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Call for proposals for strategic projects

Environmental screening

Background information



The ENI CBC MED Programme, like other programmes, was submitted to a screening process to verify its potential effects on the environment according to the European Directive 2001/42/EC

Some project proposals, especially under certain Programme priorities, may foresee to carry out pilots which may have an impact on the environment in the form of increased resource consumption or emission of pollutants

To cope with the potential environmental impacts of the projects the ENI CBC MED Programme proposes different levels of “environmental screening” which represents an absolute innovation among EU programmes

Priorities with potential environmental impact



- **Priority 1.1 - Support innovative start-up and recently established enterprises.**
- **Priority 1.2 - Strengthen and support networks, clusters, consortia and value chains.**
- Priority 1.3 - Encourage sustainable tourism initiative and actions.
- **Priority 4.1 - Support sustainable initiatives targeting innovative and technological solutions to increase water efficiency and encourage use of non-conventional water supply.**
- **Priority 4.2 - Reduce municipal waste generation and promote source-separated collection and the optimal exploitation of its organic component.**
- **Priority 4.3 - Renewable energy and energy efficiency - Support cost-effective and innovative energy rehabilitations relevant to building types and climatic zones, with a focus on public buildings.**
- Priority 4.4 - Integrated Coastal Zone Management - Incorporate the Ecosystem-Based management approach to ICZM into local development planning

In bold the priorities targeted by the call for strategic projects

Procedure

1st LEVEL	Environmental sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All proposals are required to identify the output(s) which might have a positive/negative impact on the environment.• The assessors/MA review the content and may ask further information/documents, as the case may be.
2nd LEVEL	Environmental screening - Checklist A	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proposals submitted under one of the following priorities: 1.1; 1.2; 1.3; 4.1; 4.2; 4.3; 4.4 are required to fill in the Check list A.• The ENV assessors/MA may ask to fill in this check list for any proposal submitted under other priorities.
3rd LEVEL	Environmental effects - Checklist B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proposals needing a greater level of assessment are required to draft the Checklist B.• Based on the information provided, the ENV assessors/MA may require to fill in the Checklist C.
4th LEVEL	Environmental Report - Checklist C	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proposals needing a more detailed assessment and those including an infrastructure of at least 1 million euro (according to art. 43 of the IRs) are required to submit the Checklist C.

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List A

Checklist A

This Checklist A is to be filled for the submission of the proposals falling under the following Priorities: Priority 1.1; Priority 1.2; Priority 1.3; Priority 4.1; Priority 4.2; Priority 4.3; Priority 4.4). Depending on the answers provided, further information may be requested (see Check list B and C). For more information, see paragraph 5.5 of the G uidelines for Grant Applicants.

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| 1. Does the project foresee the realization of infrastructures? | No |
| 2. Does the project take into account the principles of environmental protection and sustainable development? | No |
| 3. Does the project take into account the relevant International, National and Regional directives/laws/agreement/strategies with regard to environmental and sustainable development issues? | No |
| 4. Has the environmental context been taken into account when deciding on the strategies and activities of the project proposal? | No |
| 5. Does the project have any potential impact on the environment? | No |
| 6. How the project plan will reduce the negative impact(s) and strengthen the positive impact(s)? | No |
| 7. Is any message on advocacy/awareness-raising related to environmental issues foreseen? | No |
| 8. Does any of the partners/associates involved in the proposal have a role in reducing the negative impact and/or strengthening different stakeholders' capacity to cope with this impact? | No |



List B

Checklist B



The Checklist B is required only for those proposals needing a more detailed environmental assessment, based on the information provided under the environmental boxes and/or the check list A. For more information, see paragraph 5.5 of the guidelines for grant applicants.

Section 1

Section 2

Section 3

General information

Description of the indicative area

Map of the indicative area

Area identification

Description of the intervention/infrastructure to be implemented



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List C

Checklist C



The Checklist C is required only for those proposals which need a greater level of environmental assessment and projects including an infrastructure of at least 1 million Euro (according to art. 43 of the Implementing Rules). Where appropriate, reference may be made to information already included in the application form. If an environmental/vulnerability report already exists, this can be sent to the MA, in addition to the information provided below. For more information, see paragraph 5.5 of the guidelines for grant applicants.

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Information

Purpose and and main features of the intervention

Proposed access to the site and transport arrangements

Number of employees expected to be involved in the assessed activity/ies

Land use requirements and other relevant physical features of the intervention

Production processes and the operational features of the project

Types and quantities of raw materials, energy and other resources consumed (estimation)

Residues and emissions by type, quantity, composition (estimation)



Example of conditions

.....	Reported conditions
XYX	The indicators proposed for the environmental monitoring are reliable with the features of the interventions, but the applicant has to deliver a monitoring plan specific for each pilot action with the number of stations, frequency and parameters to be monitored.
ABC	No mitigation measures have been identified. The visitor centre “ABC” planned under WPXY is not expected to have significant impacts, but the applicant doesn't provide the information requested concerning fauna impacts and specify mitigation measures both for the construction and the operation phase. The project has to identify adequate mitigation measures.