



Preliminary environmental impact assessment (PEIA) of a 114 km highway in Albania

Client: Consulting company

Service employed: EIA experts

Duration: 2011-2013

The objective of the assignment was to conduct the Preliminary Environmental Impact Assessment (PEIA) of the construction, rehabilitation and the operation and maintenance phases of a 114 km highway in Albania. This assignment also included an extensive soil sampling campaign to identify potentially contaminated sites along the highway.



During this assignment a methodology was constructed in order to prepare the appropriate PEIA study. In particular, this methodology consisted of the following stages: a) desktop study during which all available data were reviewed, b) site visit during which the main environmental related areas were visited and soil sampling campaign carried out, c) identification of the main environmental and social impacts, d) determination of the mitigation measures, e) preparation of the PESIA study, where a Stockholder Engagement Plan (SEP) was also included.

