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The Experience of the Spanish LIFE National Contact Point

LIFE Programme Spanish National Contact Point
Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Food and Environment

19th October 2017
LIFE16 Kick-off meeting for Climate Action projects
Climate Change Adaptation (CCA)

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Resources allocated to the NCP

- **Administration in charge** of the NCP:

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- **Human resources** allocated:
  - A Deputy Director-General
  - 3 Civil Servants
  - 4 technicians (part time). Specialized in different areas: Environment, Forestry, Biodiversity, Financial.

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Main Tasks of the National Contact Point (NCP)

- **Support to applicants** on technical and administrative issues for the preparation of proposals by: **email, telephone calls, review of projects concepts, meetings and interviews, partners searching. eProposal**. Monitoring the status of the proposals.
- **Dissemination** of the Programme: **website, conferences, seminars, workshops**
- **Coordination with EASME** in the organization of annual **Info Days**.
- Participation in **LIFE Committee** meetings. Negotiations of the Regulations.
- Participation in the **annual Training** organized by EC/EASME for NCP.
- Participation in **Kick-Off Meetings** organized by EC/EASME for project coordinators.
- Management of the Spanish LIFE **projects Database**.
- **Visits to projects** accompanying the Commission.
- **LIFE Capacity Building** visits: Hungary, Bulgaria, Croatia, Slovenia, Lithuania, Estonia. Poland.

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eProposal (on-line creation and submission of LIFE proposals)

