

17- Protected Areas Gap Assessment and Marine Protected Areas Development

Assignment Name: Protected Areas Gap Assessment and Marine Protected Areas Development		Country: ALBANIA
Location within Country: The whole Albanian coast		Professional Staff Provided by Your Firm/Entity (profiles): Marine Biodiversity experts
Name of Client: UNDP		N ^o of Staff: 3
Start Date (Month/Year): May 2008	Completion Date (Month/Year): June 2010	N ^o of Staff-Months; Duration of Assignment: 24 months
Name of Associated Consultants, If Any: WWF, GEF/SGP		Approx. Value of Services: 277.964 US\$
Name of Senior Staff (Project Director/Coordinator, Team Leader) Involved and Functions Performed: Dr. Zamir Dedej		
Narrative Description of Project: The objective of the project is, building on the recent WB study on the protected area system in Albania, to implement some of its key recommendations relating to country's participation in the Programme of Work on Protected Areas. These included a need for a comprehensive ecological gap assessment for the protected area system, and a need for establishment of a policy environment and knowledge on marine protected areas.		