



**REPUBLIC OF CROATIA**

**MINISTRY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**European Grouping of  
Territorial Cooperation –  
Practice and Experiences**

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# *European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation*

- *Legal framework*
- *Approval procedure*
- *Practice and experiences*



## *Legal Framework*

Act on the Implementation of EU Regulations on  
a European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation  
(*Official Gazette 74/14*)



## *Members of EGTC*

- Republic of Croatia
- counties
- cities
- municipalities
- other legal entities under public law according to the provisions of the law governing public contract procedures
- national association of municipalities, cities and counties

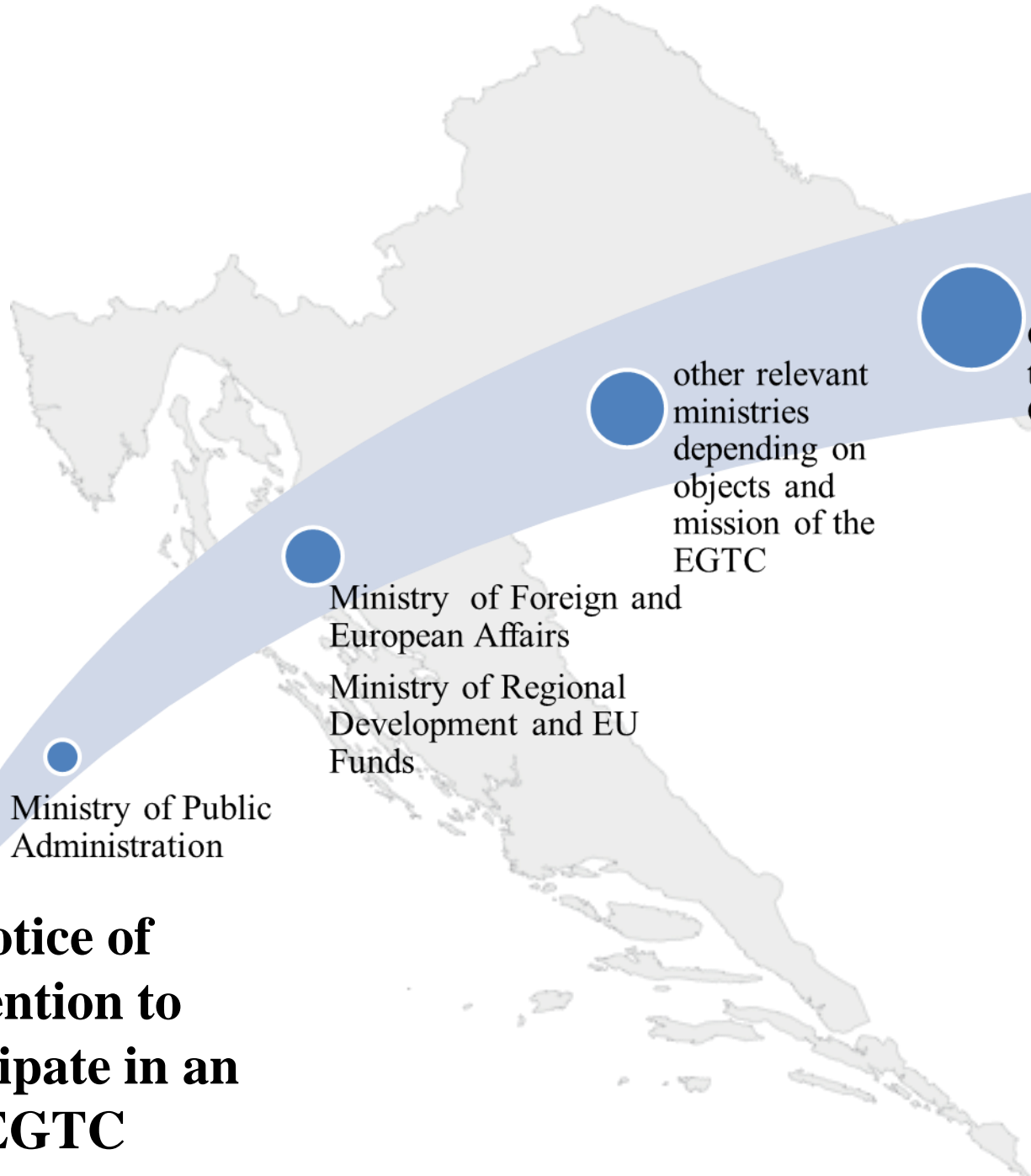


## *Competent and Approval Authority*

- **Ministry of Public Administration** – authority responsible for the approval procedure and implementation of the national Act and EU regulations on EGTCs
- **Government of Croatia** – decides on granting approval for participation in EGTCs



