

Findings of the completed impact assessment are to be sent to the Public Policy Secretariat for opinion before adoption of which documents/regulations?

The responsible institution that proposes a public policy document (a strategy, a programme, a policy concept, and an action plan), which is a state administration body, is obliged to deliver findings of the completed impact assessment for a public policy document to the Public Policy Secretariat for its opinion before adoption of the document by the Government. Findings of the completed policy impact assessment will be contained in the proposal of the public policy document (as a general rule no separate report on the completed policy impact assessment is to be made) in accordance with Article 37 of the Law on the Planning System of the RS and Article 37 of the Regulation on the Methodology of Public Policy Management, Policy and Regulatory Impact Assessment, and Content of Individual Public Policy Documents.

A state administration body that develops a draft/a proposal of a regulation is obliged to send the report on the completed regulatory impact assessment (a separate document accompanying the draft/proposal of the regulation) to the Public Policy Secretariat for opinion before its adoption by the Government if the regulation (a law or a Government regulation) significantly changes the manner in which natural persons and legal entities exercise their rights, fulfil their obligations, and attain their legal interests (pursuant to Article 41 of the Law on the Planning System and Article 38 of the Regulation on the Methodology of Public Policy Management, Policy and Regulatory Impact Assessment, and Content of Individual Public Policy Documents).

For regulations adopted by a minister (e.g. a rulebook) the opinion of the Public Policy Secretariat on the report on the completed regulatory impact assessment is not to be obtained (in accordance with Article 41, paragraph 3 of the Law on the Planning System).