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Summary

The European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe aims to promote the implementation of the European Landscape Convention and helps to provide mutual technical and scientific assistance through the collection and exchange of landscape experience and research, as provided for in Article 8 of the Convention. At its 1187th meeting, 11-12 December 2013 (CM/Del/Dec(2013)1187), the Committee of Ministers adopted Recommendation CM/Rec(2013)4 on the European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe and its glossary (See Appendix 1 to this document).

At its 1st Meeting (Andorra la Vella, Andorra, 3 October 2015 - CEP-CDCPP-WG (2015) 37E), the Working Group "Landscape and democracy" asked the Secretariat: to establish the list of national representatives in charge of implementing the European Landscape Convention, who are also correspondents of the European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe, responsible for completing the online questionnaire; and to invite these correspondents to complete the questionnaire by 15 March 2016.

The Working Group is invited to take note of the following information:

In preparation for the 18th Council of Europe Meeting of the Workshops on "National policies for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention: challenges and opportunities" (Yerevan, Armenia, 5-7 October 2016), the National Representatives for the European Landscape Convention (See Appendix 2 to this document) were requested by letter of the Secretariat of 19 January 2016), kindly complete the form of the Information System, if possible before 15 March 2016.¹ A password to access the online questionnaire (see Appendix 3 to this document) was sent to them.

Later, the national representatives for the European Landscape Convention will have the opportunity to provide passwords for their regions.

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Appendix 1. Recommendation CM/Rec(2013)4 of the Committee of Ministers to member States on the European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe and its glossary

Appendix 2. List of national representatives in charge of implementing the European Landscape Convention, who are also correspondents of the Information System of the Council of Europe

Appendix 3. Form of the Council of Europe Information System on the implementation of the European Landscape Convention - Presentation of landscape policies of the Council of Europe Member States and their Regions

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¹ The "User Manual" available to national and regional representatives of the Information System, provides in paragraph 5 that they can, if they want, to create passwords for "Delegates", responsible for completing the questionnaire.

Appendix 1



**Recommendation CM/Rec(2013)4
of the Committee of Ministers to member States
on the European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe
and its glossary**

*(Adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 11 December 2013
at the 1187th meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)*

The Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe, under the terms of Article 15.b of the Statute of the Council of Europe,

Considering that the aim of the Council of Europe is to achieve a greater unity between its members for the purpose of safeguarding and realising the ideals and principles which are their common heritage;

Having regard to the European Landscape Convention (ETS No. 176 – hereinafter “the convention”), adopted by the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe on 19 July 2000 and opened for signature by Council of Europe member States in Florence on 20 October 2000;

Considering that the convention makes an important contribution to the Council of Europe’s objectives of promoting democracy, human rights and the rule of law and seeking common solutions to the major problems facing European society today;

Underlining that, in taking account of landscape value, the Council of Europe considers the importance of the populations’ quality of life;

Recalling the provisions of Article 10.1 of the convention on monitoring its implementation; recalling also the provisions of its Article 8, concerning mutual assistance and exchange of information, under which the Parties undertake to co-operate in order to enhance the effectiveness of measures taken and, in particular, exchange information on all matters covered by the provisions of the convention;

Considering that Recommendation CM/Rec(2008)3 of the Committee of Ministers to member States on the guidelines for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention proposes that each Party contribute to the setting-up of a database to appear on the website of the Council of Europe’s European Landscape Convention, and emphasising that the recommendation mentions that the database would be a “toolbox” which would help provide mutual technical and scientific assistance through the collection and exchange of landscape experience and research, as provided for in Article 8 of the above-mentioned convention concerning mutual assistance and exchange of information,

Recommends that States Parties to the convention:

- use the European Landscape Convention Information System of the Council of Europe with its glossary,² in the framework of their co-operation as mentioned in the convention;
- co-operate to develop this Information System to fulfil the goals mentioned above;
- continue to exchange information on all matters covered by the provisions of the convention in order to promote knowledge of landscapes and landscape policies, in view of enhancing the quality of people's lives, taking care of their surroundings.

