CHAPTER 8 COMPETITION POLICY

Priority 8.1 Adoption of a State Aid Law in line with the acquis requirements and setting up an operationally independent state aid monitoring authority able to fulfil existing transparency commitments

1 Schedule of legislative alignment

Table 8.1.1

No	EU legislation in force	Draft Turkish legislation	Scope	Institution in charge	Publication date
	Articles 87-89 of the EC Treaty Regulation No. 659/1999	Law on State Aids ¹	Establishment of the system of monitoring supervision and economic coordination of state aids practices	The Institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be established	2009

2 Schedule of institutional capacity building requirements necessary for legislative approximation and implementation

Table 8.1.2

No	Requirements			
(The Institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be established)				
1	Capacity building concerning state aids within the institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be affiliated.	2009		

¹ It is also mentioned under "Priority 8.4 Ensuring transparency in the area of state aid in line with existing bilateral commitments. Informing the Community of all aid schemes in force and notifying in advance any individual aid to be granted"

3 Financial requirements and resources

Table 8.1.3 (Euro)

Table 6.1.5					(Euro)
Requirements (The Institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be established)	Year	National Budget	EU sources	Other	Total
I- Investment					
II- Legislative approximation and implementation					
- Personnel					
- Training					
Study visits to member states	2009-2010		30,000		30,000
- Consultancy					
Consultancy for improving the institutional capacity regarding state aids and for training of the institutions providing state aid	2010-2012		1,000,000		1,000,000
- Translation					
- Other					
Total			1,030,000		1,030,000

Priority 8.2 Finalisation and adoption of the National Steel Restructuring Programme in line with EU requirements

1 Schedule of legislative alignment

Table 8.2.1

No	EU legislation in force	Draft Turkish legislation	Scope	Institution in charge	Publication date
1	Turkey – ECSC Free Trade Agreement	National Restructuring Program for Iron and Steel Sector	Trade Agreement, and ensuring compliance of future state aids to be granted to the sector with the EU	Undersecretariat for Foreign Trade Ministry of Industry and Trade Undersecretariat of State Planning Organization Undersecretariat of Treasury	2009

2 Schedule of institutional capacity building requirements necessary for legislative approximation and implementation

No institutional capacity building requirement is envisaged under this priority at this stage.

3 Financial requirements and resources

No financial requirement is envisaged under this priority at this stage.

Priority 8.3 Alignment of secondary legislation in the state aid field

1 Schedule of legislative alignment

Table 8.3.1

No	EU legislation in force	Draft Turkish legislation	Scope	Institution in charge	Publication date
1	Regulations No. 659/1999, 794/2004, 1998/2006, 68/2001, 70/2001, 1407/2002 and 2204/2002. Commission Guidelines No. 2001/C 37/03 and 2006/C 194/02. Commission Notices No. 98/C 384/03, 98/C 39/02 and 2000/C 71/07. Commission Communications No. 97/C 209/03, 97/C 281/03, 2002/C 043/04, 2001/C320/04, 2002 /C 70/05 and 2004/C244/02 Commission Directive No. 80/723/EEC Community Frameworks No. 2003/C 317/06, 2006/C323/01 and 2005/C297/04.		With a view to enabling the functioning of state aid monitoring and supervision mechanism, enacting approximately 25-30 secondary legislation concerning state aids for SMEs, environment, R&D, employment, regional aids, etc. following the entry into force of the Draft Law on State Aids.	The Institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be established	2009-2011

2 Schedule of institutional capacity building requirements necessary for legislative approximation and implementation

Institutional capacity building requirement is mentioned in Table 8.1.2.

3 Financial requirements and resources

Financial requirement is mentioned in Table 8.1.3.

² It will be enacted after the adoption of Law on State Aids.

Priority 8.4 Ensuring transparency in the area of state aid in line with existing bilateral commitments. Informing the Community of all aid schemes in force and notifying in advance any individual aid to be granted

1 Schedule of legislative alignment

Table 8.4.1

No	EU legislation in force	Draft Turkish legislation	Scope	Institution in charge	Publication date
1	Articles 87-89 of the EC Treaty Regulation No. 659/1999	Law on State Aids ³		The Institution to which the State Aid Monitoring and Supervision Authority will be established	2009
2	Directive No.2006/111/EC	Law on Governance of State Economic Enterprises	Ensuring the relations between public administrations and public enterprises to be transparent	Undersecretariat of Treasury	2009-2010

2 Schedule of institutional capacity building requirements necessary for legislative approximation and implementation

Institutional capacity building requirements envisaged under this priority are mentioned in Table 8.1.2.

3 Financial requirements and resources

Financial requirements envisaged under this priority are mentioned in Table 8.1.3.

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³ It is also mentioned under "Priority 8.1 Adoption of a State Aid Law in line with the acquis requirements and setting up an operationally independent state aid monitoring authority able to fulfil existing transparency commitments"