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Date 10 December 2019  
Re 28721 - Final Decision" The Tropical Forest Alliance 2020 – Phase 1"

**Our reference**

MINBUZA-2019.827023

Dear (10)(2e)

I am pleased to send you the Final Decision for the Grant for phase 1 of the programme " The Tropical Forest Alliance 2020".  
The definitive amount of the grant equals the maximum amount of CHF 1,070,000 of the grant decision.

Yours sincerely,

(10)(2e)

(10)(2e) Climate Team

**DECISION**

**Date**  
10 December 2019

The Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation,

**Our reference**  
MINBUZA-2019.827023

**CONSIDERING**

that by decision of 24 February 2017, ref. no. IGG-2017.99580, I awarded your organisation a grant up to CHF 1,070,000.00 for phase 1 of the Tropical Forest Alliance 2020,

**HAVING REGARD TO**

article 6 of the above decision,

**HAS DECIDED**

that the definitive amount of the grant for the period from 1 January 2017 until 30 June 2018 is CHF 1,070,000.00.

This decision is based on the following considerations:  
the approved audited financial statement with Grant identification no. 28721 concerning the accounting period of 1 January 2017 to 30 June, 2018 as well as the approved final report.

Yours sincerely,

(10)(2e)

(10)(2e) Climate Team

For the Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation

Within six weeks after this decision is sent, a written objection may be lodged with the Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation, IGG, Postbus 20061, 2500 EB Den Haag. Under section 6:5 of the General Administrative Law Act, the notice of objection must be signed and dated and include the name and address of the person submitting it, a description of the decision against which the objection is being lodged and the grounds on which it is based. Where possible a copy of the contested decision should be enclosed.



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Date 18 June 2020  
Re Activity 4000001334 Approval final report and final grant decision  
"Sustainable Policy Trajectory"

**Our reference**  
Minbuza-2020.5192-12

Dear (10)(2e)

Thank you for sending the final report of abovementioned activity. I herewith let you know I have approved the report. Attached you will find the final grant.

Kind regards,

(10)(2e)

(10)(2e) International Trade Policy and Economic Governance

DECISION OF 9 June 2020

Ref. no. 4000001334

The Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation

CONSIDERING

that by decision of 18 September 2018, ref. no. MINBUZA-2018.1026127, addressed to World Economic Forum I awarded your organisation a grant not exceeding €150.000 for Sustainable Policy Trajectory

that on 28 April 2020 the grant recipient submitted a request for the determination of the definitive amount of the grant for the above-mentioned activity,

HAVING REGARD TO

article 6 of the above decision,

HAS DECIDED

that the definitive amount of the grant for the period from 14 March 2018 to 31 December 2019 shall be € 150.000.

The definitive amount of the grant was calculated in the following manner.

Prepayments:

You received prepayments of € 142.500. A final of payment of € 7.500 will be transferred to bank account (10)(2g) quoting the reference 4000001334

Yours sincerely,

the Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation  
on behalf of,

(10)(2e)

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(10)(2e) International Trade Policy and Economic Governance

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**Our reference**

MINBUZA.2021.8826-30

Date: June 24, 2021  
Re: Extended grant decision: Sustainable Investment Policy and  
Practice, Activity number 4000003940

Dear (10)(2e)

By letter of 28 July 2020, ref. no. MINBUZA.2020.5393-11, I awarded your organisation a grant not exceeding € 300.000 for the purpose of Sustainable Investment Policy and Practice. By letter of 25 May 2021 you requested a no-cost extension.

I am willing to make the following changes to the grant decision:

- The grant is intended for the activities described in the activity plan of 24 February 2020 for the period 1 May 2020 until *30 June 2022*.

The following additional conditions are attached to the revised grant decision:

- The final narrative and financial reports will be submitted no later than 1 October 2022.

In all other respects, the decision dated 28 July 2020, ref. no. MINBUZA.2020.5393-11, will remain in force just as before.

Yours sincerely,

(10)(2e)

(10)(2e) of the Department for International Trade Policy and Economic Governance  
For the Minister for Development Cooperation

'This grant decision has not physically been signed due to the circumstances concerning COVID-19'

Within six weeks of the date of the decision, a written objection may be lodged with the Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation, Department for International Trade Policy and Economic Governance, Postbus 20061, 2500 EB The Hague. Pursuant to section 6:5 of the General Administrative Law Act, the notice of objection must be signed and dated and contain at least the name and address of the person submitting it, a description of the decision against which the objection is being lodged and the grounds on which it rests. If possible, a copy of the contested decision should be enclosed.

(10)(2e)

Deputy Head Trade & Investment Policy  
Trade Policy and Economic Governance Department  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
The Netherlands

25 May 2021

Dear (10)(2e)

Please allow me to first thank you for the opportunity to advance the sustainable investment agenda through the support of the Netherlands. We have seen this agenda gain real momentum in the past couple of years, and we are grateful for your partnership in helping to bring this about.

I am writing to request a short, no-cost extension for the Sustainable Investment Policy and Practice grant from your ministry (Activity number 4000003940), signed on July 28, 2020 and currently valid until 31 December 2021.

Project activities have been progressing well, as outlined in the Narrative Report for 2020 (which also included initial activities in 2021), provided in Annex 1 to this letter. Nevertheless, some project activities have been constrained to slow down to take into account the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. For instance, we developed a detailed [report with 55 options for sustainable investment reforms in India](#) and discussed these in a successful [workshop](#) on 27 April 2021 ([agenda](#)) to align on a subset of priority policies and measures to consider for implementation. Nevertheless, given the tragic situation in India at present on account of COVID-19, the next step of implementation is necessarily slower given that there are competing demands on government resources and attention, though we have also been told by our counterparts at Invest India that they remain committed to the project.

We are facing a similar context in Cambodia, where we had a successful launch of the [supplier database with sustainability dimensions](#) ([agenda](#)), yet other deliverables are proving slower to put in place, such as the Agriculture-PPP working group or a workshop on impact investment. While Cambodia was initially spared the brunt of the COVID pandemic, it is now quite a difficult situation in the country.

In order to achieve the best possible results for the project – not only in India and Cambodia, but also in Ghana and Kenya and through inputs into the WTO negotiations on investment facilitation for development – we would like to request a no-cost extension for six months, or in other words to 30 June 2022.

We hope that this request will be considered favourably by the Netherlands. Should you require any additional information to make a decision, please just let us know.

Thank you again for your strong partnership in helping to advance sustainable investment goals, and we look forward to our continued close collaboration.

Sincerely,

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(10)(2e) International Trade and Investment  
Member of the Executive Committee