² Public part to be completed by the Parties to the convention: https://elcl6.coe.int/WebForms/Public_List.aspx.

Appendix 2

List of national representatives in charge of implementing the European Landscape Convention, who are also correspondents of the Information System of the Council of Europe

State	Region	Profile	Name	Surname
Bosnia and Herzegovina		National	ABDIJEVIC	Lamija
Portugal		National	AFONSO	Marta
Armenia		National	ALAVERDYAN	Ruzan
Italy		National	ALESSANDRO	Maria Maddalena
Azerbaijan		National	ARZU	Samadova
Lithuania		National	BEZARAS	Vidmantas
United Kingdom		National	BLAKE	Chris
Netherlands		National	BRAAKSMA	Patricia
"The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia"		National	CAVDAROVA	Valentina
Turkey		National	ÇETİN SÖNMEZ	Gülhan
Spain	Catalonia	National	CRUZ	Linarejos
Ireland		National	CUMMING	Willie
Belgium	Flanders	Regional	DE MEYER	Sarah
Belgium	Wallonia	Regional	DECONINCK	Mireille
Council of Europe		Administrator	DEJEANT-PONS	Maguelonne
Croatia		National	DUMBOVIC-BILUSIC	Biserka
Cyprus		National	ENOTIADES	Phaedon
Serbia		National	FILIPOVIC	Biljana
Romania		National	GINAVAR	Anca Ileana
Denmark		National	GINSBAK	Anette
Greece		National	GOURGIOTIS	Anestis
Latvia		National	GRANTA	Dace
Sweden		National	GREN	Leif
Bulgaria		National	HARDALOVA	Rayna
Finland		National	HEIKKILÄ	Tapio
Slovenia		National	HLADNIK	Jelena
Hungary		National	KINCSES	Krisztina
Ukraine		National	LEGKA	Olena
Belgium	Brussels-Capital Region	Regional	LEROY	Isabelle
Montenegro		National	LJESKOVIC MITROVIC	Sanja
Poland		National	MAŁGORZATA	Opechowska
San Marino		National	MAZZA	Lucia
Georgia		National	MIRZIKASHVILI	Rusudan
Andorra		National	MOLES	Anna
Norway		National	MORTENSEN	Liv Kirstine
Moldova		National	MUNTEANTU	Sergei
Switzerland		National	OSSOLA	Carlo
Czech Republic		National	TOBIKOVA	Julia
France		National	TRANSY	Julien

Appendix 3



Council of Europe Information System on the implementation of the European Landscape Convention

Presentation of landscape policies of the Council of Europe Member States and their Regions

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0. Basic Information

0. 1. Basic Information

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1. Name of the State/of the Region concerned

State

Region (for the Regions concerned)

2. Official responsible for the European Landscape Convention

Name

Institution

Address

Postcode

City

E-mail

Website

3. Official responsible for answering this questionnaire

Name

Address

Postcode

Cit

y

E-mail

Website

4. Does the State participate in the Council of Europe Conference for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

5. Has the European Landscape Convention been signed or ratified by the State?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6. If the questionnaire is being completed by a regional authority has that authority adopted the European Landscape Convention through a specific legal act?

