

28- Supporting the proposed Trans-boundary Biosphere Reserve of Lake Skadar/Shkodra area through a participatory approach

Assignment Name: Supporting the proposed Trans-boundary Biosphere Reserve of Lake Skadar/Shkodra area through a participatory approach		Country: ALBANIA
Location within Country: Shkodra Lake area		Professional Staff Provided by Your Firm/Entity (profiles): Coordinators, institutional expert, legal expert, socio-economic expert, administration, etc
Name of Client: EU-IPA CBC Albania-Montenegro		Nº of Staff: 7
Start Date (Month/Year): December 2010	Completion Date (Month/Year): November, 2011	Nº of Staff-Months; Duration of Assignment: 12 months
Name of Associated Consultants, If Any: Green Home (MNE)		Approx. Value of Services: 112.221 Euro
Name of Senior Staff (Project Director/Coordinator, Team Leader) Involved and Functions Performed: Dr. Zamir Dedej		
Narrative Description of Project: The overall objective of the action herewith proposed is to protect Albanian biodiversity by advocating for a protection category. This will be pursued by supporting the government to approach a new policy for the institutional gaps when it comes to nature conservation in a transboundary context. To this end, a Working Group (WG) composed by regional/national NGOs will be established and its capacity strengthened so to enable its members to advocate for the UNESCO Man&Biosphere Program, including their networking.		