



# **The TAIEX Instrument of the European Commission**

(Technical Assistance Information  
Exchange Instrument)

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# Mission Statement

Support beneficiary countries in understanding, transposing, implementing and applying EU policies, legislation, rules the *acquis*

# Partner Countries

- Pre-accession assistance: Candidate countries; Western Balkans
- Turkish Cypriot community
- Countries covered by the European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument (ENPI)
- Russia

# Main forms of assistance

- Seminars/Workshops
- Expert Missions
- Study Visits
- Assessment Missions (ENP)

# TAIEX Services: Sector activities

- Internal Market:
- Justice, Security and Freedom
- Infrastructure
- Agriculture
- RTP/ P2P
- ATCC

# Agriculture team

**Agriculture, veterinary, phytosanitary and food safety *acquis*:**

## **Agriculture policies:**

- Common Market Organisations, rural development
- Agricultural statistics, direct payments, audits

## **Veterinary policies:**

- zoonoses
- veterinary medicinal products
- animal welfare

## **Phytosanitary policies:**

- plant passports, GMOs

## **Food safety policies:**

- Hygiene package and HACCP
- Labelling, health claims

## **Fisheries policies (CFP)**

# Activation

- Requests are primarily generated by the beneficiary countries
- Suggestions from Commission services are also considered

# How to apply?

- **Application forms** available via the web-site <http://taiax.ec.europa.eu>
- **Letter, fax, e-mail** (under the condition that the basic information requested in the application form is provided)
- **National Contact Points** are available for further assistance



# Who decides?

- All applications are submitted for opinion to the EC Delegations and the competent Commission services
- The Institution Building Unit of DG Enlargement, managing the TAIEX instrument, takes the final decision

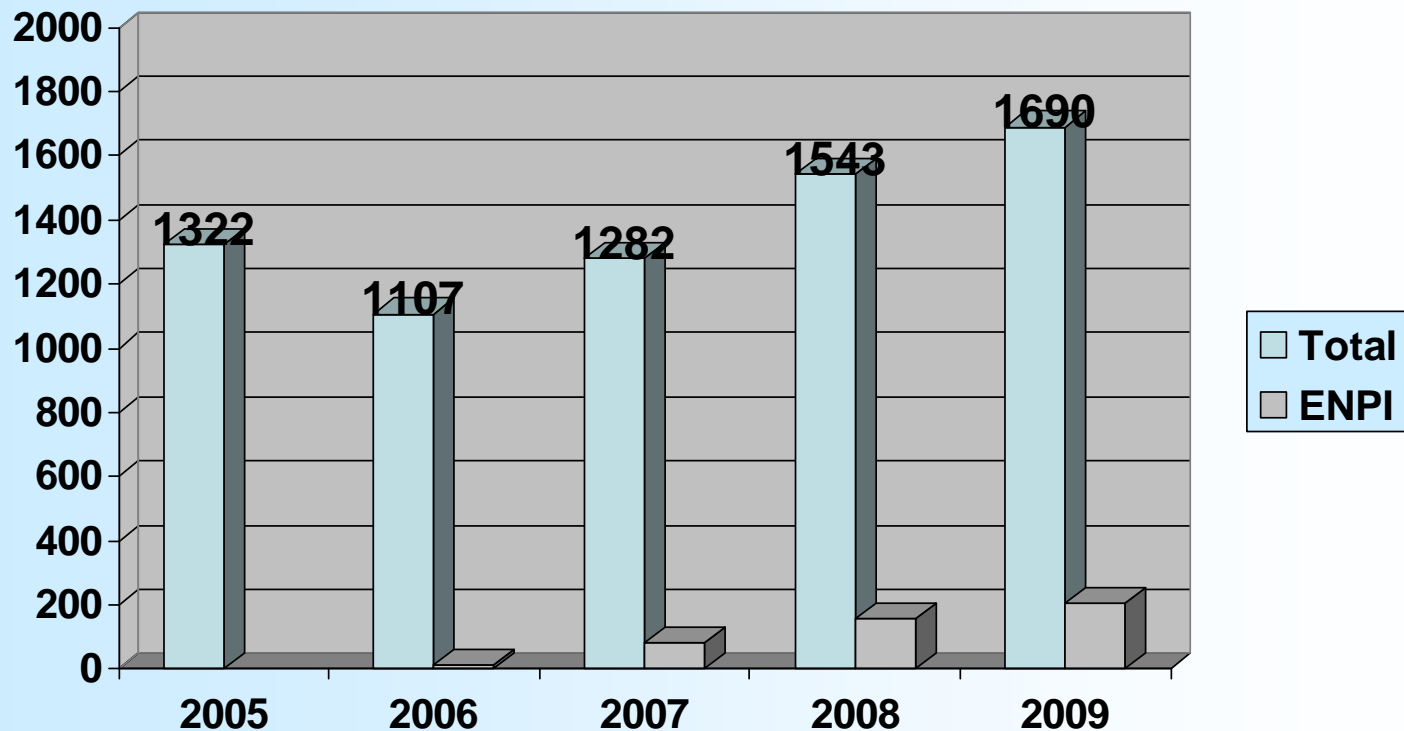
# How much would it cost ?

