

Advanced Response for Enforcement of Biodiversity Law and Investigation System

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The problem. Project's solution

Protected natural areas face threats like poaching, illegal logging, and habitat degradation, leading to biodiversity loss and ecological imbalance.

Cross-border cooperation to strengthen law enforcement, and align conservation efforts to protect key sites such as Obcinele Bucovinei and Vyzhnytskyi National Nature Park aims to ensure long-term preservation of biodiversity, natural landscapes, and essential ecosystem services.



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Cross Border Partnership

◆ Lead Partner

Suceava County Police
Inspectorate
Romania

◆ Partner 2

The Main Department of the
National Police in Chernivtsi
Region
Ukraine

◆ Associate

Suceava Forestry Directorate
Romania

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Who benefits from the project?

- 60 officers involved
- regional and national authorities
- general public

Project Outcomes

- **1 Joint Action Plan** for Cooperation in the Investigation of Environmental Crimes and Biodiversity Protection in Protected Areas
- **3 workshops** attended by Romanian and Ukrainian officers and by the representatives of the associated organisation
- **1 common field exercise** focused on surveillance techniques and investigation methods related to environmental crime, incorporating the utilization of new equipment.
- **endowment with specialized equipment** aimed to significantly enhance operational effectiveness (off-road vehicles, pick-up truck, binoculars with thermal vision, outdoor thermal equipment, and portable radio stations, etc).