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## Main project data DSP II - 31 implemented from New Social Initiative

<b>Name of the Project:</b>	Higher participation for better inclusion
<b>Implemented by: Partners if any:</b>	New Social Initiative (NSI)
<b>DSP Intervention Areas:</b>	1.4 – Fair and transparent elections
<b>Project Objective:</b>	Project overall goal is to contribute to understanding of elections, processes and their importance, in order to influence higher participation of Kosovo Serb in decision making process at local and central level.
<b>Project Results:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Capacities and knowledge of civil society organizations to monitor and report on the electoral process, political campaigns, including accessibility for marginalized groups, have been developed and are used (team for election processes and monitoring has been created, the election portal established and data is collected, processed and analyzed).</li> <li>2. Citizens are informed about election procedures and understand the importance of following political campaigns for the purpose of future monitoring and accountability of political parties and/or individuals and their behaviors.</li> <li>3. Questions and problems related to the electoral process in Serbian community areas were identified as a result of monitoring, and addressed through recommendations / actions for change proposed to election commissions</li> </ol>
<b>Main Activities:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Developing election portal</li> <li>2. Establishing the election portal team</li> <li>3. Social network campaign</li> <li>4. Election bulletin</li> <li>5. Round table debates</li> <li>6. Online surveys</li> <li>7. Field monitoring</li> <li>8. Press reporting monitoring</li> <li>9. Election report</li> <li>10. Final conference</li> </ol>
<b>Geographical coverage:</b>	10 Serbian municipalities in Kosovo: Northern Mitrovica, Laposavic, Zvecan, Zubin Potok, Gracanica, Strpce, Ranilug, Klokot, Partes, Novo Brdo.
<b>Target Groups:</b>	Stakeholders: Government of Kosovo central and local institutions, political parties, international organizations, civil society organizations, media. Beneficiaries of the project: 10 civil society organizations involved in the project activities, political entities of Kosovo Serbs who are running in the election; International community, local and central institutions, policy makers, civil society organizations and media; 150,000 Kosovo Serbs, as well as their political representation, which directly depends on turnout in the elections and their results.
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