**Approval**



Ministry of Public Administration

Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs  
Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds

other relevant ministries depending on objects and mission of the EGTC

Government of the Republic of Croatia

**Notice of intention to participate in an EGTC**



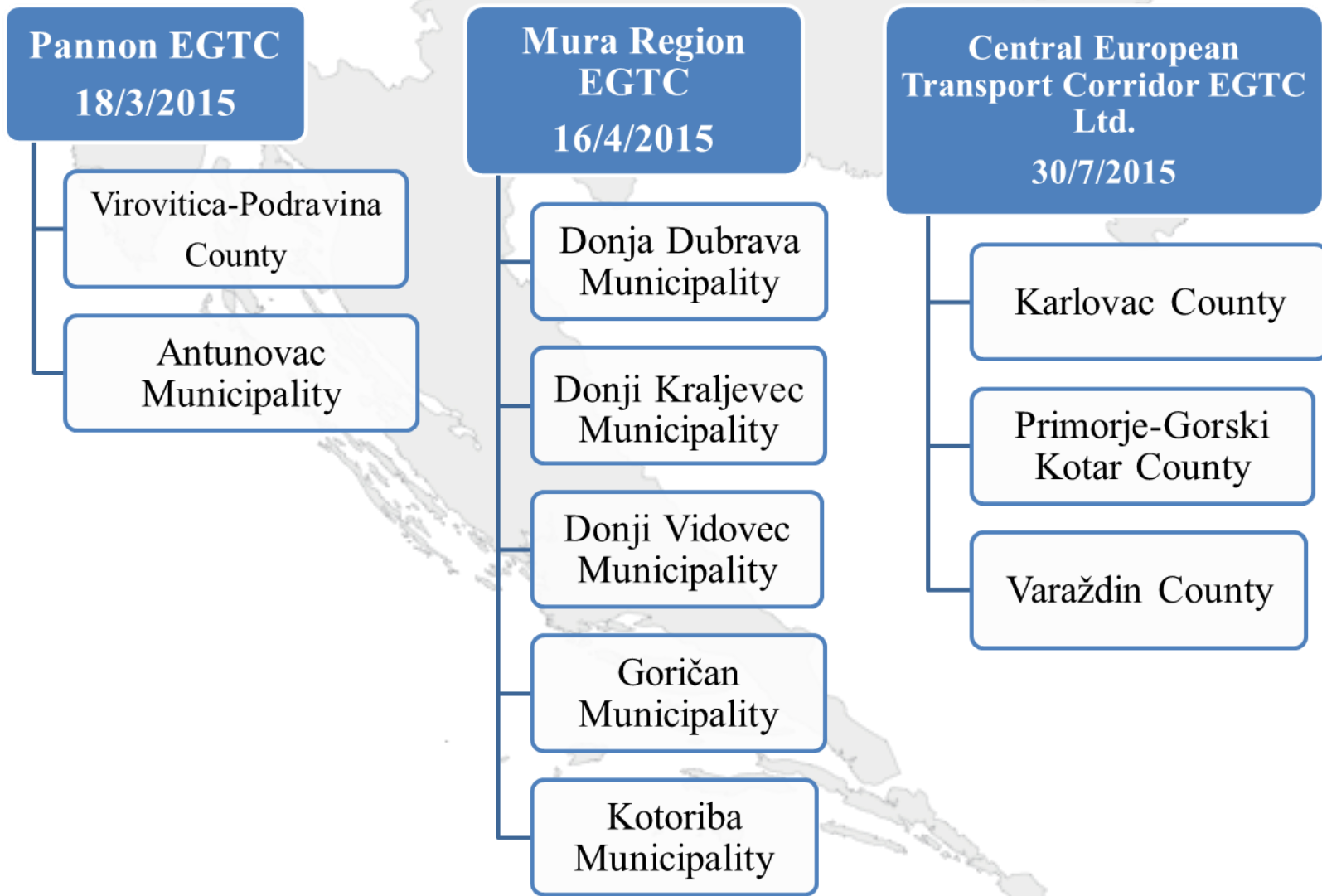
# *Approval Procedure*

## **Ministry of Public Administration:**

- receives a notice of intention to participate in an EGTC
- requests the opinion of central government authorities responsible for regional development and EU funds, foreign and European affairs, and the body competent for the tasks covered by the purposes and objectives of the EGTC
- checks if participation in the EGTC and its convention are in conformity with EU regulations and national law
- propose to the Croatian Government to issue a decision granting participation in the EGTC and approving the convention



