### Development Issue 1-1: Environment

#### JFY: 2019-2023

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<td>Japan’s Assistance Program</td>
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<td>Taking advantage of its own advanced technology and knowledge, Japan is committed to supporting the infrastructural development and strengthening human capacity that are essential for Albania’s sustainable economic development.</td>
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#### Strategy

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<td>Taking advantage of Japan’s past cooperation and accumulated knowledge, Japan aims to support the inclusive development in rural areas through enhancing human and institutional capacity. In addition, the private sector development in the tourism sector will also be assisted. Further, Japan will contribute to pursuing equitable growth between rural and urban areas by establishing and rehabilitating education facilities in rural areas.</td>
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#### Others

- Grant Aid for Cultural Grassroots Projects in the field of Education

#### Assistance for Equitable Growth and Sustainable Economic Development

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- **[Background and current situation]**
  - Albania aims for competitive and sustainable economic development. Nevertheless, the rapid urbanization coupled with industrial activation caused the negative impacts on natural environment and people’s livelihoods. As an EU candidate which aspires to the accession, the Government of Albania is obliged to comply with the EU environmental standards and rules.

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**Note:**

- Before JFY: 2019
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