

TAIEX

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INFORMATION AND STATISTICAL NOTICE ON TAIEX INSTRUMENT USE AND IMPLEMENTATION IN UKRAINE

TAIEX (Technical Assistance Information Exchange) is an instrument of technical assistance and information exchange, provided by the European Commission with the aim of strengthening institutional capacity, with further adaptation of the national legislation to the legislation of the European Union (*acquis communautaire*), its implementation and further effective use.

Technical Assistance and Information was established by Directorate-General for Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations (DG NEAR) of the European Commission in 1996 in order to assist the candidate countries in the short term to solve the issues of introduction of EU legislation (*acquis communautaire*). In 2006, institutional building instrument TAIEX began to cover the neighboring southern and eastern countries.

Implementation of external assistance of the European Commission within the framework of TAIEX instrument in Ukraine is carried out in accordance with the *Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine "On Approval of the Procedure of Preparation, Approval and Realization of the Action Plan on Involvement of External Assistance of the European Commission within the framework of TAIEX" as of 13 January, 2016 No 32.*

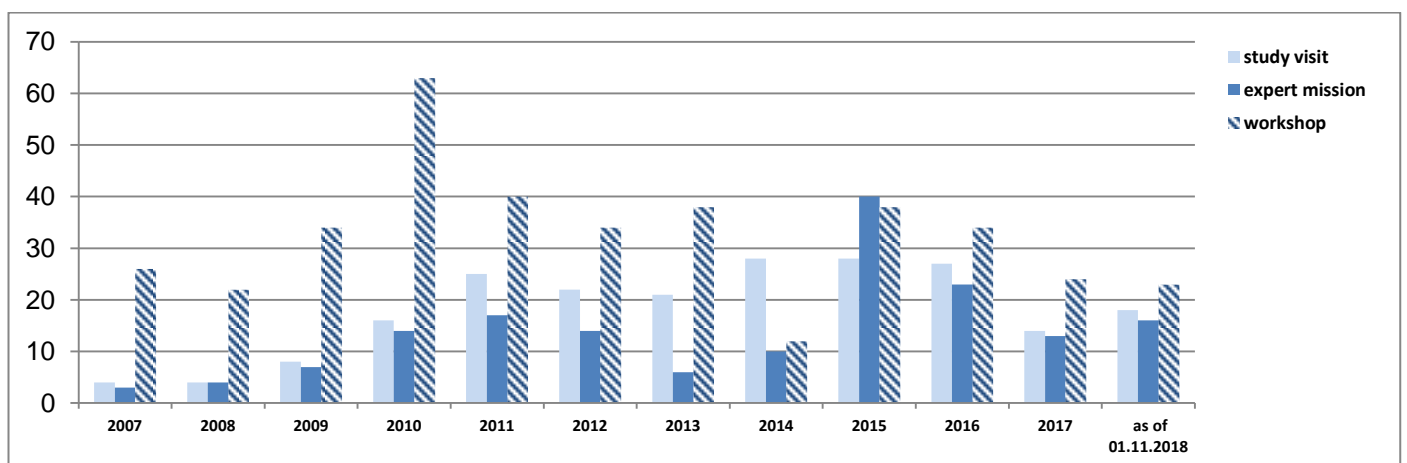
National Agency of Ukraine on Civil Service is the coordinator of institutional building instrument TAIEX implementation.

TAIEX instrument is aimed at:

- approximation, implementation of the national legislation to *acquis communautaire*;
- institutional development of government authorities;
- professional development of civil servants.

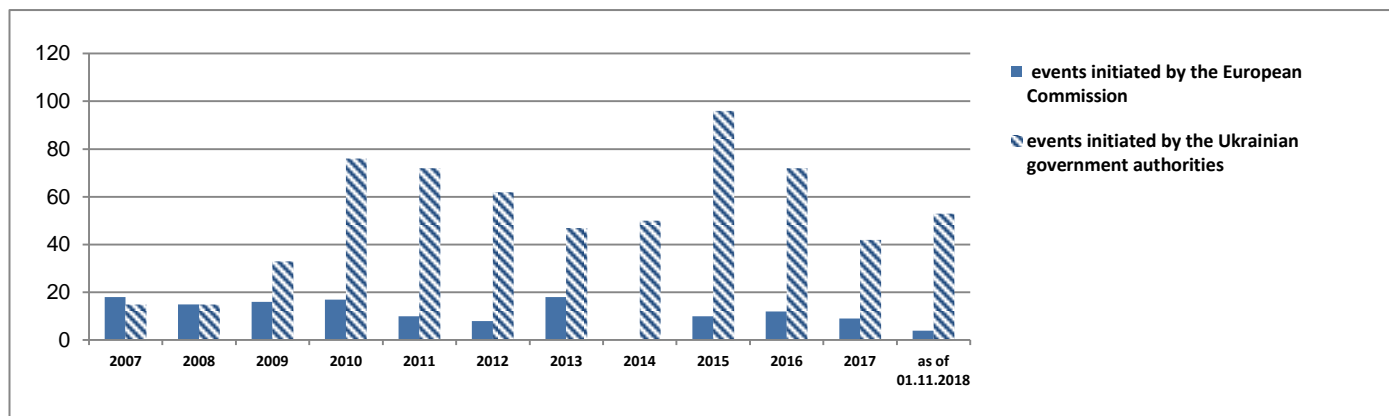
TAIEX assistance can be implemented in three forms (*seminar, study visit and expert mission*), as well as cover different areas. Government authorities can take advantage of the flexibility of the TAIEX instrument in order to meet the diverse educational needs regarding EU legislation.

