

Agenda for network meeting on financial issues in ENI CBC programmes

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Objective of the event

The objective of the event is two-fold:

- 1. To discuss and exchange on the immediate and upcoming challenges on financial issues concerning the selection and contracting of projects;
- 2. To improve the tools available by the programmes for the financial management of selected projects.

AGENDA

<u>DAY 1</u>

09:00 – 09:15	Registration and welcome coffee
09:15 – 09:40	Introduction to the event and expectations of the participants
09:40 – 10:45	Assessment of the project budget and financial plan Introduction by TESIM, practical examples from ENI CBC programmes
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:30	Assessment of the financial capacity of applicants Legal background and TESIM proposal on the financial capacity assessment; practical examples from ENI CBC programmes
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch break
13.30 – 15.00	Identification of State aid during the project assessment Practical experience and outcomes of State aid assessment in the ENI CBC programmes. Practical aspects of State aid management (exclusion of aid; de-minimis; state aid schemes; etc.).
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break
15:30 – 16:30	Control Contact Points and their role in expenditure verification Presentation of TESIM working paper on the Control Contact Points.
16:30 – 17:00	Wrap up of the day



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<u>DAY 2</u>

9:00 – 10:30	Expenditure verification procedures Legal background and main challenges; TESIM proposal for the templates of the expenditure verification
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:00	Financial corrections and recovery management and procedures in the ENI CBC context New legal requirements. Extrapolated error, flat rate and other tools. Lessons learned from the previous period.
12:00 – 12:30	Wrap up of the event: conclusions and next steps
12:30 – 13:00	Farewell lunch



