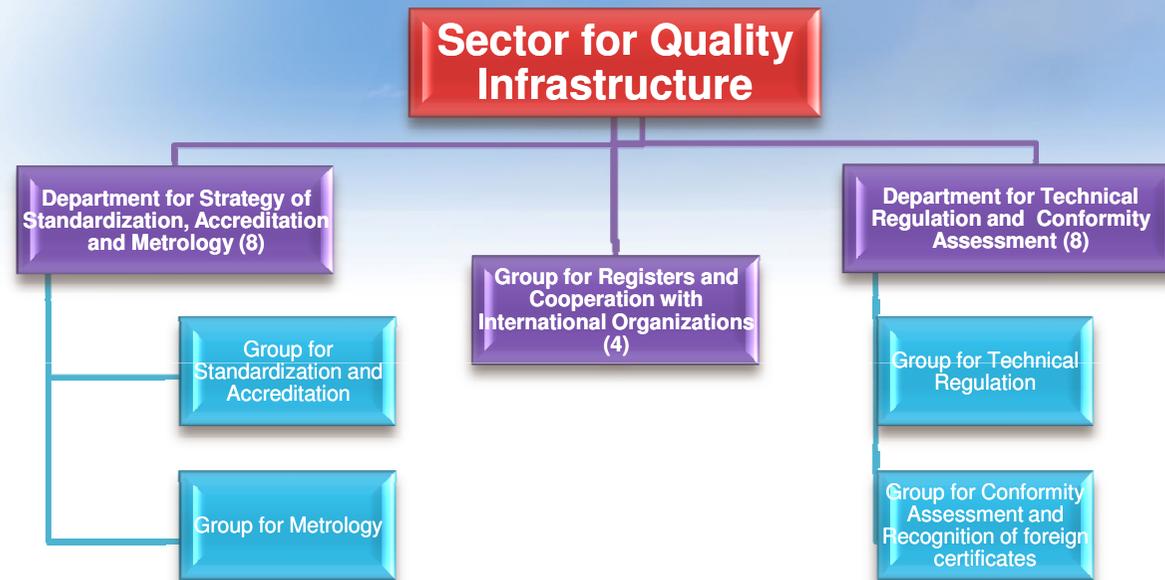
- Database developed and delivered to MERR - December
- Input / transfer of data and testing of system – December to May
- Portal and 4 Registers published - May





# INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

## MERR- QI Department



**Total number of employees in QI department = 21**  
**(lawyers 7, engineers 8, economists 3, translators 1, administrative staff 2)**

**Number of employees responsible increased: 2006-4; 2008-8; 2011-21**  
**Minor changes in the pipeline – possible enagement of 2 more employees**





# INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

## ISS, ATS, DMDM



### DMDM

- New structure - in line with the new Law, → OIML/EU practice
- Metrological Council established



### ISS

- 4 Assistans Directors appointed
- Act on constitution of Supervisory Board sent to the approval



### ATS

- New Managing Board appointed
- Supervisory Board established
- Peer evaluation scheduled for June



# PROJECTS



## Multi-beneficiary IPA 2008 project (funded by EU and EFTA)

### Regional Project for Quality Infrastructure of Western Balkan and Turkey, hosted by MERR

- Total value is 1.2 mil EUR
- Beneficiaries: Western Balkan countries and Turkey,
- Main components:
  - Assessment of QI and MS systems in beneficiary countries
  - Hands-on Trainings in EU/Member States institutions
  - Proficiency Testing
  - Networking
- Project will be finalized in June (next-4<sup>th</sup>, Regional IPA 2011 will probably be approved)

## National EU funded projects

### A) IPA 2010, Strengthening Market Surveillance System (implementation of MS Strategy)

- Total value is 2.5 mil EUR.
- Main beneficiary will be Ministry of Agriculture, Trade, Forestry and Water Management, other beneficiaries: MERR, Ministry of Health.
- Deadline for submitting bids was April 8<sup>th</sup>
- Evaluation for Short-listing is finalized

### B) Project IDEA- IPA III component

- Draft OPERATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 2012/2013– Priority Axe: Competitiveness – Measure: Strengthening the development of SME sector
  - Aim: to reduce the cost for Serbian SME exporters of complying with EU directives and increase their general awareness of the need to comply with standards
  - Title: “Improving the international competitiveness of SMEs through effective conformity assessment”
  - Project proposal drafted

## Bilateral assistance

### AGREED :

Title of the Programme - `Assistance to the Competitiveness and Compatibility for the EU of Serbian SME (ACCESS) -GIZ long-term support to Serbian economic development

