

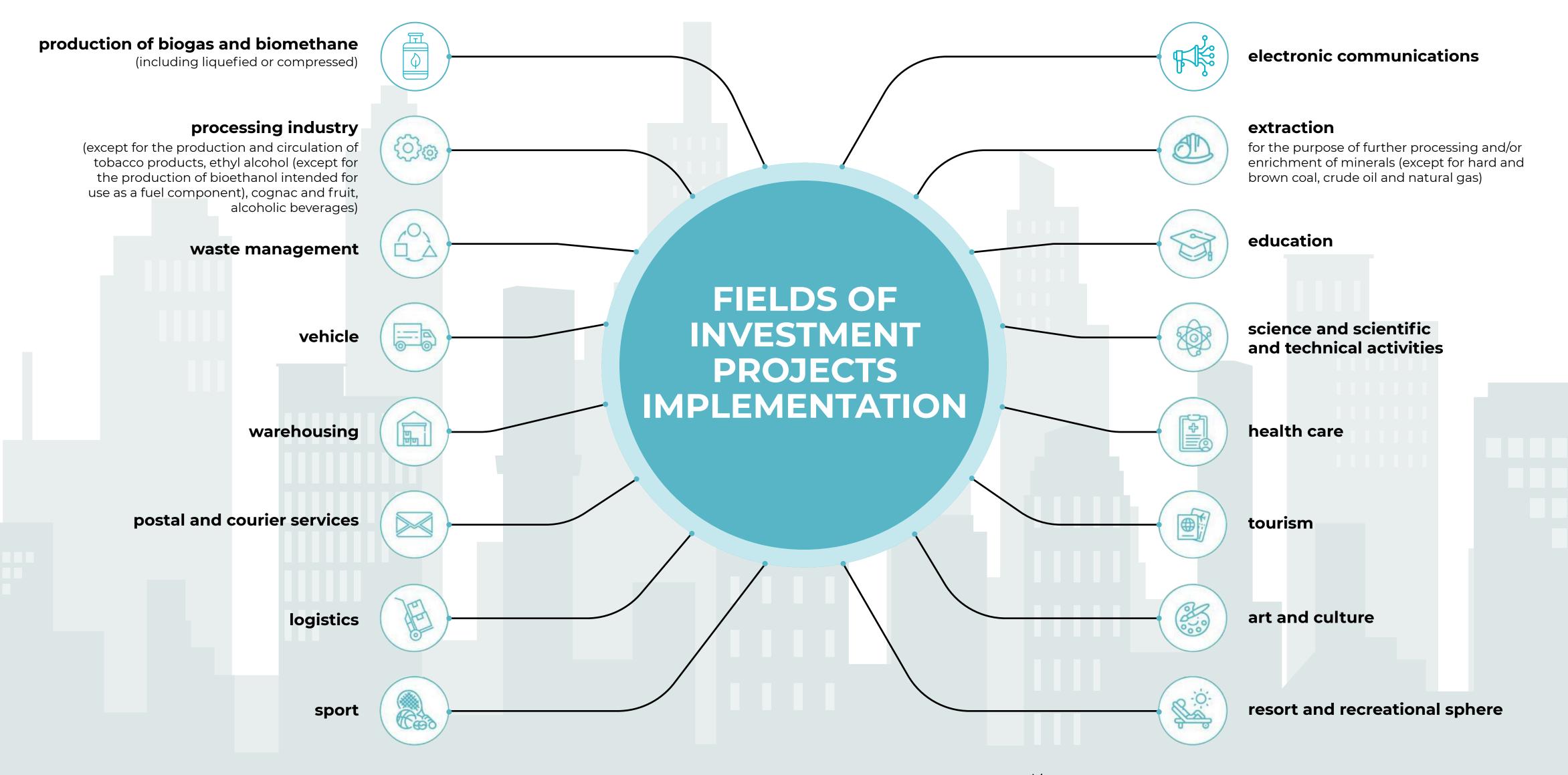




FIELDS OF INVESTMENT PROJECTS IMPLEMENTATION









REQUIREMENTS FOR THE INVESTMENT PROJECT



12+ million €

of investments



10+

jobs



up to 5 years

implementation period



construction, modernization,

technical and/or technological re-equipment of facilities

FORMS OF SUPPORT



Income tax exemption* (for 5 years elective)



Obtaining a lease of a state or municipally owned land plot without bidding



VAT exemption on imports of new equipment and components**



Reimbursement
of costs for connection
and joining engineering
and transportation
networks



Exemption from import duties on new equipment and components



Exemption from land tax/lower rate of tax or land rent



Construction/compensation for the construction of engineering and transport infrastructure



Exemption
from compensation
for forestry production
losses

AMOUNT OF SUPPORT

up to 30% CAPEX***

- * Does not cover projects in the areas of extraction for the purpose of further processing and/or enrichment of minerals.

