

# **EUROPEAN TERRITORIAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME INTERREG V-A GREECE – ITALY 2014-2020**

### **INFORMATIVE SEMINAR on FIRST LEVEL CONTROL**

Modification during the project lifetime and the financial flow: timing and reimbursement procedures

**Bari, 24<sup>ST</sup> July 2018** 

Apulia Region Hall – Fiera del Levante





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Adjustments/Modification procedures during the project lifetime



considering the effect on the project structure and the body that will provide at each time the decision are set three levels of project change...

Adjustments by the Beneficiaries with the consent of JS/MA



Modifications approved by the Managing Authority



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Modifications approved by the Monitoring Committee

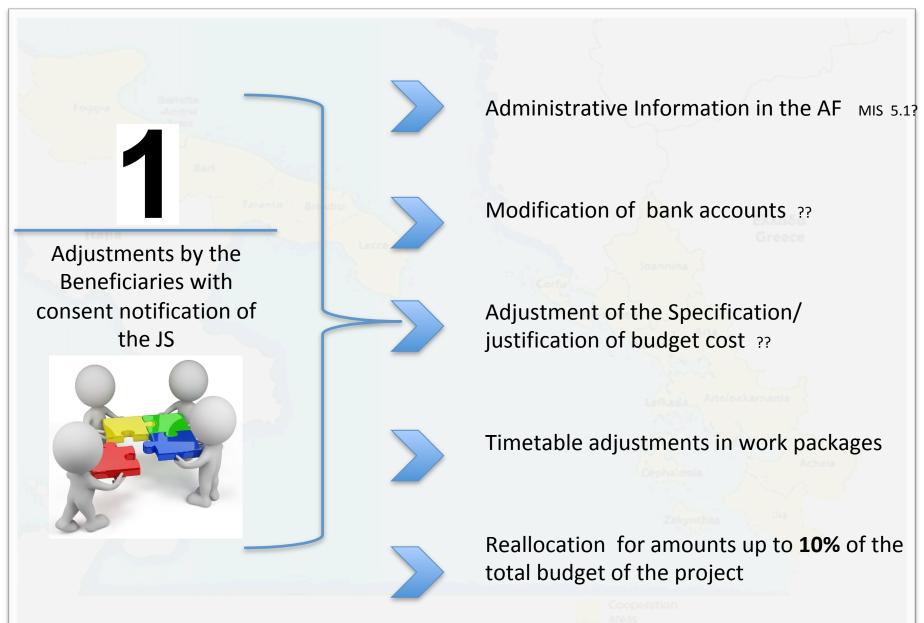






- 1. In all cases, the LB must address to the JS any request for modification, duly justified with the consent of the partnership
- 2. It must be noted that the discounts of the contracts are not subject to modifications and any respective savings shall be returned to the Programme.
- 3. All budget modifications are decided on the basis of **sound financial management** of the Programme.







### Procedure for the consent of the above mentioned cases









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<u>Only</u> in case of adjustment No.5, the Lead Beneficiary should submit an official notice to the JS electronically, stating and justifying the proposed adjustments prior to the request for verification of expenditures and in any case prior to the submission of the next progress report. Together with the official notice, the LP must submit the following documents:





- 1. official notice to the JS electronically
- 2. Request (singed –stamped) for project modification
- 3. Budget modification sheet (Standard form)



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The JS/MA reserves the right not to approve adjustments if:







- 1. They affect the objectives and expected results of the project (physical activities)
- 2. The reallocation of budget categories and/or work packages is above 10% compared to the initial Application form as approved.



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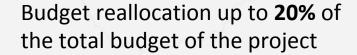
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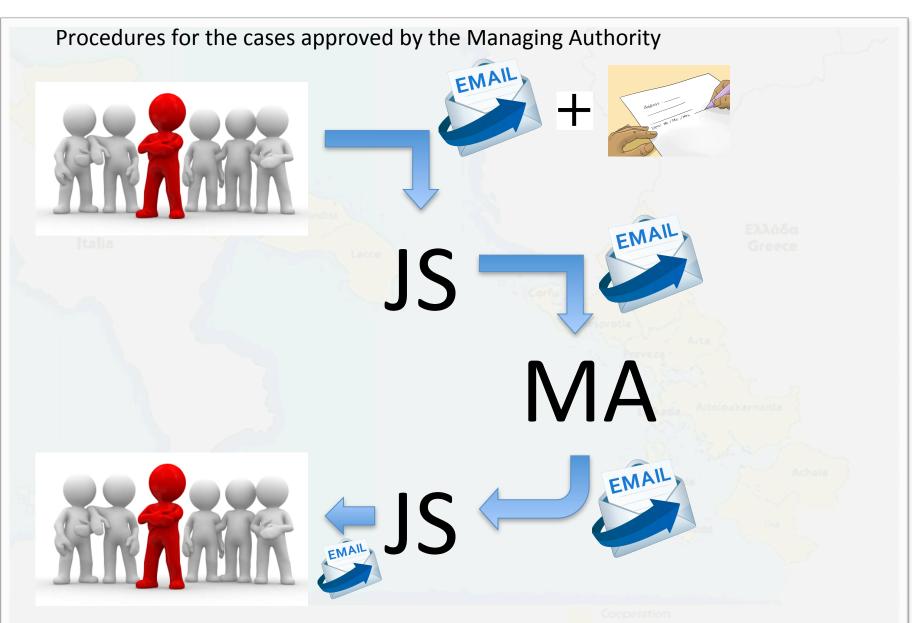
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**Extension of the date** for closing project implementation activities, if not affecting the achievement of the target set by the n+3 rule

