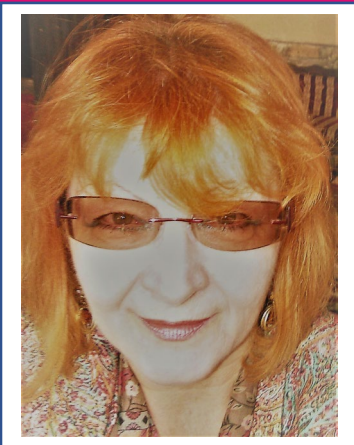




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## SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY

Vera Despotović is a lawyer, now engaged as an associate in the Market Inspection Sector to coordinate and improve inter-sectoral cooperation in market surveillance.

Vera was the Chair of the Advisory Group of Market Surveillance from 2014 to 2023.

In addition to many years of experience gained from working on professional tasks related to the coordination of market surveillance activities, Vera worked in cross-sectoral groups for the creation and implementation of strategies in the field of market surveillance, as well as proposing systemic solutions to improve cooperation and the efficiency and effectiveness of activities in the mentioned areas. She was involved in preparing legal solutions in the mentioned areas.

Vera has participated in the development and implementation of projects to strengthen the institutional capacity of market surveillance authorities and other development projects in the field of law enforcement, with a particular focus on supporting the introduction of quality management systems in the field of market surveillance and the specialization of market inspectors in the specific areas of market surveillance as well as other law enforcement procedures under the jurisdiction of the Market Inspection Sector in the Ministry.

She recently led the expert group in charge of revising Recommendation M on Use of Market Surveillance Infrastructure as a Complementary Means to Protect Consumers and Users against Counterfeit Goods.

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