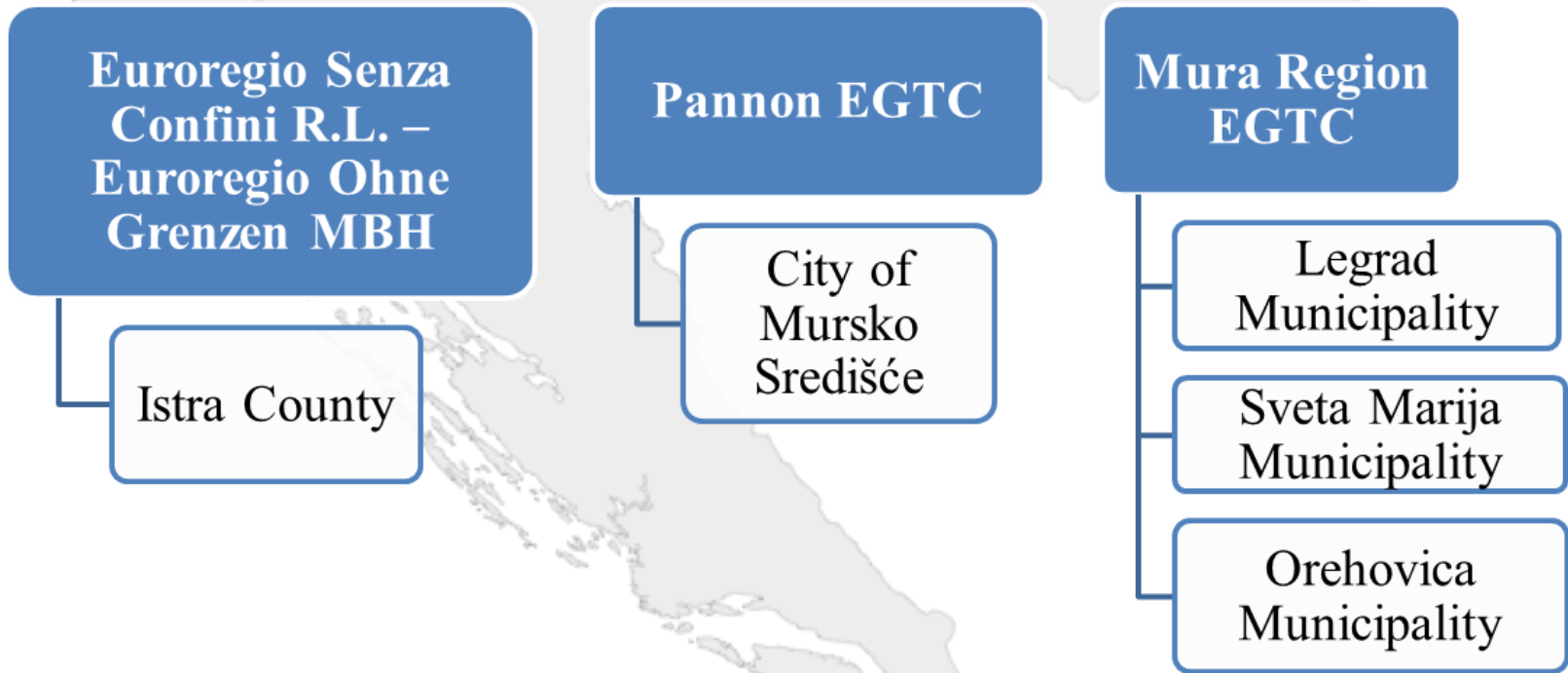
# *Approved Requirements for joining the EGTCs*







# *Requirements for joining EGTCs in procedure*





*Thank for your attention!*

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