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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Local Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan Consultative Meetings will be held in Muğla on June 6-7, 2023, in Konya on June 12-13, 2023, in Sakarya on June 20-23, 2023, and in Samsun on June 22-23, 2023.

## ACTIVITIES

The 34th Operational Coordination Unit Meeting was held on May 3, 2023.

The second learning visit of the project was held in Denmark and Sweden from May 8-12, 2023. The visit was attended by experts from the Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change, as well as representatives from the metropolitan municipalities of Konya, Sakarya, Samsun, and Muğla, which are the pilot provinces of the project. The participants explored the climate change adaptation actions and sustainable and nature-based solutions implemented by the municipalities of Copenhagen and Stockholm. The visit provided municipalities with the opportunity to gain valuable insights into developing effective strategies and actions for combating climate change.

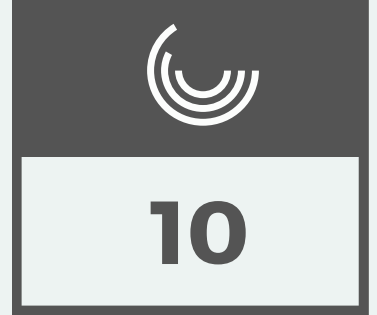
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A desk review to take inventory of the existing sectoral guidelines in EU member states and countries with similar socio-economic profiles, and to evaluate ongoing reforms and implementation mechanisms in priority sectors (e.g., project development and project life cycle mechanisms) submitted on May 15, 2023,

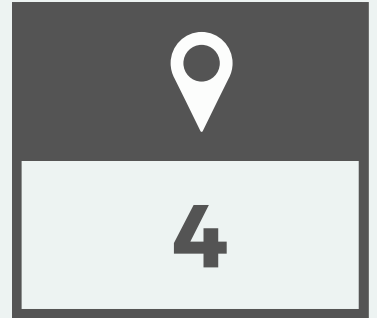
The final financing strategy document, which will combine the financing framework with financing action plans, inputs from consultation meetings, and feedback, was submitted on May 23, 2023.

An assessment of various financial solutions, including their financial viability and operational sustainability, potential, and implementation constraints (e.g., regulatory framework, pricing errors), was approved on April 11, 2023. The translation of the study was submitted on May 22, 2023, and approved on May 31, 2023.

## SECTORS



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The translation of the study estimating the economic impacts of climate change and the costs of adaptation measures for priority sectors, along with the costs of the baseline scenario used for comparison, was submitted on April 17, 2023.

The translation of the study assessing the economic impacts of climate change and the costs of adaptation measures for priority sectors, along with the effects of the baseline scenario used for comparison, was submitted on April 10, 2023.

The translation of five separate one-day consultation meetings, which aim to discuss existing and future financing models and mechanisms and funding priorities for climate change mitigation, with the participation of relevant public sector, private sector, academic, and civil society stakeholders, was submitted on May 22, 2023.

The final report containing the findings of the financing meetings and meeting minutes was submitted on May 2, 2023.

The translation of the 3rd Progress Report was submitted on May 16, 2023.

The translation of an action plan for the updating process of the Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan, including the identification of key stakeholders and a detailed work program, was submitted on May 2, 2023.

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# ENHANCING ADAPTATION ACTION IN TÜRKİYE

Enhancing Climate Adaptation Action in Turkey Project has been launched on 9 October 2019 with the collaboration between the Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change and the United Nations Development Programme in Turkey (UNDP Turkey).

The overall objective of the project is set as “building societal resilience by strengthening climate change adaptation, particularly at sector and urban level” while the specific purpose is to establish an enabling environment for climate change adaptation in Turkey by developing the policy, technical and operational baselines, including

- better decision-making tools for national climate change adaptation policies,
- urban adaptation planning solutions (urban adaptation strategies and action plans)
- capacity building and networking activities for climate change adaptation with the EU and the international community, and
- a climate change adaptation grant programme to implement climate change adaptation action.

The project target groups are the relevant public institutions, local governments and municipalities, regional and provincial directorates, regional development agencies, chambers, unions, professional and business organizations, universities, research institutes, and civil society organizations. The target groups of the operation include all relevant non-state stakeholders and citizens.