Budget reallocation between beneficiaries (same Member State & ERDF contribution), equal to or less than 10% of the project budget (ERDF + National Funding), no increase in the ERDF contribution of the project







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by the Monitoring
Committee



Reallocation between respective budget categories and/or actions **over 20%** of the total budget of the project.

Reallocation between beneficiaries from the same Member State and ERDF rate of contribution, **over 10%** of the project budget (ERDF + National Funding).

Changes to the **nature of the project** and in particular to the objectives and the expected results.

Reallocation of resources between beneficiaries from different Member States

Modification to the composition of the partnership.

Addition of **new activities** leading to the increase of the project budget



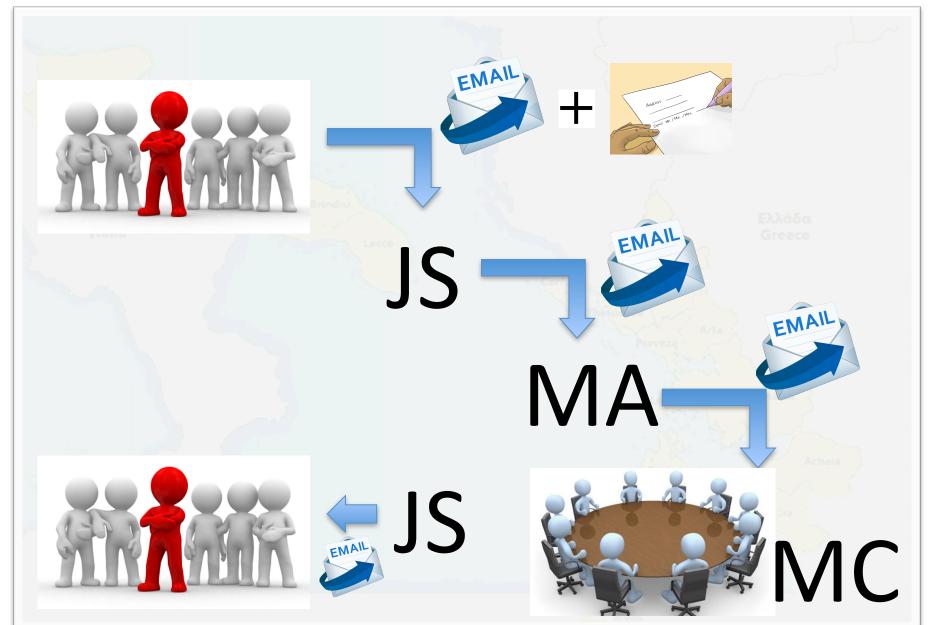


Modifications requiring Subsidy Contract and Partnership agreement amendment

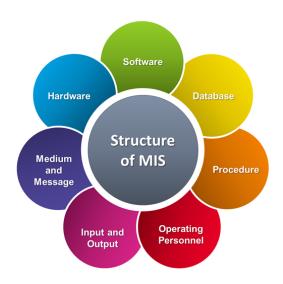
Modified when a specific article compared to the one in force is modified. Indicatively, these cases are the following:

- Article concerning the composition of the partnership, or
- budget modifications leading to a beneficiary's overall budget increase or decrease.





