

Project: “Renovation and implementation of energy saving measures in “Ivan Vazov” Primary School in the village of Zafirovo”

Beneficiary: Municipality of Glavinitsa

Contract number: BG161P0001/4.1-01/2007/001

The project has been implemented within Operation 4.1 (*Small-scale local investments*), Priority 4 “*Local development and cooperation*” of Operational Program “*Regional Development*” 2007-2013.

Contract number BG161P0001/4.1-01/2007/001 for renovation and implementation of energy saving measures in “Ivan Vazov” Primary School in Zafirovo village was signed between the Municipality of Glavinitsa and the Managing Authority of Operational Program “*Regional Development*” on the 1st of August, 2008. The project should be completed within 12 months. The total costs of the project are 997 760, 64 BGN.

Aims of the Project:

- Making “Ivan Vazov” Primary School more attractive to the young people living in the six villages of the Municipality of Glavinitsa through modernization of the educational infrastructure. This will lead to accelerating economic development in the region.
- Implementation of energy saving measures in accordance to the energy saving regulations, in order to provide comfortable learning conditions in the school building.
- Provision of access to the school for people with disabilities.
- The renovated educational infrastructure will make the school more attractive to children from ethnic minorities, and with this will help with their integration.

Achieved results:

- School building has been renovated.
- Increased energy efficiency.
- Construction of access for disadvantaged people.
- 5 new permanent jobs.
- Improved educational infrastructure will make educational institutions more attractive to young people and will help with the integration of children from ethnic minorities.