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## Enhancing the effectiveness of the Albanian system of human rights protection and antidiscrimination

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## **Project summary**

Project title	Enhancing the effectiveness of the Albanian system of human rights protection and anti-discrimination
Country	Albania
Budget	1 650 000 €
Funding	EU/ CoE Joint Programme
Duration	24 months (01 December 2015 – 30 November 2017)
Partners and beneficiaries	Commissioner for Protection from Discrimination (CPD), People' Advocate and the Ministry of Social Welfare and Youth (MoSWY). Throughout the implementation period the project will closely cooperate with other state institutions, district courts, local government units, international and local non-governmental and intergovernmental organisations, media operators and relevant stakeholders from the private sector.
Main objectives	to strengthen the effectiveness of anti-discrimination and human rights protection in Albania.
Expected outputs and results	<ul> <li>improved coordination of the Human Rights and Anti-discrimination bodies and policies;</li> <li>strengthened administrative/professional capacities and efficiency of the CPD and the People' Advocate to effectively implement and monitor anti-discrimination law and policies;</li> <li>increased level of awareness of the general public and specific target groups on the key aspects of anti-discrimination policy.</li> <li>For the training activities the project will largely rely on the European Programme for Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals (HELP).</li> </ul>