

Department for Development Policies (DPS)

The Department for Development Policies is one of five branches within the Ministry of Economy and Finance. Its goal is to develop and carry out interventions to support the economic growth of underutilized areas in Italy. It provides the national, regional and local authorities with administration and technical services aimed at attaining social and economic balance, particularly in the Southern regions.

The DPS Service for Community Structural Funds policies deals with programmes financed with resources from the European Union for Italian regions lagging behind the EU average (Objective-1 and transition funds) and for areas undergoing economic and social redevelopment (to which Objective-2 is applied). DPS also acts as the Managing Authority of the Objective-1 Community Support Framework (CSF) for the 2000-2006 period, and of the CSF Technical Assistance National Operational Programme (NOP).

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Puglia

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Basilicata

www.regione.basilicata.it/sportello/default.htm

Calabria

www.regione.calabria.it/Servizio_Urente/Servizio_Urente/start.htm

Sicilia

www.euroinfosicilia.it/

Sardegna

www.regione.sardegna.it/europa/europa.html

↘ NOP

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www.miur.it/0003Ricerca/0150Fondi_/index_cf3.htm

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Transports

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