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Investments for Climate Change Mitigation**



Progress in implementation of grants by the National Participating Institutions

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BACKGROUND

- The 11th session of AHGE (30 May 2008) noted the necessity for grants to the NPIs for specific activities related to the project;
- The grant-making mechanism was put in place before and during the assessment missions;
- The first MOU was signed on 4 October 2008 and the latest one was signed on 3 April 2009.



OBJECTIVES

- Development of the **national project website**;
- Preparation of relevant **energy policy data and information** on key energy sector developments of the country, progress of reforms and specific policy, regulatory, administrative and institutional ‘bottlenecks’ to EE and RE market formation;
- Preparation of **national case study** on policy reforms which provide direct social, environmental and financial benefits for the pre-feasibility study business plans to become bankable projects.



FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

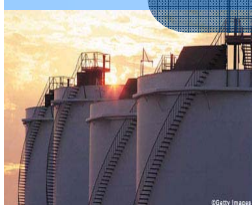
The grant amount is USD 35,000

- 1st payment of 15% - upon signature of the MOU;
- 2nd payment of 20% - upon receipt of the first monthly progress report;
- 3rd payment of 35% - upon receipt of the six months report on progress in elaboration of the website, preparation of national energy policy information, development of national case study.
- 4th final payment of 30% - upon receipt of an invoice/request for payment, required deliverables and a financial report



COUNTRIES RECEIVING GRANT

- Albania
- Belarus
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Kazakhstan
- Republic of Moldova
- Russian Federation
- Serbia
- The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
- Ukraine



PROGRESS IN IMPLEMENTATION OF GRANTS

| Country | Date of signature | Progress reports | | | | Payment procedure | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|-----|-----------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | Financial | US\$ 5250 | US\$ 7000 | US\$ 12250 | US\$ 10500 |
| ALBANIA | 22.12.2008 | 09.01.2009 | | | | 09.01.2009 | | | |
| BELARUS | 12.01.2009 | 17.03.2009 | 30.06.2009 | | | 16.01.2009 | 16.04.2009 | 01.07.2009 | |
| BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA | ??? | | | | | | | | |
| BULGARIA | 21.10.2008 | 02.12.2008 | | | | 05.11.2008 | 09.01.2009 | | |
| CROATIA | 21.10.2008 | 12.12.2008 | 09.07.2009 | | | 20.11.2008 | 09.01.2009 | 18.08.2009 | |
| FYR MACEDONIA | 09.02.2009 | ??? | | | | 16.04.2009 | | | |
| KAZAKHSTAN | 03.04.2009 | 21.08.2009 | | | | 16.04.2009 | 23.09.2009 | | |
| REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA | 24.10.2008 | 30.12.2008 | 30.06.2009 | | | 20.11.2008 | 09.01.2009 | 01.07.2009 | |
| ROMANIA | | | | | | | | | |
| RUSSIAN FEDERATION | 14.10.2008 | 19.01.2009 | 07.05.2009 | | | 20.11.2008 | 19.01.2009 | 26.06.2009 | |
| SERBIA | 29.01.2009 | 26.01.2009 | | | | 20.01.2009 | 12.03.2009 | | |
| UKRAINE | 04.10.2008 | 05.12.2008 | 06.05.2009 | | | 21.10.2008 | 05.12.2008 | 26.05.2009 | |



AREAS OF CONCERN

- Signature of the MOU with NPI in Bosnia and Herzegovina;
- Progress of grant implementation in Albania and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia;
- Language of report submission by the NPI in Kazakhstan.



Thank you for your attention !

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