

EU4SAFEALB



PROJECT FACTSHEET

The project **EU Support for the effective management of green and blue borders in Albania (EU4SAFEALB)** supports Albania to achieve effective border control and surveillance in order to counter organized cross-border crime and drug trafficking.

Donor	Delegation of the European Union to Albania
Financing instrument	Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II) 2014-2020
Project budget	EUR 6,000,000
Project duration	24 Months
Project duration	1 February 2020 – 14 April 2022
Beneficiaries	Border and Migration Police (BMP) of the Albanian State Police (ASP) of the Ministry of Interior (Moi)
Project implementer	The International Centre for Migration Policy Development (ICMPD)

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

The **overall project objective** is to support the BMP to achieve effective border control and surveillance in order to prevent and combat the trafficking in narcotics.

The project **specific objective** is to contribute to an enhanced BMP capacity to counter organized cross-border crime and drug trafficking through the provision of modern specialized technical means and the capacity building of the BMP staff.

PROJECT RESULTS

Module I: Inception and update of the procurement list

Module II: Procurement of equipment for land border surveillance and control

Module III: Procurement of equipment for maritime border surveillance and control

Module IV: Capacity building

In particular, the project provides BMP with patrol boats, surveillance vehicles, mobile maintenance workshop and the coastal radar surveillance system. The project will focus on the enhancement of the BMP logistical and equipment maintenance capacity.

In addition, the project will provide tailor made training to the BMP personnel including trainings for patrol vessels and radar operators, basic maintenance of patrol vessels, the maintenance of specialized IT systems and technical means.

THE INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR MIGRATION POLICY DEVELOPMENT (ICMPD)

Founded in 1993, ICMPD is a Vienna-based international organization with 17 Member States. It is active in more than 90 countries worldwide, with the Middle East being a priority region. Its three-pillar approach to migration management – structurally linking research, migration dialogues, and capacity-building – contributes to better migration policy development worldwide. ICMPD holds UN observer status and cooperates with more than 200 partners including EU institutions and UN agencies.

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