

## **Research Project Fact Sheet**

Title of Project	Provision of Technical Support Services for the project "Promoting Energy Efficiency in Public Buildings of the Balkan Mediterranean Territory"
Project Acronym	PRO-ENERGY
Funding Program	INTERREG V-B
Project Identifier	BALKAN MED 2014 - 2020
Total Budget	1052500 €
Starting – Ending Date	04/2021-03/2022
Consortium	<ol> <li>Region of Epirus - Regional Unit of Thesprotia (GR)</li> <li>Development Agency of Evia SA (GR)</li> <li>Cyprus Energy Agency (CY)</li> <li>Department of Electrical and Mechanical Services - Ministry of Transport, Communications and Works (CY)</li> <li>Regional Development Agency with Business Support Centre for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (BG)</li> <li>Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy (AL)</li> <li>Frederick University (subcontractor of EMS) (CY)</li> </ol>
Project Objectives	General:  The common challenge of PRO-ENERGY is to improve energy efficiency of public buildings (municipal/provincial/regional buildings, schools, universities, health centres, hospitals, museums, sports facilities etc.). This is a common problem faced by the territories participating in the project characterized by old facilities, outdated/degraded building facades, materials & equipment (insulation, electrical appliances, cooling/heating systems etc.), low energy consciousness & awareness, lack of skilled civil servants, etc. all leading to high energy consumption & CO2 emissions. Combined with the fact that participating territories are energy import dependent it is more than evident that there is room for improvements in energy consumption & more efficient use of energy. More importantly, the exemplary role of the public sector should be promoted by increasing energy savings in public buildings. PRO-ENERGY aims to address these issues by developing & implementing a Joint Strategy & Action
Work Packages	WP1 Project Management & Coordination WP2 Project Communication & Dissemination WP3 Joint Regional Analysis, Strategy and Framework WP4 Capacity Building for Energy Managers WP5 Pilot Actions & Sustainability WP6 EUSEW Participation
External References	VVI 0 E00EVV I distribution