

Funds for Unforeseen Events

The budget programme "Funds for Unforeseen Events" (hereafter – FUE) is intended for unplanned expenditures resulting from for the elimination of the consequences of catastrophes and natural disasters, the compensation of losses caused thereby, if there is a failure to comply with contractual obligations and a fine or interest payment is charged from the partner, and other unforeseen events and measures significant at the national level. Local government is granted funds for the elimination of the consequences of catastrophes and natural disasters, the compensation of losses and damage caused to municipal property or infrastructure owned by the municipality, as well as unforeseen events defined in legal acts.

Funds from the FUE programme are requested by ministries or other government funded central state institutions. The funds required for subordinate institutions, entrepreneurs or other legal persons are requested by line ministries. The Ministry of Regional Protection and Regional Development (hereafter – MEPRD) makes requests on behalf of municipalities.

Requests are reviewed by the Cabinet of Ministers. In exceptional circumstances when funds have to be granted immediately and the request cannot be reviewed at the meeting of the Cabinet of Ministers, the decision is made by the Minister of Finance.

In the law "On the state budget for 2019", FUE has been allocated 20 430 962 euro.

Resource Allocation from FUE in 2019

In 2019, a total of **25 949 817 euro** was granted from FUE to satisfy **133 requests**. In 2018, a total of **58 870 817 euro** was granted from FUE to satisfy **172 requests**. Thus, in year 2019 there was a 56% reduction in resources allocated through FUE; however, the amount allocated through FUE exceed the amount budgeted in the law "On the state budget for 2019".

Institution	Number of requests	Total sum
Ministry of Transport	9	10 488 918
Ministry of Education and Science	10	3 212 043
Cabinet of Ministers	26	2 678 865
Ministry of Foreign Affairs	19	1 882 668
Ministry of Culture	5	1 639 155
Ministry of Interior	15	1 536 372
MEPRD	10	925 700
Ministry of Agriculture	12	855 034
Ministry of Health	5	697 388
Radio and Television	2	521 481
Procurers Office	1	430 760
Ministry of Justice	5	280 199
Corruption Prevention Bureau	1	217 876
Ministry of Economics	2	188 417
Central Election Commission	2	132 049



Summary of resource allocation from "Funds for Unforeseen Events" in 2019

Ministry of Finance	2	85 277
State President Chancery	1	83 405
Ministry of Welfare	5	71 813
Defence Ministry	1	22 397
Total:	133	25 949 817