



Aid scheme for medium-sized energy-using companies: online form launched

Since 30 November and in order to support companies particularly affected by the rise in energy prices caused by Russia's aggression against Ukraine, medium-sized energy-consuming companies can **submit an application to benefit from the aid scheme** set up by the Government **via a form available on the Guichet.lu** website under the heading "financing and aid".

This aid is aimed at small and medium-sized companies and particularly those whose **energy costs represent 2% of their turnover for the month in which the aid is requested**.

To be eligible, these companies must incur **monthly additional natural gas and electricity costs exceeding 80% of the average unit costs** of natural gas and electricity incurred by the enterprise during the reference period from January to December 2021.

The aid scheme is open to companies in the period **from October 2022 to June 2023**.

The amount of aid granted to applicant companies will be calculated on the basis of the eligible costs of the project and :

- may not exceed **70% of the eligible costs**;
- will be capped at **500.000 euros per group** for the eligibility period.

For each eligible month, the application for aid must be submitted within the following deadlines:

- no later than **31 March 2023** for the months of October, November and December 2022,
- no later than **30 September 2023** for the months of January, February, March, April, May and June 2023.

However, this aid scheme for medium-sized energy-consuming enterprises may not be combined with the aid scheme for companies particularly affected by rising energy prices for the same month.

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