



The Norwegian Cooperation programme with Bulgaria  
Individual Project

<b>Strengthening Governance for Sustainable Production in Bulgaria</b>	
<b>Bulgaria</b>	
<b>Project Promoter:</b>	<b>Partner (main):</b>
Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD)	Norsk Utenrikspolitisk Institutt (NUPI)
<b>Type of Applicant:</b>	<b>Type of partner:</b>
NGO	Research institute
	<b>Other partners:</b>
<b>Grant amount awarded:</b>	<b>Total eligible project cost:</b>
EUR 495 000	EUR 549 642
<b>Grant rate:</b>	<b>Case no:</b>
90 %	2008/109517
<b>Planned project duration:</b> 5/2009 – 4/2011	<b>Project web-site:</b> <a href="http://www.csd.bg">http://www.csd.bg</a> & <a href="http://www.nupi.no">http://www.nupi.no</a>

**Short project description:**

The project aims to improve the governance for sustainable production in the energy sector through three main tools of intervention: research and monitoring, policy advocacy and public awareness, capacity building and knowledge transfer. Through a comprehensive assessment of the government policies for sustainable development, the evaluation will be made on the institutional and regulatory reforms carried out and their impact. The project purpose is to achieve impact on macro (improving the design and applicability of the national sustainable development strategy), meso (implementation of public procurement instruments) and micro level (providing governance risk management and sustainable organisational development services to enterprises).

**Expected results:**

- Contribution to finalisation of the National Sustainable Development Strategy and other policy documents
- Revision of public procurement mechanisms for sustainable production in the energy sector/ 2 annual reports on good governance with measures for improving public procurement, licensing etc.
- 2 annual policy forums on good governance on sustainable production/6 policy papers on better governance for sustainable development
- 6 workshops for trainers on good governance/ 50 trained professionals