



# IDEAS ON PROSPECTIVE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE PERIOD APRIL 30, 2016 till 2020

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# Slide 1 – Regional format



1. Azerbaijan supports proposals in the report “Global assessment of the support provided by the EU in the energy sector to the Eastern Partnership and Central Asian countries (2007-2013)” on the format of the future regional TA project in the way of establishing one umbrella group and 4 thematic country groups. Azerbaijan would participate in the 2 groups – Energy corridors and Development of national energy markets.
2. Allocation of the project funds should be proportional to the energy contribution of the countries into the ensuring energy security of the EU. Azerbaijan is an exporter of energy to the EU



# Slide 2 – Broad priorities

SUBSECTOR AREA	Conventional energy	Nuclear	Oil and gas	RES	Energy Efficiency
Legislation	X		X	X	X
Governance	X		X	X	X
Institutions	X		X	X	X
Regulation	X			X	X
Market operations	X		X	X	X
Technical issues	X		X	X	X
Environment					
Energy statistics and standards	X		X	X	X

# Slide 3 – Broad priorities



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	Where technical assistance is needed	Justification
1	Production of Comprehensive strategy for energy sector development up to 2030 on the basis of the coordinated ITS Working plan for the period of 2015-2016.	Key development trends would be identified, creation of legal and organisational and technical basis for development of short-term and long-term Action Plans
2	Development of electricity and gas markets (unbundling of management and accounting, development of new bodies for market governance, regulators, commercial operators)	Creation of the competitive conditions in the electricity sector, that is improvement of reliability, cost reduction and transparency. The first step has already been made. From the national power grid distribution and supplying networks are unbundled
3	Improvement of energy statistics, including TA in applying statistics to design policy and forecasts.	Development of the statistics system on the consumer side would allow for improvement of forecasting the development of energy and demand management.
4	Improvement of the system for standards, including EE standards	Introduction of the system of standards would allow to improve efficiency and

# Slide 3 – Broader priorities

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5	Development of the energy sector, including EE, energy savings, RES, network code, tariff methodologies, aiming at promoting EE, energy savings and RES	Speeding up the development of EE, energy savings and RES. Attracting private investments into the sector
6	Support to participation in different EU energy forums such as Florence and Madrid forums	Networking on the personal level between experts of energy institutions of the EU and Partner Countries. Awareness raising
7	Regional seminars for public officers in the energy sector on familiarisation with EU energy policy, including Third Energy Package	Development of domestic and external gas and electricity markets of Azerbaijan requires knowledge of EU energy policy
8	Development of investment mechanisms of supporting energy transportation systems (corridors)	Infrastructure needs consolidated costs by the participants. There is a need of transparent financing mechanism with engagement of EU financial institutions (EBRD, EIB) and NIF

