



Civil Initiatives Development Center CRIS – Current Situation of Social Economy in Poland



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Legal Situation

- Parliament is proceeding on Legal Act on Social Enterprise and supporting social economy development (started at 10th of June 2015)
- Government approved and starting to implement a National Programme of Social Economy Development (approved 12th of August 2014)
- Social Economy Development is a priority in new financial perspective 2014 – 2020 of European Funds dedicated to Poland

CRIS – who are we

- An association established in 2002 gathering more than 40 people
- Recognizable in Poland Non-Governmental Organization
- Strong and sustainable Social Enterprise (annual budget around 3 millions of Polish złoty)
- ACCREDITED BY MINISTRY SUPPORTING CENTER FOR SOCIAL ECONOMY

Strategic objectives of CRIS in terms of social enterprise sector development

- Implement 3 years project of running a Social Enterprises Incubator
- Enhancement of sustainability of social economy entities, mostly independence from public financial support
- Build positive image of social enterprises as professional, high-quality companies

CRIS needs in terms of regional cooperation in the field of SE development

- Create stabile partnership between public sector-business and non-governmental organizations
- Sharing know-how in the field of building „good brand” for SE

CRIS resources to contribute to regional cooperation

- Experience in coaching social enterprises – including registration, professional and financial support
- Being a part of polish network of SE supporting centres

THANK YOU !

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