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SUMMARY

The meeting covered discussions about the Interreg Programme budget modification, as well as the consequent alignment of the timetable for CfPs and the Methodology Paper of Performance Framework. Moreover, as a result of the administrative compliance and eligibility check of SSP, the MC made a request to put in place automatic checks in Jems.

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ITEM 0 – WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Chair: Ms. Stella Arneri (Croatian Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds)

Head of the Italian Delegation: Mr. Marco Doglia (Presidency of the Council of Ministers – Department for Cohesion Policy)

Head of the Croatian Delegation: Mr. Perica Gabrić (Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds)

The quorum is confirmed and the members present declare no conflicts of interest.

ITEM 1 – INTERREG PROGRAMME (IP) MODIFICATION

The MC **approves** the **IP Modification**:

- **Budget increase** due to the devolution of additional ERDF resources to the Programme. New total amount is of € 178.986.266;
- Alignment of **Methodology Paper of Performance Framework** with the timetable of Calls for Proposals (CfPs);
- The **timetable** of the planned **CfPs** needs to be updated with the increased budget foreseen for the 2nd Call for OSI.

ITEM 2 – 1st CfPs – OUTCOMES OF ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLIANCE AND ELIGIBILITY CHECK FOR SMALL-SCALE PROJECTS (SSP)

- The MC **acknowledges** the **statistical data** of the 1st CfP for SSP, the outcome of the administrative **compliance** and **eligibility** check of SSP.
- The MC **makes a request** to the MA and the JS to put in place **automatic checks** in Jems to avoid mistakes and/or to include checklists for beneficiaries to be used before submission and/or to highlight the reasons for potential rejection in the Call announcement.



AoB (ANY OTHER BUSINESS)

The MC **acknowledges:**

- The results of a **survey** addressed to every JEMS user as an internal evaluation initiative;
- The introduction of the imminent convening of the **Working Group devoted to Operations of Strategic Importance (OSI)** involving EUSAIR TSG Pillars' representatives and some external experts for support;
- The overview about **ongoing activities** regarding the organisation of Programme events and the timeline for 2023.