ONE of 4 components will be allocated to Quality infrastructure - Support to drafting the QI Development Strategy

PENDING : BMWI (the Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology of the Federal Republic of Germany) Project on „Strengthening the Capacity of Institutions of the Serbian Government“, Component 2 – Strengthening the capacity of MERR; Component 4 - Transfer international experience and practices by trainings, conferences and study tours as well as other administrative activities

2 proposals submitted

- Improved legal framework – MID, NAWI, Prepackages
- Support to the ISS – protection of standards and security of IT systems





# Transposition of the New Approach Directives

Directive	Title	Status	OJ No.	Harmonized standards (April 2011)
73/23/EEC 2006/95/EC	Low Voltage Equipment	Rulebook on electrical equipment designed for use with certain voltage limits	13/2010	931
2004/108/EC 89/336/EEC	Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC)	Rulebook on electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	13/2010	190
98/37/EC 2006/42/EC	Machinery	Rulebook of the safety of machinery	13/2010	482
95/16/EC	Lifts	Rulebook on the safety of lifts	101/2010	21





Directive	Title	Plan for transposition	Harmonized standards
2009/23/EC	Non-automatic weighing instruments	2011/IV -MERR Working group for transposition has been established	1
89/686/EEC	Personal Protective Equipment	2011/IV -MERR Working group for transposition has been established, work is underway	253
2004/22/EEC	Measuring instruments	2011/IV-MERR Working group for transposition has been established	6
2009/48/EC	Safety of Toys	2011/IV, Ministry of Health	1 4
308/2011/EC	Construction Products Regulation	2011/III, Ministry of Environment, Mining and Spatial Planning Preparation activities for establishing WG for transposition has been started. Transposition will probably be supported by bilateral project	415





Directive	Title	Plan for transposition	Harmonized standards
2007/67/EC 2000/70/EC 2005/50/EC 93/42/EEC 90/385/EEC 98/79/EC	Medical devices	<b>Ministry of Health,</b> Law on Medicines and Medical Devices is harmonised with 98/79/EC. 93/42/EEC , 98/79/EC and 90/385/EEC Law on Medicines and Medical Devices is in line with 98/79/EC. 93/42/EEC , 98/79/EC and 90/385/EEC 5 Rulebooks for transposition directives relating to medical devices will be published by the end of the May.	225
90/396/EEC	Appliances burning gaseous fuels	2011/IV- <b>Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy</b>	79
92/42/EEC	New hot-water boilers fired with liquid or gaseous fuels	2011/IV- <b>Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy</b>	3





<b>Directive</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Plan for transposition</b>	<b>Harmonized standards</b>
2007/23/EC	Placing on the market of pyrotechnic articles	<b>2011/III-Ministry of Internal Affairs</b>	
93/15/EEC	Explosives for civil use	<b>2011/II-Ministry of Internal affairs</b> The Law on Explosive Substances	56
94/9/EC	Equipment and protective systems in potentially explosive atmospheres (ATEX)	<b>2012/IV - Ministry of Environment, Mining and Spatial Planning</b>	91
94/25/EC 2003/44/EC	Recreational craft	<b>2012/IV-Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy</b>	





Directive	Title	Plan for transposition	Harmonized standards
99/5/EC	Radio and Telecommunications Terminal Equipment	June 2011 - Ministry of telecommunication – work on final draft Rulebook is underway. Deadline will be met	31
2009/105	Simple pressure vessels	2011/II - Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy Final Draft Rulebook is completed - waiting for the formal comments on the final draft from the competent authorities	
97/23/EC	Pressure Equipment	2011/II - Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy Final Draft Rulebook is completed -waiting for the formal comments on the final draft from the competent authorities	509





<b>Directive</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Plan for transposition</b>	<b>Harmonized standards</b>
75/324/EEC	Aerosol dispensers	<b>2012-MERR (DMDM)</b>	
2000/9/EC	Cableway Installations Designed to Carry Persons	2012/IV- <b>Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy</b>	0
2000/14/EC 2005/88/EC	Noise emission in the environment by equipment for use outdoors	<b>Ministry of Environment, Mining and Spatial Planning</b> No date has been specified for adoption and implementation of the Directives 2000/14/EC and 2005/88/EC	
2009/125/EC	Eco-design requirements for energy-using products (EUP)	<b>2011/II- Ministry of Environment, Mining and Spatial Planning</b> Draft Law is completed and prepared for sending for formal comments from the competent authorities	



**Thank you for your attention**

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