Reference Name of candidate	Project title		Increasing the efficiency of the judicial expertise system in Romania (RO 2007/IB/JH-11 TL)					
	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by candidate (%)	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start / end)	Name of partners if any
Federal Ministry of Justice of Austria in co- operation with ¹) the Association Center of Legal Competence (CLC)	Romania	182.000	100 %	8	Ministry of Justice and the Citizens' Freedoms of Romania	Transition Facility Twinning Light	15 December 2009 until 26 July 2010	None

Detailed description of project

The specific objective was to get the practitioners acquainted with the new legal framework in the field of judicial expertise.

The following **results** were to be achieved:

- An efficient, unitary and coherent enforcement of the new legislative framework for the Romanian judicial expertise system ensured by accomplishing workshops for (i) the presentation and discussion of best practices in the field of judicial expertise, and (ii) the elaboration of recommendations for improvements to be undertaken, involving all practitioners in the field of judicial expertise (judicial experts, representatives of local and central bureau of judicial expertise, judges, prosecutors).
- · Based on the workshops' conclusions, the elaborated recommendations and the best practices in the field of judicial expertise, a set of guidelines aiming at providing solutions towards a unitary enforcement of the new provisions regarding judicial expertise elaborated by the MS experts and approved by beneficiary.

Twinning Light project to render the efficiency to the act of justice by increasing the quality of the process of the judicial expertise.

Provision of the following experts:

- 1 Project Leader
- 3 Judges
- 1 Judicial Expert
- 1 Project Manager (Backstopping team)
- 1 Project Assistant (Backstopping team)
- 1 Contract and Human Resources Manager (Backstopping team)

Number of staff months provided: 8

¹⁾ The Federal Ministry of Justice of Austria has - based upon a cooperation agreement - outsourced the administration of its Twinning activities to the Association CLC, a Mandated Body closely related to the Federal Ministry of Justice. Therefore the Association CLC as the Austrian Partner Institution has the full competence to implement the project and to manage the project funds on behalf of the Federal Ministry of Justice of Austria and to assist the latter in the monitoring of this project.