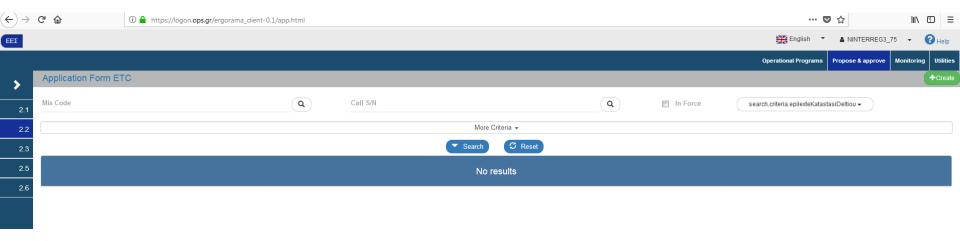




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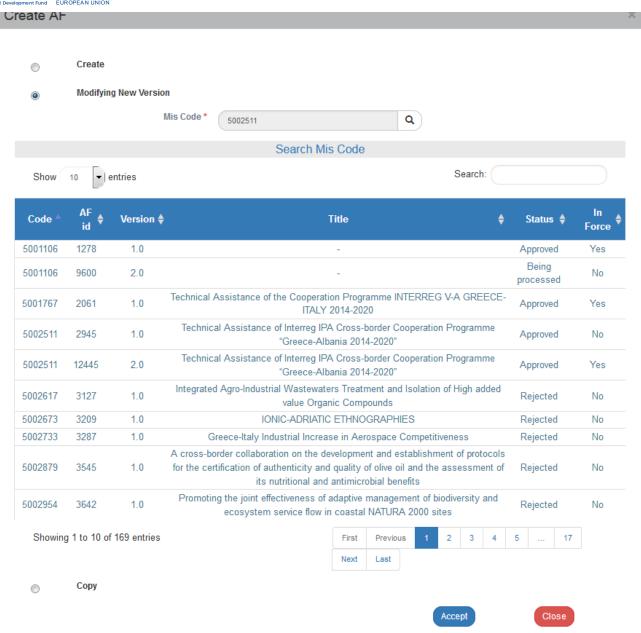




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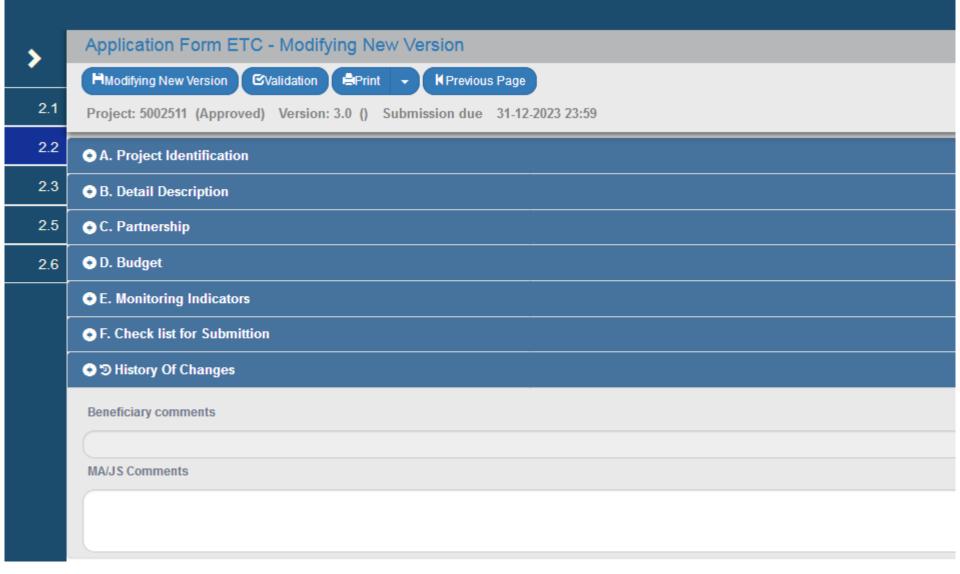






# Choose project MIS and Accept





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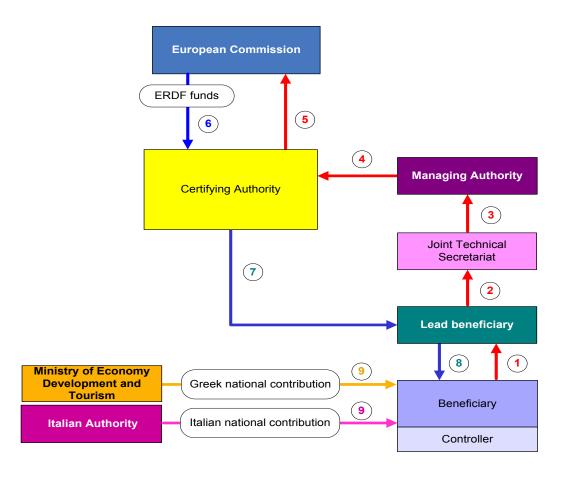


