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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION TO
NEGOTIATING POSITION
ON CHAPTER 21 – REGIONAL POLICY AND COORDINATION OF STRUCTURAL
INSTRUMENTS
(CONF-BG 56/01)**

Bulgaria wishes to refer to its Negotiating Position on Chapter 21 “Regional Policy and Coordination of Structural Instruments” (CONF-BG 56/01).

Bulgaria would like to confirm that it accepts the *acquis* on chapter 21 “Regional Policy and Coordination of Structural Instruments” adopted in the year 2000 and will implement it by the date of accession.

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The Bulgarian Government proposes the negotiations on this chapter to be provisionally closed on the basis of the existing *acquis*.

Should new elements of the *acquis* make it necessary, Bulgaria recognizes the possibility of opening supplementary negotiations before the end of the Intergovernmental Conference.