☐ Yes ☐ No

7. Landscape responsibilities of the administrative entities

First administrative level (name of entity at State level)

Landscape responsibilities?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Competences of the entity:

Second administrative level (name of the entity)

Landscape responsibilities?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Competences of the entity:

Third administrative level (name of the entity)

Landscape responsibilities?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Competences of the entity:

Reference to an official administrative map of the country/region:

Commentary

(if useful, explain here other factors relevant to the organisation of the State/Region not included above)

[1. General provisions](#)

[1. 1. Definitions](#)

[1. 1. 1. Landscape](#)

1. 1. 1. 1. Landscape

8. Is the term 'landscape' defined in your language?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9. Is the legal definition of 'landscape' in the State/Region different from that of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 1. 2. Landscape policy

1. 1. 2. 1. Landscape policy

10. Is the legal definition of ‘landscape policy’ in the State/Region different from the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 1. 3. Landscape quality objective

1. 1. 3. 1. Landscape quality objective

11. Is the legal definition of ‘landscape quality objective’ in the State/Region different from that of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 1. 4. Landscape protection

1. 1. 4. 1. Landscape protection

12. Is the legal definition of ‘landscape protection’ in the State/Region different from that of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 1. 5. Landscape management

1. 1. 5. 1. Landscape management

13. Is the legal definition of ‘landscape management’ in the State/Region different from that of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 1. 6. Landscape planning

1. 1. 6. 1. Landscape planning

14. Is the legal definition of ‘landscape planning’ in the State/Region different from that of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

1. 2. Scope

1. 2. 1. Scope

1. 2. 1. 1. Scope

15. Is the scope of the European Landscape Convention reproduced in a formal document of the State/Region?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to summarise the scope of 'landscape' set out in this document and whether specific references are made to particular areas (e.g. natural, rural, urban, peri-urban etc., and to land, water - inland water and marine areas - and aerial).

1. 3. Aims

1. 3. 1. Aims

1. 3. 1. 1. Aims

16. Has a landscape policy been defined?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. National measures

2. 4. Division of responsibilities

2. 4. 1. Government

2. 4. 1. 1. Government

17. In the government structure does responsibility for the European Landscape Convention belong to a single Ministry?

☐ Yes ☐ No

18. Is there a specific department in this Ministry that is dedicated to landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

19. Is there regular consultation and exchange between the ministry/authority responsible for landscape policy and other ministries/authorities responsible for territorial and related policies?

☐ Yes ☐ No

20. If there is no single ministry/authority responsible for landscape policy, which ministries/authorities jointly exercise responsibility for different elements of landscape policy? (several choices possible)

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- ☐ Agriculture
- ☐ Climate change
- ☐ Communities
- ☐ Cultural heritage
- ☐ Culture (general)
- ☐ Ecology – biodiversity
- ☐ Economy
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Energy
- ☐ Environment (general)
- ☐ Foreign affairs
- ☐ Forestry
- ☐ Infrastructure
- ☐ Interior
- ☐ Leisure and recreation
- ☐ Mineral extraction
- ☐ Natural Heritage
- ☐ Nature conservation and protection
- ☐ Public works
- ☐ Research
- ☐ Rural Development
- ☐ Spatial planning
- ☐ Sustainable development
- ☐ Tourism
- ☐ Transport
- ☐ Water management
- ☐ Advertising

☐ Other (specify)

21. Is there regular formal consultation and exchange of views between the different ministries/authorities that may share responsibilities for landscape policy?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to add any additional relevant information about how responsibilities for landscape policy are exercised within the national government.

2. 4. 2. Other actors (organisations and institutions)

2. 4. 2. 1. Other actors (organisations and institutions)

22. Are there public (or equivalent) landscape organisations and institutions active and/or responsible in the field of landscape (landscape observatories, landscape councils, landscape centres and institutes, etc.)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

23. Are there private landscape organisations and institutions active and/or responsible in the field of landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

24. Is there legislation that regulates the landscape activities of professional and/or voluntary organisations?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to add any relevant additional information about other organisations working in the landscape context.

2. 4. 3. Networks

2. 4. 3. 1. Networks

25. Are there networks for collaborating about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to add any relevant additional information about landscape networks.