 ** The list and amount of equipment is approved by the Government for each project.
- *** The applicant, not earlier than 18 months before the date of submission of the application to the authorized body, may make investments in investment objects in an amount not exceeding 30% of the total amount of significant investments required for the implementation of an investment project with significant investments.



GUIDE FOR INVESTORS WITH SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENTS*





The applicant¹ applies to
Ukraineinvest² for support in the
preparation and implementation
of the investment project

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The applicant prepares and submits an application to the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine³

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The Ministry of Economy of Ukraine is evaluating an investment project. (The evaluation takes up to 60 calendar days)⁴ 4

The Ministry of Economy of Ukraine is preparing a conclusion on the feasibility or inexpediency of implementing an investment project

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In case of a conclusion on the feasibility, the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine prepares a draft decision on the signing of the SIA and sends it to the KMU

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Signing of the SIA⁵ between the Applicant and/or the Investor, the CMU⁶ and the LGB⁷ (if it is a party to the SIA) 7

Investor⁸ implements an investment project

*in accordance with the Law of Ukraine "On State Support of Investment Projects with Significant Investments in Ukraine"

- Applicant a legal entity registered in Ukraine or a foreign country, or several such legal entities, which has submitted an application;
- 2. UKRAINEINVEST a state institution "Investment Promotion Office" authorized by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine to support the applicant and investor with significant investments in the preparation and implementation of an investment project with significant investment, facilitating the implementation of a special investment agreement, as well as performing other functions provided for by the Law;
- 3. Ministry of Economy of
 Ukraine the central executive
 body responsible for the
 formation and implementation
 of the state investment policy;
- 4. The assessment takes up to 60 calendar days;
- 5. SIA a special investment agreement;
- 6. KMU Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine;
- 7. LGB local government body;
- 8. Investor a legal entity registered in Ukraine that is specially established to implement an investment project with significant investments, is a party to a special investment agreement and whose business activities are directed exclusively to the implementation of an investment project with significant investments and the execution of a special investment agreement.

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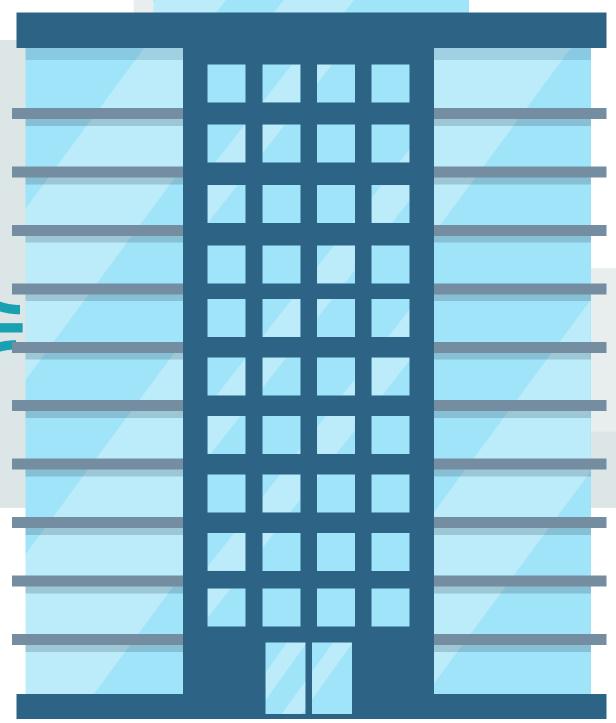


support in the preparation and implementation of the investment project, as well as assistance in the implementation of the SIA by the state and LGB;

receiving information and consulting assistance on the preparation of investment projects;

preliminary verification of the investment project's compliance with the Law.





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Applicant prepares and submits an application to the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine

Attachments to the application:

Documents on the applicant's compliance with the financial solvency requirements

(in accordance with the Resolution of the CMU dated 23 June, 2021 No. 648)

Feasibility study of the investment project

(in accordance with the Resolution of the CMU dated 19 May, 2021 No. 515 (as amended by the Resolution of the CMU dated 02 February, 2024 No. 112))

Documents confirming the absence of restrictions specified in part 4 of Article 7 of the Law*.