- **TAIEX covers all the costs** related to the provision of its assistance
- TAIEX can consider the opportunity to co-organise events together with Institutional stakeholders and/or other donors

# How long does it take?

- TAIEX can quickly deliver the requested assistance
- From the submission of the application, a minimum of 4-5 weeks for the dispatching of an expert and of about 8 weeks for the organisation of a seminar

# TAIEX actions 2004 up to 2009



# Examples of organised Agriculture events

**42578** Expert Mission on animal health requirements for aquaculture, Belgrade (Serbia)

14 – 15 October 2010

**42435** Workshop on Animal Welfare for Poultry Farm, Ankara (Turkey) 5 October 2010

**43347** Study Visit on Role of Veterinary Communication in Implementing Contingency Plans  
Beneficiary: Jordan 25 – 28 October 2010

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**The TAEIX assistance to Bulgaria and Romania is currently phasing-out as funding under the 2007 Transition Facility has come to an end. Therefore, no more applications will be accepted from now on TAEIX**

So far in 2010: TAEIX Events 748 Beneficiaries trained 20958 Member State Experts involved 639

**TAEIX Events**

**Beneficiary Partners**

**Member State Experts**

**Upcoming events**

10 - 11 Jun 2010 Seminar on Combatting Terrorism, Money Laundering & the Financing of Terrorism **JHA 41930**

10 - 11 Jun 2010 Workshop on Med... **INFRA 41960**

10 - 11 Jun 2010 Workshop on Lab... **INT MARKT IND/EXP 34491**

10 - 11 Jun 2010 Workshop on EU... **INT MARKT 41268**

13 - 17 Jun 2010 Expertise sur l'accréditation d'un laboratoire d'étalonnage **INT MARKT IND/EXP 34491**

14 - 16 Jun 2010 Study Visit on the Management of the Schengen Facility and the External Borders Fund **JHA IND/STUD 42343**

14 - 24 Jun 2010 Medium-term assistance on private security companies **KOS IND/EXP 42270**

14 - 16 Jun 2010 Study Visit on Establishing the Asylum and Migration Unit **JHA IND/STUD 41939**

14 - 15 Jun 2010 Expert mission on Food Supplements **AGR IND/EXP 34688**

14 - 17 Jun 2010 Study visit on Plant Genetic Resources **AGR IND/STUD 41343**

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# **AGR 42736 : Study Visit on Enforcement of EU common fisheries policy**

**Beneficiary country: Turkey**

**21 - 23 September 2010**



**Hosting authority:**

**Italian Coast Guard  
Headquarters  
Roma (ITALY)**



# Thank you

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