Pursuant to Article 31 paragraph 1 of the Law on Government (Official Gazette of RS, No. 55/05, 71/05 – amendment, 101/07, 65/08, 16/11, 68/12 – CC, 72/12, 7/14 – CC and 44/14),

The Government hereby passes the following

**DECREE**

**ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE OFFICE FOR PUBLIC INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT**

**Content of Decree**

**Article 1**

This Decree shall establish the Office for Public Investment Management (hereinafter referred to as: the Office) and define the scope of its activities, organisation and other issues relevant for its operation.

The Office shall operate as a service of the Government.

**Scope of the Office activities**

**Article 2**

The Office shall perform expert, administrative and operational activities to serve the needs of the Government, related to coordination of the implementation of projects of reconstruction and improvement of public facilities within the competence of the Republic of Serbia, Autonomous Province or local self-government units in terms of collecting the data on the current and scheduled projects and the needs for public facility reconstruction, needs and feasibility assessment of the proposed projects, priority identification, coordination of public procurement procedures, meeting of contractual obligations and payments, and also other activities stipulated by the Law or the Government Act.

The Office shall make expert evaluation of the implementation of projects of reconstruction and improvement of public facilities within the competence of the Republic of Serbia, Autonomous Province or local self-government units in terms of collecting the data related to the current and scheduled projects and the needs for public facility reconstruction, needs and feasibility assessment of the proposed projects, priority identification, coordination of public procurement procedures, meeting of contractual obligations and payments.

**Office Director**

**Article 3**

The Office shall be managed by the Office Director who shall be appointed by the Government for a five-year term, at the proposal of the Prime Minister.

The Office Director shall be responsible to the Government and the Prime Minister.

The Office Director shall have the rank of a civil servant in a high position appointed by the Government in line with the regulations on appointing civil servants to a high position.

**Office Deputy Director**

**Article 4**

The Office Director shall have a deputy who shall be appointed by the Government for a five-year term at the proposal of the Office Director.

The Office Deputy Director shall assist the Office Director within the competence defined by the latter and shall replace the latter in case of absence or disability.

**Office Director Assistants**

**Article 5**

The Office Director shall have assistants who shall be proposed by the former and appointed by the Government for a five-year term.

The Office Director Assistants shall manage independent area of the Office activities constituting a sector.

The Office Director Assistants shall have the rank of civil servants in a high position.

**Rule book on internal organization and job systematization**

**Article 6**

The Office Director shall adopt the Office rule book on internal organization and job systematization within 30 days following the date of entry into force of this Decree.

**Entry into force**

**Article 7**

This Decree shall enter into force on the eighth day following its publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia.

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Accuracy of the copy verified by PRIME MINISTER

SECRETARY GENERAL

Novak Nedić Aleksandar Vučić, duly signed

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