Project Summary:

**Purpose:** Improve energy efficiency in buildings used for health and education services

**Timeframe:** 2008 - 2014

**IBRD Financing:** US$9.4 million

**Project ID:** P107992

**Mitigation:** Energy efficiency in buildings

Energy Efficiency in Public Buildings

Montenegro currently must import about one-third of its power to feed its fast growing electricity demands and to make up for diminishing electricity production from the run-down plants and assets of the state-owned electricity company. In addition, a legacy of highly inefficient buildings and other facilities contribute to the drain on energy supplies in Montenegro.

The Energy Efficiency Project is financing energy efficiency investments in the public sector, reducing energy consumption and improving environmental quality in public schools and health centers—and promoting new energy efficiency and supply technologies in targeted public buildings across the country. Seven schools and four hospitals have been or will be retrofitted by the end of the project.

This project is designed to be a model for energy efficiency activities in the rest of the country’s public sector and private companies, ultimately having a much broader impact in reducing Montenegro’s national greenhouse gas emissions.

More information: