



SUMMARY OF THE PROJECT

JUstice: Governance for growth MoNiTor - JUdGMeNT)

Project implementer:

European Policy Institute (EPI) – Skopje

Objective:

Contribute to establishing of CSO's mechanism for monitoring the fulfilment of the indicators from the SEE2020 Strategy in the Governance for Growth pillar.

Specific objectives:

- 1) To initiate structured monitoring of the implementation of SEE 2020 Strategy on Justice Dimension of the Governance for Growth pillar;
- 2) To increase the capacity of CSOs to produce quality monitoring reports, and
- 3) To contribute to the public debate on implementation of SEE2020 Strategy on Judiciary Dimension

Target group:

National CSOs active in the area of Judiciary, national institutions (Ministry of Justice, Academy of Judges and Public Prosecutors), professional associations, trade unions.

Final beneficiaries:

CSOs active in the area of Judiciary, the wider public and the media.

Estimated results:

- R1. Established structured monitoring of the implementation of SEE2020 Strategy on Governance for Growth pillar – Justice Dimension;
- R2. Increased Capacities of CSOs to produce monitoring reports on the implementation of SEE2020 Strategy on Governance for Growth pillar – Justice Dimension, and
- R3. Enhanced public debate on SEE2020 Strategy on Justice Dimension from the Governance for Growth pillar

Key measures/instruments/activities SEE2020 Strategy on Justice Dimension from the Governance for Growth pillar:

- P.1. Improve efficiency and competence: review the quality, efficiency and competence of judges and the courts;
- P.2. Improve judicial cooperation in free access to information, crossborder enforcement and cross-border proceedings in bankruptcy and take-over and mergers;
- P.3. Support ADR: Introduce or improve the legislation on ADR and enable proper legal and institutional cooperation with the judiciary and the enforcement system.

Main activities:

- A1.1 Survey with CSOs;
- A1.2 Kick-off meeting;
- A1.3 Preparation of a monitoring matrix;
- A1.4 Preparation of a methodology on CSO's monitoring of Justice Dimension/Government for Growth pillar;
- A2.1 Workshop with CSOs on using the monitoring methodology;
- A2.2 Drafting monthly reports on the progress of implementation of the Justice dimension/Governance for Growth pillar;
- A3.1 Preparation of a report on the progress in the area of the indicators provided in the SEE2020 Strategy;
- A3.2 Dissemination of the reports to the relevant institutions, to a broader range of CSOs and to the wider public;
- A3.3 Policy forums to present the monitoring results and discuss recommendations.

Implementation period:

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