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Grant Application Small Grants Program

Tirana Country Office, WORLD BANK

Executive Summary (Please type using no more than one page)

1. **Date:** 28 Feb 2006
2. **Name of organization:** FORIS Youth Association (Albanian Youth Parliament)
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7. **Mission statement of the applicant organization:**

To represent young people and defend their issues

8. **Purpose of funding request and how this activity relates to civic engagement and social accountability:**

Funding requested will be used to cover the expenses of the anticorruption caravan and other activities, such as discussion forums etc. The main objective of the project is to raise the civic engagement. We aim to exchange successful experiences and induce young people to react and to fight the corruption.

9. **Target population and number benefiting from the proposed activity:**

Target population is pupils and students in the whole country. The number estimated is around 2000 pupils and students.

10. **Expected outcomes from the activity:**

Young people will be aware about the role of corruption in educatory system and will be nerverier to denounce corrupted cases. As a consequence of this, it will be punished cases, which means reduced corruption.

11. **Plans for learning and knowledge sharing:**

The main objective of this project is sharing experiences and information about successful cases in denouncing the corruption.

12. **Period this funding request will cover:**

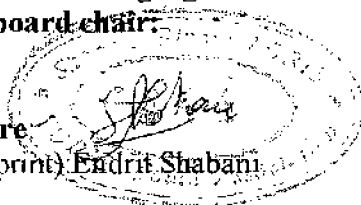
13. **Amount of request (Details under Activity Income):**

14. **If your organization has received previous support from the World Bank, please list the year, amount, and describe for what purpose:**

15. Authorizing signature of the applicant organization's executive director or board chair:

Signature

Name (print): Endrit Shabani



Title: Executive Director

Purpose of the Grant

16. Describe briefly the need or issue you will address. Include a description of the constituency served (including number participating) and how they will participate/benefit?

The issue addressed is the corruption in educatory system and the lack of will to denounce it. We will organize an "anticorruption caravan" around Albania, to share the successful experiences of the students. This will induce them to denounce the corrupted teachers and will make them believe in the against corruption fight. We will organize discussing forums with pupils and students in the whole country on this topic, aiming realization of students and pupils for the bad role of corruption in education of the new generation.

17. How will the proposed activity promote civic engagement and social accountability?

This project will aware youth about the bad influence of corruption in their good education and will make them believe that they can fight the corruption and bring a change in their school/university. This way pupils and students will be part of it and will realize their important role in this process.

18. List the activity goal(s) and measurable objective(s).

Our main goal is to reduce corruption in educatory system by encouraging young people to fight the corruption in their school, thinking that it harms that most.

Our objectives are:

- Creating a group of students and pupils, which have had successful experiences in fighting corruption (anticorruption caravan).
- The "anticorruption caravan" will travel around Albania
- Organizing discussion forums with young people, teachers, stake holders, media, politicians, etc to share experiences and to raise the a
- Organizing different media activities, such as press-releases, etc.
- Organizing a survey to estimate the corruption in education and our influence in reducing it.
- Setting up a website to denounce the corruption, and to discuss about it.

- 19. Is the activity new or ongoing on the part of the applicant organization? If the activity is ongoing, how will your organization support this activity in the future?**

This “anticorruption caravan” will extend during specified period and later everything will be focused on the will of pupils/students to fight the corruption in their school/university. It will be a close communication with all the participants and other young people that want to denounce the corruption. It will be set up a new website (www.antikorrupsioni.com) and will use it to deliver information, to have online discussion forums as well.

- 20. Provide a brief timetable for implementation of activity.**

At the beginning, it will be set up a group of pupils and students, which have had successful experiences in fighting corruption on their school/university. Later, in each district will be organized discussion forums about corruption in educatory system and about the importance of the students in this process. The students will exchange experiences in their try to face the corruption and will discuss about this cases and phenomena. To estimate the influence of this project and the level of corruption in educatory system, we will organize a survey addressed to young people.

At the end everything will be focused online and on the will of pupils/students to fight the corruption in educatory system.

- 21. What other organizations, if any, will be participating in the activity?**

Describe their roles.