Proposal status: Draft

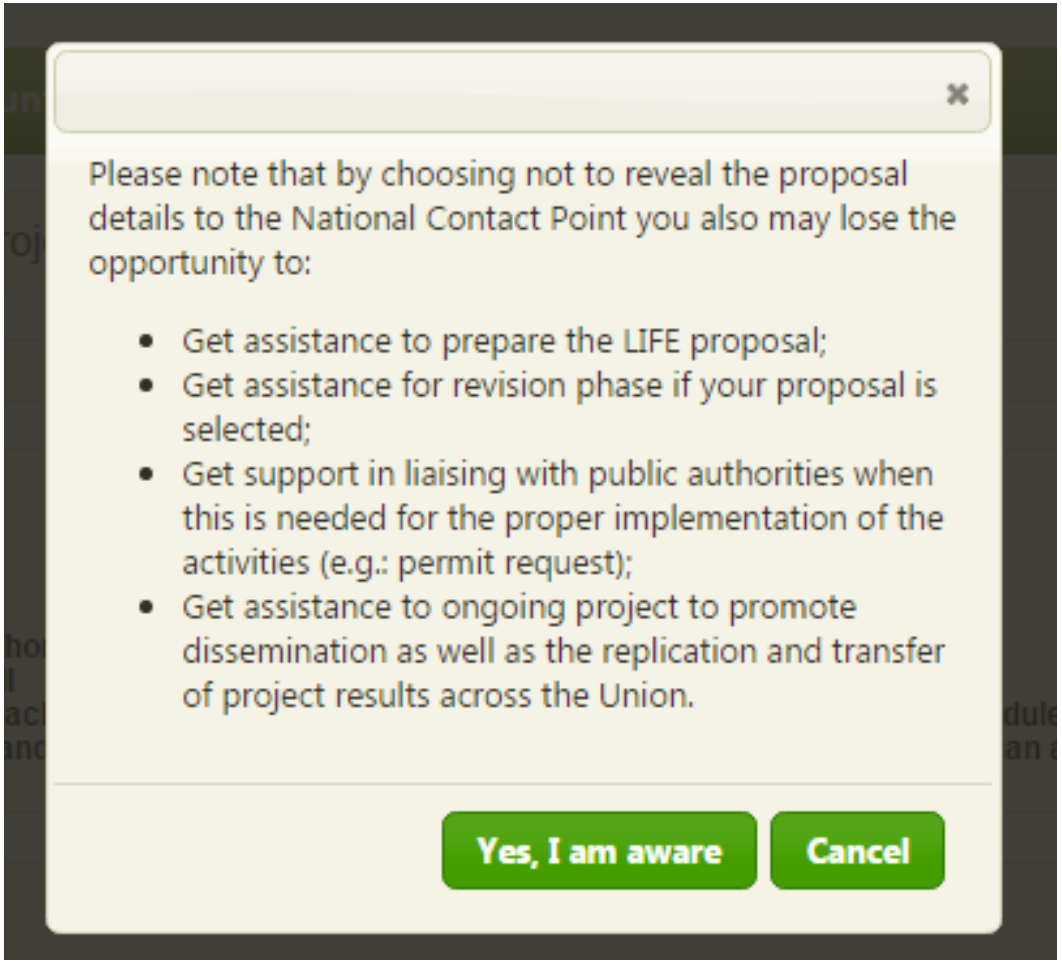
National authorities access

Access granted to National authorities Yes ◉ No ○

In those cases where the applicants grant access, all National authorities of Member States participating in the project will be able to:
1. Access the proposal before and after the closing date of the call
2. Access also the communication between the Commission and each applicant who has submitted a proposal through the Mailbox module in eProposal.
Please note that National authorities are bound by confidentiality and absence of conflict of interest obligations and that your choice can always be modified later.

General project information

Maximum characters 17 / 120


Please note that by choosing not to reveal the proposal details to the National Contact Point you also may lose the opportunity to:
Get assistance to prepare the LIFE proposal;
Get assistance for revision phase if your proposal is selected;
Get support in liaising with public authorities when this is needed for the proper implementation of the activities (e.g.: permit request);
Get assistance to ongoing project to promote dissemination as well as the replication and transfer of project results across the Union.
Yes, I am aware
Cancel

