In accordance with the Article 16 paragraph 1 (a) and (b) of the Framework Agreement of the Sava River Basin (hereinafter: FASRB), and taking into account the conclusion from the 12th Special Session of the International Sava River Basin Commission under the item 5.2, the International Sava River Basin Commission (hereinafter: Sava Commission), has adopted the following

**DECISION – 21/09**

1. The Detailed Design of the Sava River Waterway shall be developed in accordance with the parameters for the class Va on the sector from the river mouth (rkm 0) to Brčko (rkm 234) and in accordance with the parameters for the class IV on the sector from Brčko (rkm 234) to Sisak (rkm 594).

2. The Republic of Croatia shall take charge for development of the Detailed Design for the Sava River Waterway on the sector from Brčko to Sisak using the financial assets from the available IPA funds, and Bosnia & Herzegovina and Republic of Serbia shall mutually agree on the development of the Detailed Design of the Sava River Waterway on the sector from the river mouth to Brčko.

3. Competent Authorities from Bosnia & Herzegovina, Republic of Croatia and Republic of Serbia shall begin with all necessary procedures for financing the works on rehabilitation and development of transport and navigation on the Sava River Waterway and, hereof, inform the Sava Commission within three months as of the date of entry into force of this Decision. Further on, informing shall be done on regular basis, meaning at least every six months. The Sava Commission shall further inform all others Parties to the FASRB.

4. Competent Authorities from Republic of Croatia and Republic of Slovenia shall continue with activities on establishment of navigation upstream from Sisak.

5. For realization of this Decision, the Parties to the FASRB shall, if necessary, conclude additional bilateral or multilateral arrangements.
6. This Decision is passed on July 7, 2009, and shall enter into force in accordance with the Article 16 paragraph 2 of the FASRB.

Zagreb, June 29, 2009

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