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Object: Modification request and budgetary amendment – Programme “Enhancing community resilience to epidemics and hydro-meteorological hazards in the African Great Lakes region” (Rwanda, Tanzanie, Uganda) – PG/2019/06

Dear Mrs Lievens,

I am pleased to let you know that I agree to your request regarding the programme “Enhancing community resilience to epidemics and hydro-meteorological hazards in the African Great Lakes region”, as reported in your letters 2019-02-REG-DGD both dated 22 December 2020.

First of all, you request an extension of the programme of 6 months to be able to finish its implementation. This type of request is provided for in de ‘Bepalingen en Voorwaarden’ of the agreement that regulates the modalities of the intervention (point 2.6). Indeed, the Covid-19 pandemic has become a priority for the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement worldwide, and the second quarter of 2020 was almost completely dedicated to the response to Covid-19. Moreover, the measures to combat the virus enforced by the government of Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda resulted in difficulties in the implementation of the programme for a couple of months. The extension is therefore authorized.

The second part of your request concerns the activities in Tanzania for which the integration of a new outcome, some adaptations in the current logical framework and a modification of the intervention zone are requested. This type of request is provided for in de ‘Bepalingen en Voorwaarden’ of the agreement that regulates the modalities of the intervention (point 2.7).

More precisely, you would like to adapt your response in Tanzania by inserting a new outcome to support the provision of comprehensive primary health care activities in

Nduta refugee camp. Your request is well documented with a description of the context and a needs analysis. It describes also the activities you propose to do under this new outcome and how these changes in the logical framework are affecting the other outcomes and activities.

These changes in your programming imply budgetary modifications and a change between budget lines of more than 15%, as stated in your letter. Indeed, 452.192 EUR are being reallocated for the new outcome. The adapted budget provided shows the clear changes in the budgetary lines and supports your budgetary modification request. This type of request is provided for in de 'Bepalingen en Voorwaarden' of the agreement that regulates the modalities of the intervention (point 2.5).

Your letter therefore sufficiently justifies your requests for the points aforementioned.

This letter forms an addendum to the agreement, regulating the execution modalities of the above-mentioned programme, and constitutes an integral part of this agreement.

Best regards,

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