

Efficient use of natural stone in the Leningrad region and South-East Finland

SOUTH-EAST FINLAND - RUSSIA ENPI CBC PROGRAMME

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Activities 4 and 6

Activity 4

- **Evaluation of natural stone resources in the project area**
- Analysis of the existing data and its contents
- Planning and building of the database structure and its functionality
- Content of database:
 - Occurrence, old quarries, active quarries, stone types on market
- Collection of data from both Finland and Russia, checking of the validity of data
- Filling of the database, arranging of the long term maintenance
- Database on the natural stone resources; two separate databases, one for Finland and one for Russia

Activity 5

- **Development of the assessment process of natural stone occurrences**
- Definition of the test areas in Finland and in Russia
- Analysis of the existing data on the occurrences
- Field work on selected test areas:
 - geological mapping
 - geophysical methods (e.g. ground penetrating radar, etc.)
- Sampling (mini drilling and diamond core drilling)
- Evaluation of the results and reporting
- Document of best practices in natural stone evaluation and research in Finland and Russia

Activity 6

- **Recommendations for harmonization of legislative regulations in natural stone trade**
- - to lower the trade barriers between EU and Russia concerning natural stone and to facilitate easier trade.
- - focused on the most critical technical and material issues, like certificates of radioactivity, affecting the trade

- Trade to Russia: Customs documents (extended list), Certificates, European Community Certificate of Origin, GOST-R certificate (quality and conformity with norms and standards of Russian Federation) or Certificate TR CU (Technical Regulation Conformity Certificate TRCU) for some products, Documents of logistics

Activity 6

Short list of documents

Alkuperätodistus	EU certificate of origin
Kauppasopimus	Sales contract
Kauppalasku	Invoice
Proforma -lasku	Pro-forma – invoice
Tullausilmoitus ja tullausarvoilmoitus	Customs declaration and declaration of dutiable value
Rahtikirja	Consignment note (transport)
Pakkauslista	Packaging list
Tuoterekisteröintitodistus	Government registration (?)
Ennakkoilmoitus	Pre-announcement
Vastaavuussertifikaatti	Conformity certificate
Vastaavuusvakuutus	Declaration of conformity
Laatusertifikaatti	Quality certificate
Säteilysertifikaatti	Radiation free certificate

Dissemination

Project webpages: <http://newprojects.gtk.fi/ENPI/index.html>

Publications and participations to seminars

Press release



Main outputs

- **Main outputs**
- <http://projects.gtk.fi/ENPI/results/>
- Printed publication on the historical use of natural stone in the project area
- City guides – use the natural stone in city environments
- Evaluation of the durability of stones in the project area and guidelines for selection of materials for restoration and reconstruction
- Articles in magazines and newspapers, booklets
- Database on the natural stone resources of the project area to be utilized by the companies and authorities
- Document of best practices on natural stone evaluation and research published as a report
- Suggestions for harmonizing the regulations to facilitate easier trade of natural stone

