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INFORMATION

**on the implementation of decisions/conclusions taken at the
seventh IPARD II MC Meeting**

(According to art. 52 from SA)

Eighth meeting of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020 Monitoring Committee

June 2021



Information on the implementation of decisions/conclusions taken at the seventh IPARD II MC Meeting, held on 26 November 2020

At the seventh IPARD II MC Meeting meeting held on 26 November 2020, five decisions were adopted and 12 conclusions were agreed, namely:

Decision No. 1: IPARD II Monitoring Committee adopted the agenda for the seventh meeting of the Monitoring Committee.

Decision No. 2: IPARD II Monitoring Committee adopted the minutes of the sixth meeting of the IPARD II Monitoring Committee, held on 12th of December 2019, as final.

Decision No.3: IPARD II Monitoring Committee adopted the APTA 2020 (version 2).

Decision No.4: IPARD II Monitoring Committee reviewed and adopted the APTA for 2021.

Decision No.5: IPARD II Monitoring Committee reviewed and adopted the Action plan for communication and publicity of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020 for year 2021.

After the meeting of the IPARD Monitoring Committee there was a need to adopt additional **3** new decisions which were adopted by written procedure:

➤ **Modification of the Action plan for intended operations under the Technical Assistance measure (APTA) for 2021**

Undertaken activities: After the adoption of the first modification of the Action plan of for intended operations under the Technical Assistance measure (APTA) for 2021 by the IPARD II Monitoring Committee on 08.02.2021, IPARD MA started with realization of part of planned procurements under APTA 2021, but due to the situation with Covid-19 additional modification of APTA 2021 was necessary.

➤ **Second modification of the Action plan for intended operations under the Technical Assistance measure (APTA) for 2021**

Undertaken activities: After the adoption of the second modification of the Action plan of for intended operations under the Technical Assistance measure (APTA) for 2021 by the IPARD II Monitoring Committee on 06.05.2021, IPARD MA started with realization of part of planned procurements under APTA 2020 (*detailed information in item 8.1 of this meeting*).

➤ **Third modification of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020**

Undertaken activities: After the adoption of the proposal for third (financial) modification of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020 by the IPARD II Monitoring Committee on 14.05.2021, IPARD MA submitted the proposed modification for adoption to the EC (DG Agri) on 21.05.2021

The following conclusions were adopted at the sixth meeting of the IPARD II Monitoring Committee:

Conclusion No. 1: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on the progress made in implementing the decisions/conclusions of the sixth meeting of the IPARD II Monitoring Committee.

Conclusion No. 2: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on appointments of new members of IPARD II Monitoring Committee.

Conclusion No. 3: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed regarding IPA Monitoring Committee held on 14th of October 2020.





Conclusion No. 4: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on general information about programme / measure implementation on the basis of monitoring indicators, tables.

Conclusion No. 5: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee informed on the progress of activities of IPARD Agency.

Conclusion No. 6: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on functioning of the monitoring and control system.

Conclusion No. 7: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on the potential third modification of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020.

Conclusion No. 8: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on the progress of APTA 2019 implementation.

Conclusion No. 9: The IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on the progress of activities related to the communication and publicity of the IPARD Programme 2014-2020.

Conclusion No. 10: IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed on ex post evaluation of the IPARD Programme 2007-2013.

Conclusion No. 11: IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed about the ongoing evaluation of IPARD Programme 2014-2020.

Conclusion No. 12: IPARD II Monitoring Committee was informed about preparatory activities of the IPARD III Programme 2021- 2021