

## **EFFORTS FOR CREATING THE COMMUNITY OF SERBIAN MUNICIPALITIES ARE A VIOLATION OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL ORDER OF KOSOVO**

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### **ABSTRACT**

The concept of creating an association of Serb-majority municipalities, allegedly as a mechanism to provide protection exclusively for the Serbian community in Kosovo, is in contradiction with the spirit of a society proclaimed by the Constitution and laws of Kosovo as a multiethnic society . Instead of this, the establishment of the Serb-majority municipalities community in Kosovo should be justified focusing on how municipal cooperation would enable the said municipalities to be more functional, i.e. to perform their functions easier and more efficiently in terms of providing public services to their citizens in the most quickly and efficiently way, in accordance with the principle of subsidiarity and the constitutional principles on local autonomy, good governance, transparency and efficiency in providing public services. After all, the inter-municipal cooperation should be based on mutual interest, in joint work and joint activities among municipalities, on the freely expressed will of the municipalities signing the cooperation, on dividing roles and responsibilities, joining means and their resources, all this in order to increase the efficiency of municipal services on behalf of citizens.

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