

Border Management and Security Programme

Border Management Actions in the EU Enlargement countries and European Neighbourhood regions

Geographic focus and presence

ICMPD supports governments and border management agencies in strengthening their national systems notably, but not exclusively, in EU Accession and European Neighbourhood countries. In the NEAR area of responsibility here are some of the countries where ICMPD runs / ran border management projects:

> Albania

> Lebanon

> Armenia

> Morocco

> Azerbaijan (completed)

> Tunisia

> Belarus (completed)

> Turkey

> Georgia (completed)

➤ Ukraine, and...

> Jordan

> at regional levels too

... and in many other regions (Africa, Silk route,...)

Beneficiary/partner administrations are mainly Ministries of Interior, Home Affairs, Ministries of Foreign Affairs, Ministries of Finance, Border Guards and Coast Guards, Border Police, Border Command, Revenue Services, Customs Administrations, Armed Forces, Internal Security Forces, General Security, Civil Defense, Sanitary Inspectorates, Trade or Market Inspectorates. Local border communities are also involved.



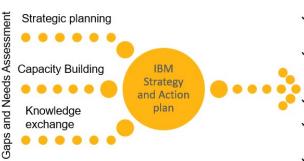


Multilevel and pluri-disciplinary approach

Most of the actions implemented have a strong focus on Integrated Border Management and facilitate promotion of **European, International and possibly local good practices** supporting strengthening of national border management systems' efficiency and effectiveness.

Support at Strategic & Implementation Levels

RESULTS



- ✓ Strengthened operational IBM systems
- ✓ Inter-Agency Cooperation and Coordination – e.g. creation of the Border Control Committee - BCC
- ✓ Code of Conduct
- √ Support to Border Management System (ICT)
- ✓ Institutionalisation of a training system for border agencies



KEY WORK AREAS



SOME KEY RESULTS



COMMAND & CONTROL SYSTEMS for Land and Maritime borders





PROCEDURES & CONTINGENCY PLANNING



Facilitation



*includes support to local training centres and schools



ICMPD Border Management and Security Programme in Brief

- Special BMV team established in 2003 (staff: 12 HQ, 1 BXL, 1 RCO MED + Field Offices)
- Strong focus on Integrated Border Management
- 2003: EC tasked to support the development of the IBM Concept for the Western Balkans (COM Working Document)
- 2009: request to prepare a "global" concept on IBM IBM Guidelines for EC external cooperation
- Expansion: geographical division and thematic specialisation (OC, terrorism/FTF, cybercrime/security, trade, border communities, etc.)
- IBM Concept, Strategy and Action Plan development and planning for (almost) all Western Balkans countries, Armenia, Belarus, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Tunisia, etc.
- Growing involvement in capacity building and operational training activities, as well as procurement.

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