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Project Title	Development of Sports Complex - Manzë
Project Type	Economic development/Social Cohesion
Project Location	Manëz
Total Pre-Estimated Budget	35,000 Euro
Project Background and Analysis	The municipality of Manza is the only municipality that has prepared an Urban Development Plan (even though not yet approved). The key logic of this plan is providing services not only to the municipality of Manza (taking into account that it does not have a big population or the economic activity), but also to Durrës, Ishëm, Rashbull, Katund i Ri. One of the identified projects in the Urban Development Plan is the development of a Multi-Sports Complex Area. This would serve to the social cohesion and youth development in Manzë, Ishëm, Katund të Ri and other limitrofic units.
Specific Objectives of the Project	The goal of the project is increased possibilities in sports recreation to improve the level and the quality of their provision for the inhabitants of Manza, Ishëm (tourists at Gjiri i Lalzit), Katund i Ri, etc. The sports activities will contribute into strengthening the relations among young people in the new Municipality of Durres. As well, the vacationers at Gjiri i Lalzit will be provided quality services that will affect the increase of revenues in the area.
Expected Results and Project Indicators	Expected results include: (a) increased recreation opportunities for the inhabitants of the area (Manzë, Ishëm, Katund iRi, etj.); (b) improvement of quality service for the vacationers at Gjiri i Lalzit; (c) increased interest of the population to spend holidays at Gjiri i Lalzit and increased number of vacationers;

(d) increased revenues from sports activities.

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The approximate duration for the implementation of the project is 12 months. The foreseen activities include: (a) assessment of needs and intervention planning, initially with minimum investments (football/basketball/tennis); (b) tendering, contracting, work implementation; c) promotion in the area.
Currently, there are no feasibility studies.
The potential funding resources are public funds of the new Municipality of Durrës or private-public funds.
The project cost is assessed to be 35,000 Euro.