



WHAT IS THE CERTIFIED EXPENDITURE TO THE EU FOR STRUCTURAL FUNDS?

Certified expenditure to the EU refers to the total value of requests for reimbursement of expenses already incurred that are submitted to the European Commission by the administrations managing the programmes co-financed by structural funds.

These requests must be submitted within a set deadline for each fiscal year of the resources committed to the Community budget for each structural fund (i.e. ESF, ERDF, etc.) and Operational Programme.

When the funding is not certified to the Commission within the established deadlines, it is subject to automatic decommitment, and this entails a reduction in Community funding and in the corresponding national co-financing of the programme.