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Subject: Amendment of Annex B to the Memorandum of Understanding on the implementation of the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014-21

Dear Mr Karro,

In accordance with paragraph 3 of Article 2.5 of the Regulation on the Implementation of the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014-2021, the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (NMFA) proposes that Annex B to the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the Kingdom of Norway and the Republic of Estonia be amended as specified in the track changes version of the MoU attached to this letter.

Following the mid-term review, as set in Article 11.4 of the MoU and Article 1.11 of the Regulation, the NMFA agreed with the Estonian National Focal Point to allocate the whole reserve of EUR 1 016 000 from the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014 – 2021 to be allocated to the Civil Society Programme (EE-ACF). A new budget line 4 "Civil Society" in the total amount of EUR 1 016 000 has been added to table 1, Financial parameters of the implementation framework, in Annex B of the MoU between the Kingdom of Norway and the Republic of Estonia. In addition, a new programme is added to the section (Substantive parameters of the implementation framework) of the MoU between the Kingdom of Norway and the Republic of Estonia.

The NMFA requests your agreement to this amendment by replying to this letter. This letter and your affirmative letter in reply shall result in the amendment of Annex B to the MoU and the amendment shall enter into force on the date of your letter in reply. Upon entry into force, the MoU with the amended Annex B shall be published on the websites of the National Focal Point and the Financial Mechanism Office.

Yours sincerely,



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