Question for written answer E-000989/2022 to the Commission Rule 138 Mircea-Gheorghe Hava (PPE)

Subject: Technical Support Instrument and Structural Reform Support Programme in Romania

According to the Commission¹, Romania has so far benefited from 73 projects financed by the Technical Support Instrument (TSI), or its predecessor, the Structural Reform Support Programme (SRSP). This support has addressed a broad range of policy areas, including fiscal reform, preparation of infrastructure investments, green transition and sustainable development goals, regional development, public administration and digitalisation. A particular focus has been placed on economic development, environment, health, education and social services. To date, 36 projects have been successfully concluded. Under TSI 2022, the Commission will support Romania with eight projects in the areas of digital transformation of health and care systems, digital finance, gender mainstreaming and economic forecasting. Three of these projects are multi-country projects.

In this context, with the exception of the 36 successfully completed projects and the 8 to be funded under the 2022 TSI, for which unfinished projects has Romania requested assistance under the SRSP and the TSI? Could the Commission please provide the project title, the beneficiary entity/entities, the contract value in euro, the completion deadline, the general objective of the assistance requested, the extension period if granted by the Commission and any irregularities found by the Commission.

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¹ https://ec.europa.eu/reform-support/supporting-reforms-romania-tsi-2022_en