

Government of the Republic of Serbia MINISTRY OF LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT, VETERAN AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

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OPEN LETTER TO INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Which provide support and humanitarian assistance to the migrant population outside the permanent centers for asylum and transit reception centers

In accordance with the objectives of the Working Group of the Republic of Serbia's Government to solve the problem of mixed migration flows in the Republic of Serbia (established by the Decision of the Government of RS "Official Gazette of RS" no. 54/15, 60/15, 72/15 and 78/15), in this way we inform you that, in order to ensure humane living conditions for migrant population in the Republic of Serbia the stay within the transit reception centers for migrants and permanent centers for asylum in which all necessary assistance is available (food, shelter, clothing, medicine, psycho-social and health care) in the best interest of migrants.

In this regard, assistance and support in the form of food, clothing, footwear, encouraging migrants to reside outside the designated permanent asylum centers and transit reception centers are now longer acceptable, this particularli on the territory of the Belgrade city municipality.

The competent state authorities and institutions shall promptly inform all organizations present on the ground in what way they can provide support, in order to contribute in an adequate way joint efforts to help and support migrant population in the Republic of Serbia.

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