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Requirements for the feasibility study

brief summary of the results of the financial analysis of the Project - FIRR, description of the **market** environment preparation of the feasibility study FNPV, DPP, etc. assessment of the technical feasibility description of the forms and total amount financial model of the Project and description of of state support required for the Project technical solutions amount of significant investments and the results of the analysis of the commercial results of the analysis of environmental attractiveness of the Project estimated cost of maintenance (operation) aspects of the Project (including for banks) of the facility list of identified Project **risks**, their results of the analysis of the **fiscal** impact legal aspects of the Project implementation assessment, and determination of the (budgetary efficiency) of the Project form of their management term and stages of the Project analysis of **social** and **economic** indicators of legal aspects of the Project implementation the Project and assessment of **social** effect implementation

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Evaluation of an investment project

(carried out by the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine in two stages within 60 calendar days from the date of receiving the application) The evaluation of an investment project to be financed by funds raised from the International Finance Corporation, international financial organizations of which Ukraine is a member, or governmental financial organizations is carried out by the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine within no more than 45 calendar days.

First stage of evaluation

- Ministry of Economy of Ukraine verifies the compliance of the applicant, investment project and submitted documents with the requirements of the legislation within 10 business days.
- If the results of the verification reveal that the applicant, the investment project and the submitted documents do not comply with the requirements and restrictions established by law, as well as if the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine is already conducting an assessment that fully or partially coincides with the land plot on which the investment project is planned to be implemented, the assessment is terminated.

Second stage of evaluation

- The Ministry of Economy of Ukraine sends the received documents in electronic form to the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Environment, the Ministry of Justice, the Antimonopoly Committee, the central executive authority, and the local government body, which, within 20 calendar days from the date of receipt of the documents, review them and send the results of the analysis and relevant proposals to the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine or indicate that they are absent.
- If during this stage inconsistencies in the documents are identified, the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine temporarily suspends consideration of the application and sends the applicant relevant comments and suggestions for revision.

The applicant may finalize the documents within 15 calendar days and send them to the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine for preparation of the conclusion. If the applicant fails to submit the revised documents within the specified period, the Ministry of Economy terminates the evaluation and notifies the applicant.

Based on the results of the second stage of the assessment, the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine is preparing one of the following conclusions:

- the conclusion on the feasibility of the investment project and the signing of the SIA is valid for one year from the date of its issuance. In case of necessity to finalize the draft of the SIA, the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine sends the applicant comments to the draft SIA with a proposal to negotiate the terms of the SIA within 5 business days from the date of its signing
- conclusion on the inexpediency of implementing an investment project and a refusal to sign the SIA.

Simplified procedure

- The Ministry of Economy of Ukraine conducts an assessment on the basis of applications resubmitted under the simplified procedure within no more than 30 calendar days from the date of receiving the documents.
- The period for verifying the compliance of the applicant, investment project and submitted documents with the requirements of the law is three business days.
- If the results of the verification reveal that the application was not submitted by the same applicant to whom it was returned, and the investment object is not the same as the one specified in the returned application, the evaluation is not carried out under the simplified procedure.

If the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine concludes that the investment project is feasible, sends it to the CMU.

it prepares a draft decision on the conclusion of the SIA and

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The documents are analyzed and relevant proposals are submitted to the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine by:



Міністерство **фінансів** України

Ministry of Finance analyzes the investment
project and the SIA draft in
terms of the forms and
total amount of state
support proposed to be
provided for the
implementation of the
investment project and
submits relevant proposals.



Ministry of Environment analyzes the environmental
impacts and risks of
implementing an
investment project or the
SIA draft and submits
relevant proposals.



Ministry of Justice analyzes the SIA draft, prepares comments on its revision, if necessary, and submits relevant proposals.



Antimonopoly Committee of Ukraine - analyzes the risks of implementing an investment project, the SIA draft, the forms and total amount of state support proposed to be provided for the implementation of an investment project, and submits relevant proposals.



CEA - central executive body that ensures the formation of state policy in the area in which the investment project is to be implemented, submits relevant proposals, including those for the SIA draft.



Local government body (in case of state support provided by such a body) - analyzes the risks of implementing an investment project, forms and total amount of state support proposed to be provided for the implementation of an investment project, the SIA draft, prepares proposals for its revision, if necessary, and submits relevant proposals.