2. 4. 4. Relationship between different actors

2. 4. 4. 1. Relationship between different actors

26. Does the Ministry responsible for landscape policy interact with other actors concerned with landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

27. Does the Ministry responsible for landscape policy organise official conferences on the landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

28. Does the Ministry responsible for landscape policy organise meetings on the landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

29. Does the Ministry responsible for landscape policy prepare questionnaires on the landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

30. Does the Ministry responsible for landscape policy organise other activities on the landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

31. Do other ministries/authorities interact with actors concerned with landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

32. Do other actors concerned with landscape interact independently of government?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. 5. General measures

2. 5. 1. Legal recognition of concepts

2. 5. 1. 1. Recognition of landscapes in law

33. Is landscape the subject of one or more articles of the constitution (or equivalent text)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

34. Is landscape the subject of a specific law?

☐ Yes ☐ No

35. Is landscape addressed by any other laws?

☐ Yes ☐ No

36. Is there a legal code that consolidates all the applicable texts relating to landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

37. Are there jurisprudent decisions regarding the implementation of the European Landscape Convention?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. 5. 2. Landscape policies

2. 5. 2. 1. Landscape policies

38. Have landscape policies been established aimed at landscape protection, management and planning, based on the European Landscape Convention definition?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. 5. 3. Procedures for participation

2. 5. 3. 1. Procedures for participation

39. Are there specific procedures for the regional authorities to participate in public decisions about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

40. Are there specific procedures for the local authorities to participate in public decisions about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

41. Are there specific procedures for the general public to participate in public decisions about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

42. Are there specific procedures for other parties to participate in public decisions about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. 5. 4. Integration into policies

2. 5. 4. 1. Integration into policies

43. Are landscape issues included in other policy areas at a national, regional, or local level?

☐ Yes ☐ No

44. Are landscape issues included in policies on agriculture?

☐ Yes ☐ No

45. Are landscape issues included in policies on climate change?

☐ Yes ☐ No

46. Are landscape issues included in policies on communities?

☐ Yes ☐ No

47. Are landscape issues included in policies on cultural heritage?

☐ Yes ☐ No

48. Are landscape issues included in policies on culture?

☐ Yes ☐ No

49. Are landscape issues included in policies on ecology and biodiversity?

☐ Yes ☐ No

50. Are landscape issues included in policies on economy?

☐ Yes ☐ No

51. Are landscape issues included in policies on education?

☐ Yes ☐ No

52. Are landscape issues included in policies on energy?

☐ Yes ☐ No

53. Are landscape issues included in policies on environment?

☐ Yes ☐ No

54. Are landscape issues included in policies of foreign affairs?

☐ Yes ☐ No

55. Are landscape issues included in policies on forestry?

☐ Yes ☐ No

56. Are landscape issues included in policies on infrastructure?

☐ Yes ☐ No

57. Are landscape issues included in policies on leisure and recreation?

☐ Yes ☐ No

58. Are landscape issues included in policies on geology and mineral extraction?

☐ Yes ☐ No

59. Are landscape issues included in policies on advertising?

☐ Yes ☐ No

60. Are landscape issues included in policies on nature conservation and protection?

☐ Yes ☐ No

61. Are landscape issues included in policies on public works?

☐ Yes ☐ No

62. Are landscape issues included in policies on rural development?

☐ Yes ☐ No

63. Are landscape issues included in policies on spatial/regional planning?

☐ Yes ☐ No

64. Are landscape issues included in policies on sustainable development?

☐ Yes ☐ No

65. Are landscape issues included in policies on tourism?

☐ Yes ☐ No

66. Are landscape issues included in policies on water management?

☐ Yes ☐ No

67. Are landscape issues included in other policies?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to add any additional information about ways in which landscape issues are included in other relevant policy areas at National, Regional and Local levels.

2. 6. Specific measures

2. 6. 1. Awareness raising

2. 6. 1. 1. Awareness raising

68. Have steps been taken to raise awareness of the value of landscapes, their role, and changes to them?

☐ Yes ☐ No

69. Have key documents of the European Landscape Convention (e.g. guidelines, reports etc) been translated into your language(s)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

70. Are there any major regular landscape events?

☐ Yes ☐ No

71. Are there specific publications devoted to landscape (e.g. books, journals, newsletters, articles etc.)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

72. Have one or more landscape awards been instituted at international/national/regional/local level, apart from the European Landscape Convention award?

