



RESOLUTION ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION CORRESPONDING TO THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR THE AWARDING OF GRANTS BY THE INSTITUT RAMON LLULL, ON THE BASIS OF COMPETITIVE TENDERING AND AN OPEN APPLICATION PROCESS, FOR ACTIVITIES INVOLVING THE OVERSEAS PROMOTION AND DISSEMINATION OF CATALAN LITERATURE AND PHILOSOPHY AND LITERATURE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN 2016.

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Factual Background

1. By virtue of the resolution issued by the Director of the Institut Ramon Llull on 16 March 2016 (Official Gazette of the Government of Catalonia (DOGC) no. 7082 of 18 March 2016), the application process was opened for the awarding of grants by the Institut Ramon Llull, on the basis of competitive tendering and an open application process, for activities involving the promotion and dissemination abroad of Catalan literature and philosophy and literature for children and young people in 2016.
2. The assessment committee met on 5 July 2016 to study and nominate the submitted applications.
3. On 8 July 2016, the examining body formulated a motion for a provisional resolution on the awarding of the grants, in accordance with the assessment committee's proposal.
4. On 11 July 2016 the motion for a provisional resolution on the awarding of the grants was published on the Institut Ramon Llull's electronic noticeboard and the noticeboard at its Barcelona offices.

Legal Grounds

1. The General Grants Act (Law 38/2003 of 17 November) and Royal Decree 887/2006 of 21 July approving the Regulations for said Act.
2. Legislative Decree 3/2002 of 24 December approving the revised text of the Public Finance Act of Catalonia.
3. Government Agreement 110/2014 of 22 July approving the model of regulatory rules for procedures regarding grants awarded on the basis of competitive tendering, as processed by the administration of the Government of Catalonia and the corresponding public sector bodies. (DOGC no. 6671 of 24 July 2014).
4. Article 71 of the Legal Framework for Public Administrations and Common Administrative Procedure Act (Law 30/92 of 26 November).
5. Notwithstanding the withdrawal procedures provided for in Rule 11.4, Rule 12.4 of the rules governing the application process stipulates that any applicant may withdraw its grant application in writing prior to the awarding of same, and that said withdrawal must be accepted by the examining body.

In accordance with the assessment committee's report and Rule 12.3 of the rules governing the application process, which stipulates that it falls upon the examining body to reach a decision regarding the withdrawal of the submitted applications,



Resolution

Accordingly, I resolve

To accept the withdrawal of the grant application detailed in the Annex and declare the corresponding application procedures closed.

Admissible Appeals

This resolution does not exhaust the administrative channels for appeal and in accordance with Articles 114 and 115 of the Legal Framework for Public Administrations and Common Administrative Procedure Act (Law 30/1992 of 26 November) and Article 18.1 of the Statutes of the Institut Ramon Llull, an appeal for the matter to be passed to a higher authority may be lodged with the Director of the Institut Ramon Llull within a period of one month following publication of this resolution.

Barcelona, 6 September 2016

The Examining Officer

Josep Marcé i Calderer

Manager of the Institut Ramon Llull



ANNEX

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Applicant: Hrvatsko Drustvo / Croatian WritersqSociety.

Dates: 29 May to 3 June 2016

Activity: participation of writer Bel Olid in the Festival of the European Short Story in Zagreb (Croatia)

The committee made a positive appraisal of the grant application submitted by Hrvatsko Drustvo / Croatian WritersqSociety for the participation of writer Bel Olid in the Festival of the European Short Story in Zagreb (Croatia). The author will participate in a debate on the creation of short stories. The committee appreciated the professional background of the applicant, which on previous occasions has invited authors such as Jordi Puntí, Màrius Serra and Lolita Bosch. The committee welcomed the cultural value of the activities, to include readings of the stories in Catalan, English, and Croatian, as well as the continuity of the entity in inviting Catalan authors. The degree of co-financing by the entity was also highly appreciated. The committee valued the international outreach of the activity given the presence of international authors. The committee valued the event's promotional potential and impact on the internationalisation of Catalan literature, considering its previous events and thanks to the publication of promotional material for the different events.

The committee proposes that the grant be used to cover the travel expenses of the author to Bel Olid.

In accordance with Rule 11.3 of the rules governing this application process, the applicant shall have 10 working days (starting the day following publication of this proposed provisional resolution on the awarding of grants) in which to submit the documentation specified in Rule 11.5, as follows:

- Photocopy of the documentation accrediting the applicant's legal personality. For legal personalities, the documents accrediting the powers of representation held by the natural person submitting the application, and a photocopy of his or her passport, must also be attached.

As of 22 July 2016, following the termination of the period for submission of the necessary documentation (said period having been granted by means of the resolution issued by the examining body of the Institut Ramon Llull on 8 July 2016), the applicant had not submitted said documentation. For this reason, the examining body declares the application as having been withdrawn.