Signing of the SIA between the Applicant and/or the Investor, the CMU and the LGB (if it is a party to the SIA)

The exemplary form of the SIA is approved by the Order of the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine No. 7244 dated March 20, 2024 "On Approval of the Exemplary Form of the Special Investment Agreement"

Mandatory annexes to the SIA:



Non-current assets



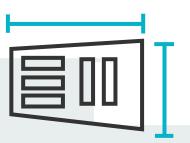
Engineering and transportation infrastructure



Estimated schedule of significant investments



Stages of the Project implementation



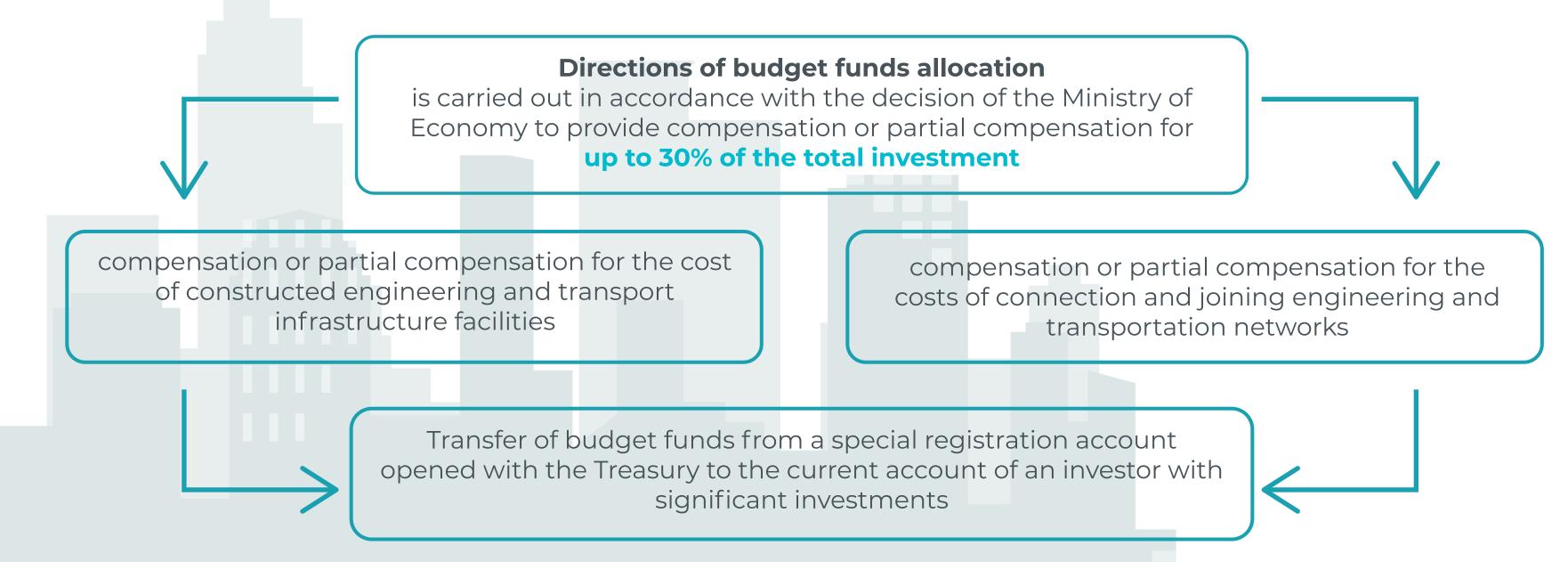
Graphic materials of land plots to be formed for the Project implementation

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The procedure for the use of funds provided for in the state budget to provide state support for the implementation of investmentprojects with significant investments

In accordance with the signed Special Investment Agreement



If the Ministry of Economy establishes that the amount of significant investment is less than EUR 12 million, the investor shall return the entire amount of compensation or partial compensation received to a special registration account of the Ministry of Economy within one month

In case the state financial control authorities establish the fact of illegal receipt of compensation or partial compensation by the investor, the investor shall return the entire amount of compensation or partial compensation received to the special registration account of the Ministry of Economy within one month



The investor implements the investment project in compliance with the requirements of the SIA and provides information on:

- the amount of actual significant investments made in the investment objects;
- compliance with the terms of the Project implementation stages;
- start of the investment facilities functioning;
- the actual number of jobs created and the average salary of employees;
- monthly by the 10th day of the reporting period.