☐ Yes ☐ No

73. Are there any forums for discussion about landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

74. Are there any social networks that specifically discuss landscape issues?

☐ Yes ☐ No

75. Is official landscape information publicly accessible on internet sites?

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. 6. 2. Training and Education

2. 6. 2. 1. Landscape appraisal and operations

76. Have measures been taken to promote specialist training in landscape in public or private bodies?

☐ Yes ☐ No

77. Has financial or other support for training been set up?

☐ Yes ☐ No

78. Are there special Bachelor/Master degree programmes on landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

79. Are landscape diplomas recognised?

☐ Yes ☐ No

80. Are PhD scholarships for projects focusing on landscape available?

☐ Yes ☐ No

81. Other

☐ Yes ☐ No

Add any additional information about measures to promote specialist training.

2. 6. 2. 2. Multidisciplinary training programmes in landscape

82. Are there specialist multidisciplinary training programmes in landscape policy, protection, management and planning, for other professionals from the private or public sectors?

☐ Yes ☐ No

83. Describe/list examples of the key multidisciplinary training programmes available to each sector

Programme

Description

Website

Target group *

- ☐ Public sector
- ☐ Private sector
- ☐ Scientific
- ☐ Associations
- ☐ Other

84. Training for other professions

2. 6. 2. 3. School and University Education

85. Have measures been taken by the ministry/authority responsible for education to promote school and university courses which address the values of landscapes and the issues raised by their protection, management and planning?

☐ Yes ☐ No

86. Measures for the kindergarten

☐ Yes ☐ No

87. Measures for the primary school

☐ Yes ☐ No

88. Measures for the secondary school

☐ Yes ☐ No

89. Measures for the undergraduate university (Bachelor)

☐ Yes ☐ No

90. Measures for the postgraduate university (Master/PhD)

☐ Yes ☐ No

91. Measures for lifelong learning

☐ Yes ☐ No

92. Other measures

☐ Yes ☐ No

93. Describe/list examples of the key courses available to each group

94. Key courses for the kindergarten

☐ Yes ☐ No

95. Key courses for the primary school

☐ Yes ☐ No

96. Key courses for the secondary school

☐ Yes ☐ No

97. Key courses for the undergraduate university (Bachelor)

☐ Yes ☐ No

98. Key courses for the postgraduate university (Master/PhD)

☐ Yes ☐ No

99. Key courses for the lifelong learning

☐ Yes ☐ No

100. Other key courses

☐ Yes ☐ No

101. Are there other training bodies which provide qualifications in landscape-related fields?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide further details about examples of good practice in school and university education.

2. 6. 3. Improving knowledge

2. 6. 3. 1. Landscape identification

102. Is identification of landscape required by law/regulation?

☐ Yes ☐ No

103. Is there an official process for the identification of landscapes in your territory?

☐ Yes ☐ No

104. Is there any other non-official process for the identification of landscapes in your territory?

☐ Yes ☐ No

105. What are the contents of each system used to identify landscape (whether required by law/regulation or not)?

System

Responsible institution

Organiser

Scale *

- ☐ National
- ☐ Regional
- ☐ Local

Geographical Scope *

- ☐ All territory
- ☐ Specific areas

Categories (Article 2) *

- ☐ Natural
- ☐ Rural
- ☐ Urban
- ☐ Peri-urban

Categories (other) *

- ☐ Outstanding
- ☐ Everyday
- ☐ Degraded
- ☐ Other

Documentation *

- ☐ Maps
- ☐ GIS
- ☐ Photographs
- ☐ 3D
- ☐ Other

Reference/URL

106. Is there a specific methodology and mechanism used to identify landscapes?

☐ Yes ☐ No

107. Are the results of this work made widely available for public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to give further details about landscape registers or inventories as appropriate.