# **EUROPEAN TERRITORIAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME**INTERREG V-A GREECE – ITALY 2014-2020

Financial flow: timing and reimbursement procedure



### DIAGRAM 2: CERTIFICATION OF EXPENDITURE AND FINANCIAL FLOW OF PUBLIC EXPENDITURE



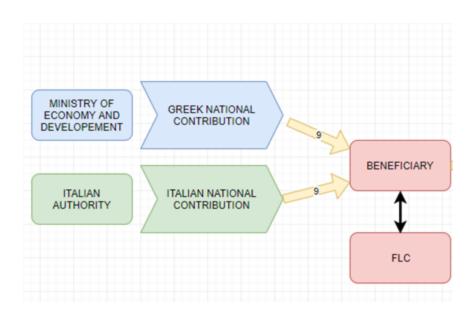
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- Flow of certified expenditure
- Flow of ERDF funds
- Flow of Greek national contribution
- Flow of Italian national contribution



### FLOW OF NATIONAL CONTRIBUTION





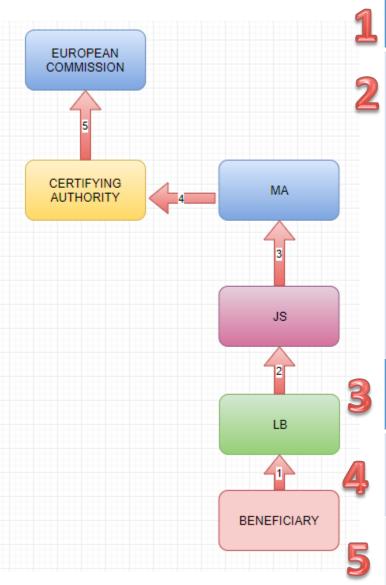
National (GR-IT) contribution to beneficiaries (including LB) but not to the associated partners/observers

- •GR-Public Investment Fund (ΠΔΕ)
- •IT- Fondo rotazione

Beneficiaries (including LB) can start: Payments, table of expenditures. Certificates of verified expenditures are issued by FLC. (through the <u>new MIS</u> almost all steps)



### FLOW OF CERTIFIED EXPENDITURES



Reports- data and certificates /From Partner Beneficiary to LB

Progress Report (PR) and its accompanying certificates / From LB to JS

The LB will submit a PR to JS every six months (<u>2PRs/year</u>), in accordance to the following schedule:

<u>January- June</u> 30th of July of the respective year <u>July – December</u> 30th of January of the following year

Physical – financial progress of project implementation, payments, certified expenditures, indicators etc. are projected the in PR (through the new MIS)

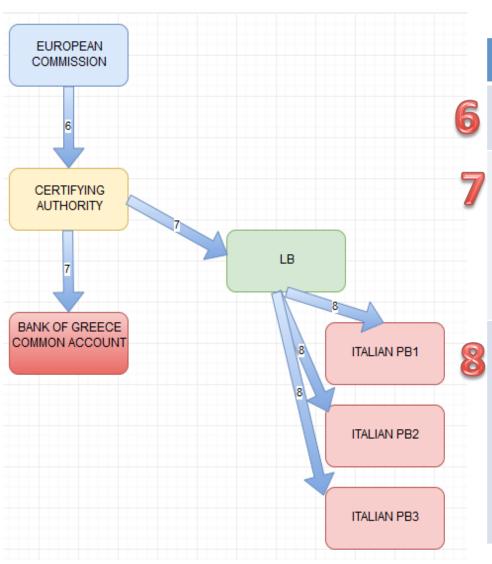
PRs & Certificates are checked, forwarded into MIS and reported by JS to MA

Decision for ERDF payment Claim is taken by MA and addressed to Certifying Authority (CA)

ERDF payment Claim is submitted by CA to European Commission



### FLOW OF ERDF FUNDS



### **European decision (positive!)**

Certifying Authority receives the ERDF funds (85%)

ERDF reimbursement is contributed by CA

- to each LB (GR or IT)
- to one certain Bank of Greece account.

(if and according to participation of their project in the claim)

ERDF reimbursement is contributed by LB (GR or IT) within <u>thirty (30) calendar days</u>

•to each separate Italian Beneficiary ( also to itself if LB is Italian ) and

(if and according to participation of each PB in the claim)

Detailed instructions are given by CA





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## SECTION 4 - FINANCIAL REPORT 4.1 Implementation of actions Please state the deliverables implemented within the specific reporting period using the table below. Actions started in one and finishing in another Reporting Period should be declared in all respective periods. If more than one beneficiary is involved in the development of a Deliverable Title Expenditure paid out during this Approved Budget TOTAL Verified Expenditure No Budget Expenditure during this including this reporting paid out including this reporting period period reporting period reporting period



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