



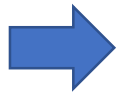
Peer2Peer support

1st Member State and Stakeholder meeting

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Options for P2P Instruments

- Little cooperation between Member States competent authorities for better implementation of the Zoos Directive
- Potential to better exploit the experience of good practices is not fully utilised



several options to support Member States competent authorities in better implementation of the Zoos Directive: **TAIEX-EIR Peer 2 Peer**



TAIEX-EIR P2P programme

- 1. Workshops**
- 2. Study Visits**
- 3. Expert Missions**

TAIEX-EIR P2P programme

1. Workshops

- Most frequently used of the TAIEX instruments.
- Single or multi-country workshops
- Normally last two days
- 20-30 participants.
- Private experts or representatives from zoo associations can only participate and be reimbursed when they are involved in official tasks (role in licensing and/or inspection);

2. Study Visits

- Employees (maximum three) from a requesting environmental authority go on a working visit to other EU Member State institutions
- Can last between two to five days;

3. Expert Missions

- Experts from an EU Member State environmental authority visit an environmental authority in other Member States
- Last between two to five days

TAIEX PAYS FOR:

- Costs for travel and accommodation for participants in study visits or multi-country workshops; for participants from the hosting country travel and accommodation is only financed when the distance between their residence and the venue of the workshop exceeds a certain minimum.
- Interpretation can be financed if duly justified. Working language is English.
- TAIEX does not cover costs for the venue, catering or the printing of background material

Application

Application

- Notify the responsible official at DG ENV about the P2P request. Once DG ENV has agreed with the application, the applicant should send his request for evaluation to: ENV-EIR@ec.europa.eu.
- Currently there is a vacancy for the coordinator. The current contact person is: Louis.MEULEMAN@ec.europa.eu.
- We support applications: VetEffectT - remco.schrijver@veteffect.nl

Evaluation

- After submission, the request is being evaluated and adjusted in an exchange between the applicant and the responsible EU official. Upon award, the activity can start.
- After completion of the activity, the applicant must send to TAIEX the reimbursement claim with receipts/evidence etc.

Implementation

- Past & upcoming events are published on the website of the TAIEX-EIR P2P programme.
- http://ec.europa.eu/environment/eir/p2p/index_en.htm