2. 6. 3. 2. Landscape analysis

108. Are landscape characteristics and the forces and pressures transforming landscapes systematically analysed?

☐ Yes ☐ No

109. Are the results of this work widely available for the public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to give further details.

2. 6. 3. 3. Taking note of changes to landscape

110. Has a programme been established to monitor changes to landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

111. Have a methodology and a mechanism been established to identify the forces and pressures acting on landscapes?

☐ Yes ☐ No

112. Are the results of this methodology and mechanism widely available for the public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to give further details about assessment and monitoring methodologies.

2. 6. 3. 4. Landscape assessment

113. Are the values assigned to identify landscapes by interested parties and the population

concerned incorporated in specific landscape programmes and assessment methodologies?

☐ Yes ☐ No

114. Are the results of this methodology widely available for the public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to give further details about the use of values.

[2. 6. 4. Landscape quality objectives](#)

2. 6. 4. 1. Landscape quality objectives

115. Are specific methodologies and mechanisms (programmes/tools/measures) used to define landscape quality objectives?

☐ Yes ☐ No

116. Are the results of this methodology and mechanism widely available for the public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to give examples of how landscape quality objectives have been formulated.

[2. 6. 5. Implementation](#)

2. 6. 5. 1. Implementation

117. Have instruments been introduced aimed at protecting, managing and/or planning the landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to add any relevant additional information about the monitoring and regulation of change to landscapes.

[3. European co-operation](#)

[3. 7. International policies and programmes](#)

[3. 7. 1. International policies and programmes](#)

3. 7. 1. 1. International policies and programmes

118. Is there co-operation at the national/regional/local level with other countries for the

consideration of the landscape dimension in international policies?

☐ Yes ☐ No

119. Is there co-operation at the national/regional/local level with other countries for the consideration of the landscape dimension in international co-operation programmes?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide any further information about the incorporation of landscape considerations in international policies and programmes.

3. 8. Mutual assistance and exchange of information

3. 8. 1. Technical and scientific assistance

3. 8. 1. 1. Technical and scientific assistance

120. Are there any examples of technical and scientific assistance in landscape matters?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide any further information about European technical and scientific assistance and give examples of good practice.

3. 8. 2. Exchange of landscape specialists

3. 8. 2. 1. Exchange of landscape specialists

121. Are there examples of the exchange of landscape specialists in particular for training and information purposes?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide any further information about the exchange of landscape specialists and give examples of good practice.

3. 8. 3. Exchange of information

3. 8. 3. 1. Exchange of information

122. Are national, regional and local documents translated into other language(s)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

123. Are there specific international actions in place to support the exchange of information (conferences, seminars, workshop, networks, exchange of publications, exhibitions, joint

projects, EU projects, etc.)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

124. Is your State a member of governmental international organisations working on landscape?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide any further information about exchange of information and give examples of good practice.

3. 9. Transfrontier landscapes

[3. 9. 1. Transfrontier landscapes](#)

3. 9. 1. 1. Transfrontier landscapes

125. Are there mechanisms to encourage transfrontier co-operation at national, regional and local levels?

☐ Yes ☐ No

126. Are there joint transfrontier landscape initiatives?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Use the free text commentary to provide any further information about local and regional transfrontier co-operation.

3. 10. Landscape award of the Council of Europe

[3. 10. 1. Landscape award of the Council of Europe](#)

3. 10. 1. 1. Landscape award of the Council of Europe

127. Did your State/Region ever participate in the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe?

☐ Yes ☐ No

128. How is the candidate for the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe selected?

Method of selection and rules

URL of the rules

Website

Has the impact of selection been assessed?

129. Has the impact of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe been assessed?

☐ Yes ☐ No

131. Optional: Mention the name of the author and of the photo credit (©)

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