

Projects in the Republic of Moldova supported by the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 2008 (updated January 2009)

Project partner	Project description	Grant in NOK	Contact details
The Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police	<p>NORLAM/Crisis Response Pool Moldova</p> <p>The crisis response pool (Styrkebrønnen) consists of a team of senior Norwegian legal experts deployed in Chisinau to assist the relevant Moldovan public authorities with reform of the legal system. Their tasks include competence-building in the public administration and the promotion of human rights and the rule of law.</p>	9 335 400	<p>Norwegian Ministry of Justice and the Police PO Box 8005 Dep, NO-0030 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 24 90 90 Email: postmottak@jd.dep.no Web: www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/jd</p>
The Norwegian Mapping Authority (Statens kartverk)	<p>Production of orthophoto maps for Moldova – phase 2</p> <p>The main objective of the project is to support Moldova with the acquisition of basic geographic information needed by a wide range of users in the public and private sector, by building capacity for efficient use of photomaps. The project was started in 2006 and has so far resulted in photomaps in digital form being prepared for the entire territory of Moldova, and in larger scale for 44 towns and urban settlements.</p>	4 200 000	<p>Norwegian Mapping and Cadastre Authority NO-3507 Hønefoss, Norway Tel.: +47 32 11 81 00 Fax: +47 32 11 81 01 Email: firmapost@statkart.no Web: www.statkart.no</p> <p>Contact person: Helge Onsrud</p>
Statistics Norway (SSB)	<p>Institutional cooperation and capacity building between Statistics Norway and the National Bureau of Statistics (NBS) of the Republic of Moldova</p> <p>The purpose of this project is to strengthen the capacity of NBS, so that NBS can provide high quality statistics to the Moldovan Government.</p>	2 721 449	<p>Statistics Norway PB 8131 dep, 0032 Oslo Tel: +47 210900 Fax: +47 21094460 Email: ssb@ssb.no Contact persons: Jan Byfuglien (jby@ssb.no)/Hans Kristian Østereng (hko@ssb.no) Direct tel.: +47 62885302</p>
SINTEF Technology and Society, International Operations	<p>ENTRANSE 2 Your Business – 2008</p> <p>The aim of the project is to assist in establishing a business incubator in Soroca, and to implement general measures to strengthen skills and competence related to business development. The project will be run in collaboration with the Moldovan Government. This is the third phase of a programme started in 2006.</p>	4 500 000	<p>SINTEF Technology and Society, International Operations NO-7465 Trondheim, Norway Tel.: +47 73 59 05 00 Fax: +47 73 59 12 99 Email: info@sintef.no Web: www.sintef.no</p>

