

Environmental and Social Data Sheet

Overview

Project Name: REHABILITATION OF NR24 AND NR24B
Project Number: 20100577
Country: ROMANIA
Project Description: The project concerns the rehabilitation and upgrade of 94.718 km of TEN-T national road, located on NR 24 -from Galati-Vaslui county limit to Crasna and on NR 24B from Crasna to Albita (border point with Republic of Moldova).

EIA: Required ☐
Not required ☒

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment, including key issues and overall conclusion and recommendation

The project is promoted through the SOP-T which was subject to a strategic environmental assessment following Romanian legislation in accordance with SEA Directive 2001/42/EC. The Environmental report was approved in January 31, 2007.

The project falls under Annex II of the EIA Directive, as transposed into the Romanian Law, and the competent authority did not deem an EIA necessary (screened out).

The project is located in the vicinity of 5 Natura 2000 sites and the Competent Authority confirmed that the project is likely to have no significant impacts on any of the sites.

Being rehabilitation of an existing road, following the same alignment and with involving limited land take, the project will have mainly limited temporary and reversible negative residual impacts in the construction phase. On the long term, the project is expected to have positive benefits in terms of road safety.

The project is acceptable for Bank financing.