Since the beginning of implementing the TAIEX instrument, as of **01 November, 2018** 17 647 representatives of Ukrainian government authorities participated in γ 780 events organized in the framework of the TAIEX implementation, including 145 events initiated by the European Commission and 635 events initiated by Ukraine.



Pic. 1. Overview of TAIEX activities in Ukraine per type of events (2006 – 01 November, 2018)

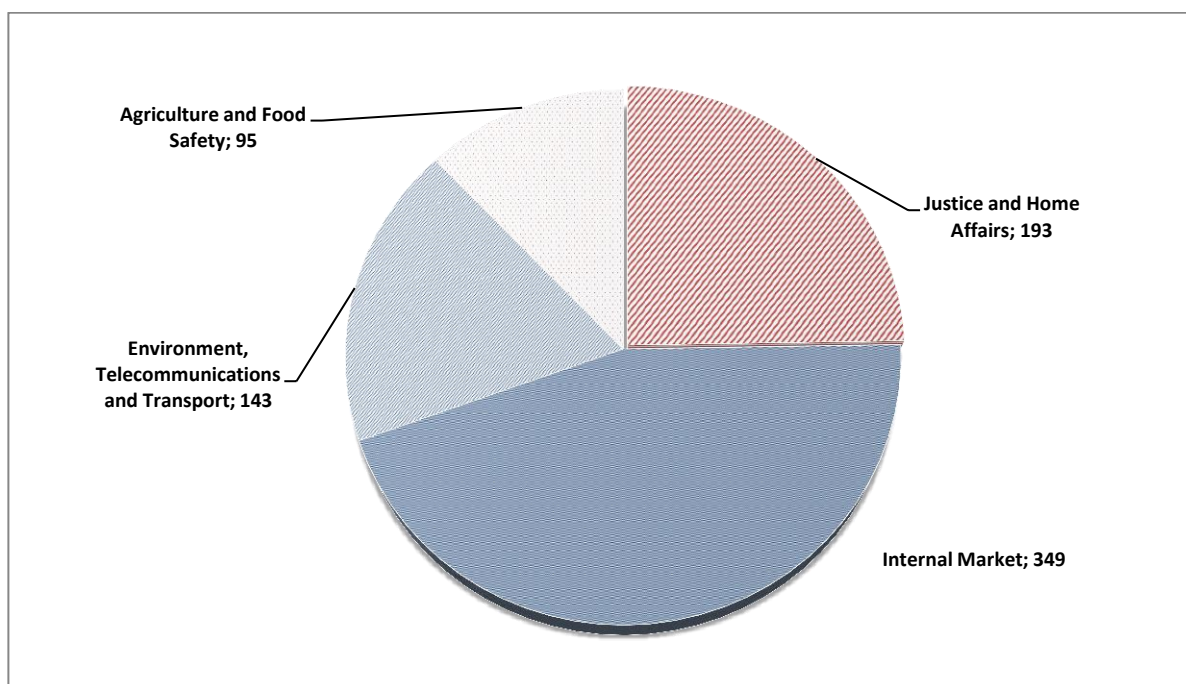
In **2018** 1 348 representatives of government authorities took part at 53 events initiated by Ukraine, including 19 workshops, 18 study visits to EU Member States and 16 expert missions to Ukraine. Furthermore, 13 representatives of government authorities participated in 4 workshops initiated by the European Commission under the TAIEX instrument.



Pic. 2. Overview of TAIEX activities in Ukraine per the initiator (2006 – 01 November, 2018)

During the mentioned period (2006–2018) TAIEX events were conducted in the following areas:

- Justice and Internal Affairs (193 events, in 2018 – 11 events);
- Internal Market (349 events, in 2018 – 21 events);
- Environment, Telecommunications, Transport (143 events, in 2018 – 17 events);
- Agriculture and Food Safety (95 events, in 2018 – 8 events).



Pic. 3. Overview of TAIEX activities in Ukraine per sector (2006 – 01 November, 2018)