Support to applicants

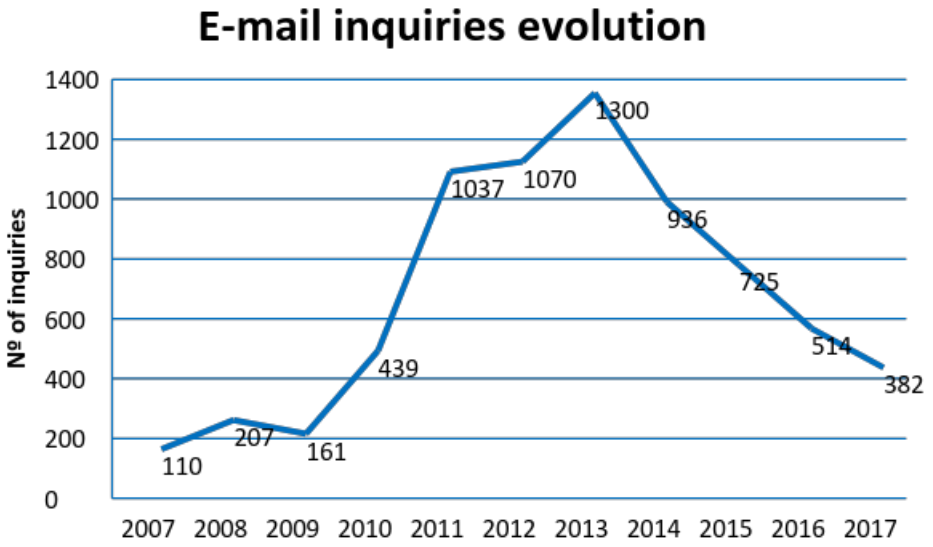
- **Email**

  bzn-life@mapama.es

- **Telephone calls**

  6 Telephone Lines

- **Review of project concepts**
- **Meetings and interviews**



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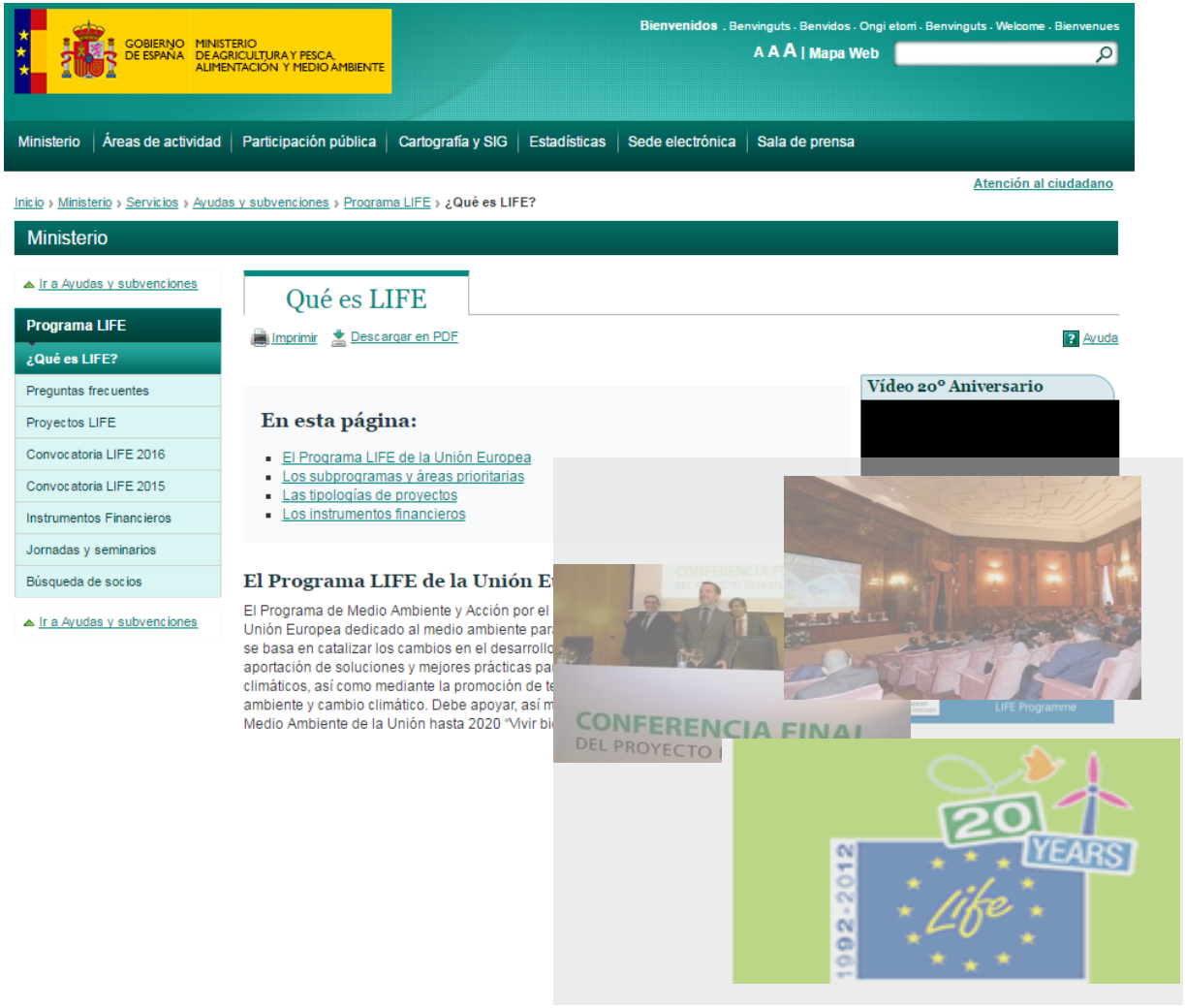
Dissemination of the Programme

- Website
- Conferences
- Seminars
- Workshops



Web site contents

Main contents:

- General information about LIFE
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Lists of LIFE projects approved, including Best LIFE projects, integrated projects, preparatory projects, links to EC publications, LIFE database
- Information and documentation of the open call: announcement and dissemination of events related to the new call
- Results of the annual calls
- Dissemination of regional workshops and symposiums
- Search for partners
- Information about LIFE Financial Instruments



http://www.mapama.gob.es/es/ayudas-y-subvenciones/otros/programa-life

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Promoting LIFE and raising interests among potential beneficiaries to apply for LIFE

- **1 National Info Day** in coordination with EASME (dissemination at the Ministry web page). One day workshop. General information about the Programme. Novelties of the call. Exchange of experiences. Networking. **(4th of May 2017)**
- **Around 12 regional workshops** per call (dissemination by regional entities and by the Ministry). One morning workshop with the participation of the NCP. General information about the Programme. Novelties of the call. Presentations of LIFE regional experiences.

Standard Agenda	Welcome
	LIFE Programme Introduction: kind of projects y priority areas
	Call 2017: novelties
	How to prepare a good proposal
	Q&A
	Integrated Projects
	Financial Instruments: PF4EE y NCFF
	Q&A
	Examples: LIFE projects approved
	Monitoring indicators. Indicators Database
	Q&A
	Information about the National Contact Point
	Conclusions

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Hungary NCP visit



LIFE RIPISILVA - LIFE13 BIO/ES/1407



LIFE La Mancha wetlands - LIFE+10 NAT/ES/563
Slovenia and Bulgaria NCP visit



LIFE Bioseville - LIFE13 ENV/ES/1113

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Make contact with your NCP!

Thanks for your attention

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