

# LIFE CET Call 2021

Towards an effective implementation of key legislation in the field of sustainable energy

LIFE-2021-CET-PolicyImplementation

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#### **Objectives**

Type of action: Other Action Grants - CSA (95%)

- ➤ The **EU legislative framework** for sustainable energy:
  - evolving constantly just undergoing a new, comprehensive revision under the EU Green Deal.
  - needs to match 27+ national contexts
  - In parts very technical and specific.
- Member States need to implement legislation by
  - introducing policy measures taking into account their specific needs and conditions
  - putting in place adequate tools for monitoring and evaluation.
  - -> Requires a high level of technical capacity and resources.
- ➤ Topic aims to support Member States in implementing sustainable energy legislation, notably of the EED, RED, EPBD, Product Legislation (+ Sector Integration Strategy).
  - Call 2021 will focus on the Energy Efficiency Directive (Scope A) and the Renewable Energy Directive (Scope B)!

#### **General Scope**

- Enable exchange of insights and sharing of best practices within and across Member States
- Provide support, technical advice and tools for contextualisation and specification of requirements
- Scope, assess and model the impact of implementation options, including non-energy impacts
- Support the monitoring and evaluation of policy implementation
- Develop and apply methodologies to more accurately measure, calculate and account for contributions made under specific policy measures and programmes
- Collect and analyse energy consumption data across sectors; monitor efficiency trends and show their implications for society, markets and technologies
- Develop and support integrated methodologies for areas and sectors that are addressed by different policies and pieces of legislation.





Actions under **Scope A** are expected to address core provisions and aspects of the **Energy Efficiency Directive**\*, such as:

- Energy Efficiency targets (e.g. data collection, more accurate monitoring, better understanding of energy consumption)
- Energy Efficiency Obligations (e.g. more accurate calculation of savings, better M&V tools, monitoring of EEOs/alternative measures; interaction of Article 7 <-> other policies/ sectors)
- Metering and billing (e.g. sub-metering, remote reading/ heat cost allocation)
- Energy Services (regulatory, non-regulatory and financial barriers and enablers)
- Public Procurement
- Energy Efficiency National Fund
  - \* For Policy Support actions addressing Heating and Cooling, please refer to Scope B.
  - \* For Policy Support actions addressing energy audits and energy management systems, please refer to call topic LIFE-2021-CET-EnergyAudits



Actions under Scope B are expected to address core provisions and aspects of the Renewable Energy Directive, such as:

- Renewables self-consumers (e.g. self-consumption and collective self-consumption; incentives for RES consumer business models)
- Renewable energy communities (RESCs) (e.g. enabling frameworks for RECs across MS, including aspects linked to the Citizen Energy Communities as in Directive (EU) 2019/944)
- Mainstreaming renewable energy in heating and cooling, including district energy networks (e.g. data, market barriers, authorisation and licensing procedures; net benefits, cost and energy efficiency of H&C/waste H&C equipment and systems; analysis of national RES + waste energy potential incl. integration into district heating and cooling networks;
- Renewable energy in the transport sector
- Other horizontal matters, such as support schemes, authorisation procedures, information and training, Guarantees of Origin etc.





#### **Expected Impacts for Scopes A and B**

- Improved collaboration of implementing bodies within and across Member States; increased understanding and knowledge in public administrations
- More effective implementation of provisions, including better planning, design and evaluation
- Use of appropriate tools and methods that facilitate availability and access to data; improved quality of data and better monitoring
- Improved understanding of consumption trends
- Use of more accurate calculation and M&V methodologies
- Improved quality of reporting/ NECPs/ Long-term renovation strategies
- Improved understanding of potentials and market barriers
- More effective planning, for example of smart Heating and Cooling networks
- Improved understanding and measurement of impacts and non-energy benefits,
- Primary energy savings/Renewable energy generation triggered by the project (in GWh/year)
- Investments in sustainable energy triggered by the project (cumulative, in million Euro)





#### Examples of relevant on-going and concluded projects/ initiatives

- ENSPOL/ ENSMOV, CSAs ensmov.eu
- EPATEE, CSA <u>EPATEE</u>, <u>Evaluation Into Practice to Achieve Targets for Energy Efficiency</u>
- Odyssee Mure <u>Energy Efficiency Trends & Policies | ODYSSEE-MURE (odyssee-mure.eu)</u>
- StreamSave, CSA streamSAVE Streamlining Energy Savings Calculations
- Concerted Action EED <u>Homepage (ca-eed.eu)</u>
- Concerted Action RES <u>Home: CA-RES (ca-res.eu)</u>





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