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**France – Bosnia and Herzegovina
Railway Twinning Project**

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Project data (1)

- **Project title:**
“Twinning Assistance to the Ministry of Communications and Transport of Bosnia and Herzegovina in Implementation of the Bosnia and Herzegovina Law on Railways”
 - **Member State:** France with Estonia as junior partner
 - **MS implementing body:** Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Spatial Planning
with the help of a mandated body: ISTED (Institute of Sciences and Techniques of Public Works and Environment)
 - **Beneficiary Country:** Bosnia and Herzegovina - Ministry of Communications and Transport of BiH
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Project data (2)

- **Budget:** 1 000 000 Euros
 - **Actual start of the project:** 03 July 2007
 - **Duration of the Twinning work-plan:** 18 months
 - **Implementation period:** 21 months
 - **End of the implementation period:** 28 March 2008
 - **MS Project Leader:** Guy BENATTAR
 - **BC Project Leader:** Dario BUŠIĆ
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Project Components

- **Component 1 (140 Working Days dedicated):**
Building and Strengthening the BiH Railway Regulatory Board
 - **Component 2 (150 Working Days dedicated):**
Building and Strengthening the Infrastructure Manager/s
 - **Component 3 (140 Working Days dedicated):**
Strategy towards the conformity with the Acquis communautaire
 - **20 MS Experts involved**
 - **32 Benchmark reports to be delivered during the Project (including study trip and seminar reports)**
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Benchmarks Component 1

Benchmark no.	Benchmark title
B.1.1	Role, Responsibilities and Mandatory tasks of the RRB
B.1.2	Functional Scheme of the Railway Regulatory Board
B.1.3	Operational Procedures for the RRB
B.1.3 bis	Annual Report of the Railway Regulatory Board
B.1.3 ter	Action Plan of the RRB
B.1.4	Regulations concerning technical standards and technical specifications for operators
B.1.5	Licensing manuals for authorisations for operators
B.1.6	Licensing manuals for inspections and issuance of safety certificates
B.1.7	Manuals with instructions for Interoperability
B.1.8	Instructions for Safety, with a list of safety indicators
B.1.9	Study visit to France
B.1.10	Seminar for RRB staff
B.1.11	Final Training session of RRB staff
	13 Benchmarks for Component 1

Benchmarks Component 2

Benchmark no.	Benchmark title
B.2.1	Definition of the roles and responsibilities of the Infrastructure manager(s) - IM(s)
B.2.2	Organization chart and functional scheme of the IM(s)
B.2.3	Standard Operational Procedures for the IM(s), including administration of network
B.2.4	Role, Responsibilities and Organization of the Supervisory Board
B.2.5	Legal basis for collection of infrastructure charges harmonized with the EU practice
B.2.6	Access of Operators to railway network, allocation of railway routes
B.2.7	Network statements
B.2.8	Study visit to Estonia
B.2.9	Seminar for IM staff
B.2.10	Final Training of IM staff
	10 Benchmarks for Component 2

Benchmarks Component 3

Benchmark no.	Benchmark title
B.3.1	Priority list of the Railway related Acquis issues
B.3.2	Proposals to make the Railway Law(s) compliant with the EU Acquis
B.3.3	Proposals to make the BiH institutional framework capable of transposing the EU Acquis
B. 3.4	Handbook on the Acquis issues related to railway transport sector
B.3.5	Strategic action plan for implementation of the priority Acquis issues
B.3.6	Study visit to France
B.3.7	First Seminar
B.3.8	Study visit to France and the EC
B.3.9	Final Seminar with Conclusions
	9 Benchmarks for Component 3



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