

UKRAINE: KEY FACTS & FIGURES

FIRST YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION

7

REGULATORY
DRAFTS
PREPARED

6

WORKING
GROUPS
ESTABLISHED

31

WORKSHOPS
AND MEETINGS
ORGANISED

80

OFFICIALS
TRAINED

ACCELERATING REFORMS AND INVESTMENTS

Through High-Level Policy Talks, the need for specific reforms is addressed at the highest levels to ensure a clear understanding of each new piece of legislation proposed. The first such talk held in Kyiv on 9 June 2017, focused on accelerating the adoption of the draft Law on Energy Performance of Buildings. By explaining what compliance entails, the benefits it can bring as well as sharing experience and best practice from the EU, the Energy Community Secretariat helps to create a wider understanding and acceptance of new reforms, promoting a faster adoption process in the country.



At the regional level, the Energy Community Secretariat, through EU4Energy, provides a structured forum for Partner Countries to identify key regional energy infrastructure projects. The Secretariat supports the selection process of priority projects by applying a specific methodology and criteria to evaluate investments in electricity and gas infrastructure projects.

WORKING TOGETHER

In order to secure the commitment and ownership of the Eastern Partner countries, EU4Energy works in close collaboration with Ukrainian authorities to identify priority areas for support. By setting up dedicated working groups of all involved institutions for each sector of work, the EU4Energy Governance team ensures that appropriate follow-up is taken for all new legislation developed. At the same time, training and exchange of experience and best practice is provided to the working group members to facilitate the implementation of new legislation.

EU4ENERGY INITIATIVE

The EU4Energy Initiative covers all EU support to improve energy supply, security and connectivity, as well as to promote energy efficiency and the use of renewables in the Eastern Partner countries: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Republic of Moldova and Ukraine. It does this by financing projects and programmes that help to reform energy markets and to reduce national energy dependence and consumption. Over the longer term, this makes energy supply more reliable, transparent and affordable, thus reducing energy poverty and energy bills for both citizens and the private sector.



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GOVERNANCE PROJECT



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WHAT






The EU4Energy Governance Project is a technical assistance project funded by the European Union, under the EU4Energy Initiative. It targets policymakers working in the energy sector of Eastern Partner countries and helps them strengthen their legislative and regulatory frameworks as well as identify investment opportunities in key energy infrastructure projects.

WHO & WHERE

Within this project, the Energy Community Secretariat is delivering technical assistance to three Eastern Partner countries: Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine that are members of the Energy Community. Regional activities of the project also involve Armenia, Azerbaijan and Belarus.

WHY

A well-functioning energy sector needs clear rules and regulations that ensure both competition and legal certainty. With such rules and regulations in place, consumers, businesses and industry can expect the following benefits:

-  Lower energy bills
-  Improved reliability and safety of energy supply
-  Improved quality of service
-  Reduced environmental damage
-  Reduced energy poverty

WHEN

The EU4Energy Governance Project runs for four years from June 2016 to June 2020.

TYPES OF PROJECT ACTIVITIES

THE ENERGY COMMUNITY SECRETARIAT HELPS POLICYMAKERS IN FOUR WAYS



ENERGY EFFICIENCY

With EU4Energy support, Ukraine has developed new national energy efficiency targets for 2020 and 2030, which are set for approval under a new governmental decree.

Ukraine's Energy Efficiency Targets (Final Energy Consumption)

2020	55,507 ktoe	-17.1% from 2012
2030	57,199 ktoe	-14.6% from 2012

The National Energy Efficiency Action Plan to be developed with EU4Energy support will set the path to achieve these targets.

The calculations behind the new energy efficiency targets show that over 50% of the targets can be achieved through energy efficiency interventions in the residential sector. By adopting amendments to the draft Energy Performance of Buildings Law, prepared with EU4Energy support, Ukraine will not only bring this law into compliance with EU's Directive 2010/31, but will contribute to meeting the new targets.

ELECTRICITY MARKET

With the adoption of the primary law on the electricity market in 2017, the EU4Energy team has been helping Ukraine to put in place key regulatory acts to give a solid basis for the implementation of the law and transition to a new model of the electricity market.

25% is the contribution of EU4Energy toward the design of the new electricity market model.

Work is underway to improve the transparency of cross-border capacity transactions and provide greater system security through more cost-effective procurement of ancillary services by the transmission system operator. As a result, the new wholesale electricity market will be much more efficient and Ukraine will be able to offer consumers more competitive prices for electricity.

GAS MARKET

The gas sector is very important for Ukraine as it generates significant revenues for the country. Moreover, to secure stable transit of Russian gas after 2019 and competitive supply for its citizens, a stable, well-functioning and transparent gas market must be in place. The EU4Energy Governance team worked with authorities and prepared a draft law on unbundling of the state-owned gas monopoly, Naftogaz.

Breaking up the state-owned gas monopoly, Naftogaz, will:

increase competition

diversify energy supply

safeguard transit of gas to Europe

lower gas prices for consumers

ENERGY - RELATED ENVIRONMENT

Under this area, support is provided to reduce environmental impacts of energy utilization and safeguard the health and well-being of citizens. The EU4Energy team is providing technical assistance to develop new standards of emissions for plants incinerating or co-incinerating waste.