

Project of common interest:

3.23 - NSI East Electricity

Type of project
Hydro-pumped storage

Project promoters
NATSIONALNA
ELEKTRICHESKA KOMPANIA
EAD (NEK EAD)

**Planned date of
commissioning**
2022

02 Implementation Plan - for publication For Project of Common Interest:

3.23 Hydro-pumped storage in Bulgaria — Yadenitsa

1. Introductory information

Priority corridor: North-South electricity interconnections in Central Eastern and South Eastern Europe

Current implementation status: Permitting

2. Timeline of the implementation plan

2.1. Estimative timeline for the completion of feasibility and design studies for the project

Project stage	Start date	(Expected) end date
Feasibility study	NO DATA	NO DATA
Front End Engineering Design study	NO DATA	NO DATA

2.2. Estimative timeline for obtaining the approval by the national regulatory authority and the Final Investment Decision

Project stage	Date of request	(Expected) date of decision
Approval by the NRA	NO DATA	NO DATA
CBCA (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Exemption request/decision (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Final Investment Decision	NO DATA	NO DATA

2.3. Estimative permit granting schedule¹ - not defined yet

Date of request	(Expected) date of decision
NO DATA	NO DATA

¹This schedule should be in line with the permit granting schedule required by Article 10 4(b), where available. According to this Article, a permit granting schedule will have to be drawn up by the competent authority in close cooperation with the project promoter and other authorities concerned.

2.4. Estimative timeline for construction and commissioning

Activities	(Expected) start date	(Expected) end date
Construction	NO DATA	NO DATA
Commissioning date	2022	