

Amendment No. I to the Donor Agreement

between

DEFRA

and

the United Nations Environment Programme

Pursuant to Article XI of the Donor Agreement SI-32CPL-000418 between UNEP and Defra on 1st July 2020, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement.

The purpose of this Amendment is to reflect a) extension of the duration of the Donor Agreement; and b) reflect an additional contribution to the project, for the purpose of considering opportunities to accelerate the climate benefits of the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol and encourage the uptake of energy efficient and climate friendly solutions.

I. General provision

I.1 Agreement Article I (I) is hereby amended in its entirety as follows:

The Donor shall, in accordance with the schedule of payments set out below, contribute to UNEP the amount of US\$ 1,156,314. The contribution shall be deposited in:

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Parties' initials:

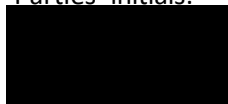
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<u>Schedule of payments</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Upon signature	501,864 US \$(Received)
Upon signature	654,450 US \$

Agreement Article V No 2 is hereby amended as follows:

2. Pursuant to paragraph 10(a) of United Nations General Assembly Resolution 72/279 of 31 May 2018, Defra agrees that an amount corresponding to 1% of the contribution to UNEP shall be paid to fund the United Nations Resident Coordinator System. This amount, hereinafter referred to as the “coordination levy” will be held in trust by UNEP until transfer to the United Nations Secretariat for deposit into the United Nations Special Purpose Trust Fund for the reinvigorated Resident Coordinator system, which has been established to fund the UN Resident Coordinator System and is managed by the United Nations Secretariat. Defra acknowledges that once the coordination levy has been transferred by UNEP to the United Nations Secretariat, UNEP is not responsible for the use of the coordination levy and does not assume any liability. The fiduciary responsibility lies with the United Nations Secretariat as the manager of the Resident Coordinator system. The coordination levy does not form part of UNEP cost recovery and is additional to the costs of UNEP to implement the activity or activities covered by the contribution. Accordingly, there is no normal obligation for UNEP to refund the levy, in part or in full, even where the activities covered by the contribution are not carried out in full by UNEP. As deemed necessary by the donor- and especially where the scale of the resources concerned, or reputational risk justify the refund transaction costs – the donor can submit a request for refund to the United Nations Secretariat directly or through the United Nations entity. The responsibility to refund the levy lies with the United Nations Secretariat, and not with the concerned entity of the United Nations.

The coordination levy for this agreement of US\$4,969 was received by UNEP with the first payment. The remaining US \$6,545 will be transferred to UNEP at the bank account referred to in Article I (1) with the final payment.



Article XIV is hereby amended as follows:

I. Entry into force

- a. This Amendment No. I shall enter into force upon the date of the last signature of the approving officials below and shall remain effective for 33 months unless terminated earlier pursuant to Article X.

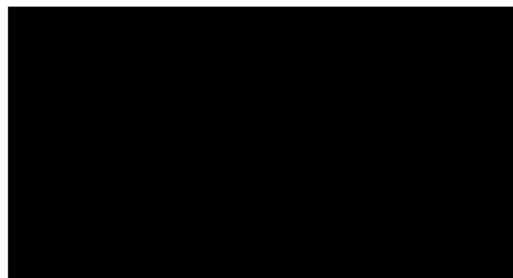
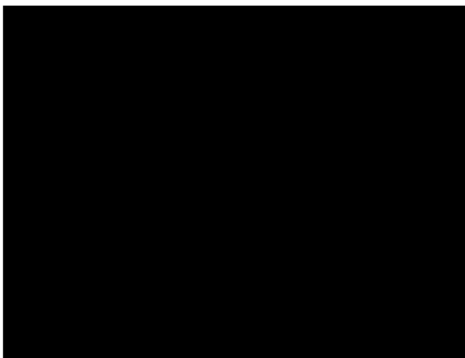
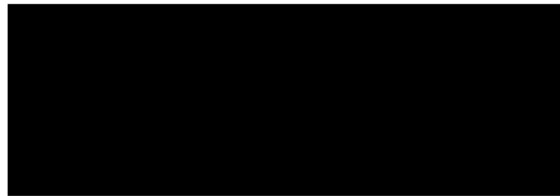
All other terms and conditions of the Agreement remain valid and unchanged.

This Amendment shall be appended to the Agreement and shall be construed an integral part of it.

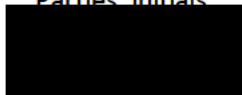
For Defra



For UNEP



Parties' initials:



Annex I:

As a main goal of this work is to accelerate the climate benefits of the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol and encourage the uptake of energy efficient and climate friendly solutions, we agree to information sharing with, and regular reporting to DEFRA on activity highlights, milestones and achievements, costs, and lessons learned during implementation. Reporting will be provided quarterly through email with draft documents and examples of progress included as attachments. Supplementary face-to-face meeting or teleconferences will be conducted as deemed necessary by DEFRA to discuss questions or ideas regarding this work. A final report will be submitted electronically as a Microsoft Office File with several pages of summary analysis on the accomplishments, challenges, and possible future opportunities, with attachments of all final deliverables.