<p>Norwegian People's Aid (NPA)</p>	<p>Women can do it! – Moldova</p> <p>The aim of the project is to support training and other measures to strengthen the expertise of women in political parties and NGOs, so as to increase women's participation in political processes in Gagauzia province.</p>	<p>750 000</p>	<p>NPA, PO Box 8844, NO-0028 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 03 77 00 Fax: +47 22 20 08 70 Email: npaid@npaid.org Web: www.npaid.org Contact person: Asgerd Vetlejord</p>
<p>The Norwegian Red Cross</p>	<p>Moldova Red Cross – IFRC</p> <p>Support for the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies in Moldova in 2008. The aim is to support the development of the Moldovan Red Cross Society in its efforts to reduce vulnerability to disasters, assist vulnerable and marginalised people, and counteract discrimination.</p>	<p>1 172 591</p>	<p>Norwegian Red Cross PO Box 1 Grønland, NO-0133 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 05 40 00 Fax: +47 22 05 40 40 Email: nrx.center@redcross.no Web: www.redcross.no</p> <p>Contact person: Bodil Lawrence Ravn</p>
<p>International Organization for Migration (IOM) – Mission in Moldova</p>	<p>Protecting trafficking victims in Moldova</p> <p>The aim is to develop sustainable support mechanisms and structures for the identification, return, rehabilitation and reintegration of victims of trafficking in government and NGO agencies in Moldova. Particular focus is directed to enabling the Ministry of Health and Social Protection to take on its responsibilities to protect victims of trafficking under the new anti-trafficking legislation and National Plan of Action.</p>		<p>IOM Moldova 82, 31 August 1989 str., “Infocenter”, off. 5-15, Chisinau, MD 2012, Republic of Moldova Tel.: +373 22 23 29 40/41 Fax: +373 22 23 28 62 Email: iomchisinau@iom.int Web: www.iom.md</p>
<p>OSCE Action Against Terrorism Unit</p>	<p>Implementation of mobile Interpol network database (MIND) in the Republic of Moldova</p> <p>Lost and stolen travel documents have high value on the black market and are commonly used by international crime networks when crossing international borders. In order to combat the use of false documents and detect international crime, Interpol has created a database of lost and stolen documents, which border patrols can easily connect up to. The project will fund the installation of necessary equipment, and training of border patrols on how to use the equipment.</p>	<p>2 276 985</p>	<p>Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Action Against Terrorism Unit, Kärtner Ring 5–7, 1010 Vienna</p>
<p>The Norwegian Centre for Human Rights (NCHR), NORDEM</p>	<p>Secondment to the OSCE Mission to Moldova</p> <p>The grant is for the secondment of a Human Dimension Officer to the OSCE in Chisinau from February 2008 to August 2008.</p>	<p>338 800</p>	<p>NCHR, NORDEM PO Box 6706 St. Olavs plass, NO-0106 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 84 20 01 Fax: +47 22 84 20 02 Email: info@nchr.uio.no Web: www.humanrights.uio.no</p>

<p>The Norwegian Red Cross</p>	<p>Emergency appeal for Ukraine and Moldova</p> <p>Heavy rain in July led to flooding in Moldova and Ukraine. The funds will be used to distribute food and hygiene articles and to support reconstruction of homes.</p>	<p>515 000</p>	<p>Norwegian Red Cross PO Box 1 Grønland, NO-0133 Oslo, Norway Tel.: +47 22 05 40 00 Fax: +47 22 05 40 40 Email: nrx.center@redcross.no Web: www.redcross.no Contact person: Bodil Lawrence Ravn</p>
<p>International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN)</p>	<p>Establishment of national ecological networks in Moldova to link up to the Pan-European Ecological Network</p> <p>The project will establish national ecological networks in Moldova, which will link Moldova to the Pan-European Ecological Network. The project also supports the ongoing pan-European process aiming to ensure biodiversity in Europe.</p>	<p>640 000</p>	<p>International Union for the Conservation of Nature Regional Office for Europe Boulevard Louis Schmidt 64, 1040 Brussels, Belgium Web: www.iucn-ce.org Contact person: Tomasz Pezold, Email: tomasz.pezold@iucn.org</p>
<p>International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN)</p>	<p>Agri-environment measures for conservation in the wider Europe</p> <p>The project will provide training in sustainable agriculture for Moldovan and Ukrainian farmers, focusing on how farmers can generate alternative incomes in rural areas.</p>	<p>805 000</p>	<p>International Union for the Conservation of Nature Regional Office for Europe Boulevard Louis Schmidt 64, 1040 Brussels, Belgium Web: www.iucn-ce.org Contact person: Tomasz Pezold, Email: tomasz.pezold@iucn.org</p>
<p>The Royal Norwegian Embassy in Bucharest</p>	<p>Development projects in Moldova, 2007</p> <p>The Embassy's Small Project Fund provides financial support for local initiatives in Moldova.</p>	<p>800 134</p>	<p>Royal Norwegian Embassy in Bucharest Tel.: +40 21 210 02 74/6/7 Fax: +40 21 210 02 75 Email: emb.bucharest@mfa.no Web: www.norvegia.ro</p>