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## 23.03.2015 - Walk to the „Mediana” spring for Water Day celebration

From the center of the city of Niš to the city water supply spring Mediana, children marched carrying on their back two bottles of water of 1.5 liters each, identifying, as they said, with children in Africa, who have to walk every day kilometers in order to reach potable water.



The PUC “Naissus” is the organizer of this action, which forms part of the international project “Association for protection and preservation of water in the South of Serbia”, carried out by the Niš waterworks. Accompanied by the organizer, children walked along a previously determined route from King Milan Square up to Mediana spring. They carried bottles of water in their backpacks, provided by the organizer. This way, they supported children in Africa who walk several kilometers every day in order to reach safe drinking water. At Mediana spring, the students attended a presentation prepared by the Institute for Nature Conservation of Serbia, and were informed about technology used for water production in Niš, the city with the highest quality drinking water in Serbia.

Education of the youngest is thought to be the first and most important step in the realization of the project for water protection, is the message from Naissus Niš. The celebration of the World Water Day this year represents part of forming



the “Association for protection and preservation of water in South of Serbia”, an international project realized by PUC “Naissus”. Children who participated in walking for water within the educative program visited one of the 10 lakes at Mediana spring, the physical-chemical laboratory, as well as the control center of the spring.