- a. FORIS Youth Association organizes the main work, coordinate the activities, set up the website and design the survey.
- b. Albanian Youth Parliament, organize volunteers in 12 districts of Albania. Getting together the stakeholders, politicians etc.
- c. EYP-Albania, bring the experience of other European Countries.
- d. National Network of Students Government, organize discussion forums, survey inside the schools and informing pupils/students about this project.

- 22. List the names and qualifications of key staff/volunteers responsible for activity implementation.**

Evaluation

- 23. Please list the specific outcomes of your activity. What assessment methods/strategies will you use to track and measure outcomes? (c.g. interviews, surveys, focus groups, community feedback, etc.)**

- 24. Describe briefly what will be different at the end of the grant period.**

Grant will give us the possibility to move the “Anticorruption Caravan” around Albania. It will also help us in organizing big discussing forums in big conference rooms where we can invite many students/pupils, stake holders, and media.

- 25. How will the activity’s results be used and/or disseminated?**

Activity Income

26. Total applicant contribution.

a. In kind (describe): US\$ 500
b. Cash: US\$ 800
Total: US\$ 1300

27. Funding leveraged by applicant from other donors:

(List all sources and give estimated amounts)

	<u>Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>
a.		US\$ <u>800</u>

Total: US\$ 800

28. Total requested from the World Bank:

US\$ 3498

29. Total activity income from all sources:

US\$

Budget for the Proposed Activity

Please (1) provide the necessary information for each budget item, and (2) indicate the funding source(s) that will cover the expense. Use as much space as necessary. All items must be related to the activity.

<u>Item</u>	Contribution from Applicant	Contribution from Other Donors	Contribution from the World Bank	Total
Professional Fees (list consultants and fees)				
Travel (specify)	500		1360	1860
Equipment (specify)	500	700	World Bank Funding not allowed for equipment	1200
Supplies, Printing, Copying, Telephone, Fax, Postage, and Delivery (specify)	300	100	2040	2440
Evaluation (specify)			98	
Total Expenses:			3498	5598

***See the budget with attachment**
Attachments

Please attach the following documents to your proposal, if available:

- ✓ Complete list of the applicant organization's senior staff and board of directors;
- ✓ Most recent annual financial statement listing income sources (audited if available);
- ✓ Organization's projected income and expense budget for current fiscal year, listing income sources;
- ✓ Copy of the applicant organization's registration status, according to the new law;
- ✓ Latest annual report.

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No.	Title of account	Quantity	Price	Time	Total USD	FORIS	Others	World Bank	Description
					1600	500		1100	
1	Journey in Albania	Transport	11 city	29\$/city	3 months	320			a caravan consisting of pupils and students will travel around Albania and will organize different discussion forums and media activities.
2		Accommodation	11 city	40\$/city	3 months	440			
3		Hall's payment			600	3 months	1100		
					400	500	200		
1	Equipments	Digital camera	1	300\$		300			equipments are needed to facilitate the work to report it
2		Voice recorder	5	90\$/unit		450			
3		Scanner		100\$		100			
4		Printer	1	200\$		200			
5		Fax	1	150\$		150			
					170	100		120	
1	Materials	Poster (A-2)	1600	0.5\$		800			promoting campaign is very important to realise young people and to make them part of this movement.
2		Leaflet	1200	0.3\$		400			
3		Banner	1	60\$/unit		60			
4		print		100\$		100			
5		photocopy		80\$		80			
					100				
1	Stationery	paper A-4	8	5\$/unit		40			Stationary are very important to have a rich documentation and well organized materials
2		flipchart paper	10	2\$/unit		20			
3		plastic	4	5\$/unit		20			
4		marker	20	0.5\$/unit		10			
5		CD-R	10	1\$/unit		10			
					600			600	

1	Communication	e-mail/fax/ mobile/phone/sms		200S/mua)	3 months	600					This project is national extented so the communication with local staf, participants, and other young people, is the most important process of the project.
						98			98		
1	Sounding	sounding blank	1400/blank	0.07/blank		98					the survey will estimate the level of corruption in educatory sytem and will indicate our influence on reducing it.
GRAND TOTAL						5598	1300	800	6498		