

## **Application for programme contributions**

## **Large Swiss NGO**

| Name of the organisation                     | Title of the international programme <sup>1</sup> 2025-2028 |  |
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| Overall budget of the organisation 2025-2028 | Budget of the international programme 2025-2028             |  |
| CHF  | CHF   |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Definition for *international programme*, see SDC guidance for engagement with Swiss NGOs, Annex 3: Glossary, p. 20.

#### **General remarks**

- Please upload all documents to your personal Shareweb-Account by 08 January 2024.
- Documents submitted after the deadline will not be considered.
- The application and all annexes must be written in English.
- The indicated number of characters must be respected.
- The PDF template must not be altered in any case.
- Please refer in all text fields to the corresponding sections in the programme document of the *international programme* or annexes (specify chapter and page number).
- Please refer to the criteria checklist as published on SDC's website for the full range of criteria; criteria mentioned at the beginning of each chapter of this template are not comprehensive but meant as examples.

#### **Required documents**

- Programme documents of the international programme
- Application for programme contributions
  - Annex 1: Organisational chart
  - Annex 2: Gender equality document (e.g. gender policy)
  - Annex 3: Table of results achieved with the *international programme* in the previous (e.g. 2017-2020) and current (e.g. 2021-2024) phases
  - Annex 4: Logical framework or results framework
  - Annex 5: Budget of the international programme 2025-2028 (see template)
  - Annex 6: Risk Management Matrix (see template)

### Part A: Presentation of the NGO

| 1 | The NGO has a convincing rationale and a vision.  (max. 750 characters including spaces)             |
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| 2 | The NGO has a comparative advantage compared to other organisations.                                 |
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| 3 | The governance processes are transparent.  |
|   | - Description of the governance system of the organisation. (max. 1,000 characters including spaces) |
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| 4 | The NGO uses results-oriented <i>corporate</i> planning, monitoring and reporting instruments. (max. 750 characters including spaces)                              |
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| 5 | The NGO has a well-established evaluation system.  (max. 750 characters including spaces)  |
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| 6 | The NGO has a well-established financial monitoring system.  |
|   | <ul> <li>Established accounting and audit procedures according to national and international standards.</li> <li>(max. 750 characters including spaces)</li> </ul> |
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## Part B: Summary of the international programme

| 1 | Context: general and related to relevant areas  - Key information on the context: particular situation in the concerned area as far as relevant for the intervention strategy and objectives; conditions in terms of development, policies, global challenges, localization, humanitarian and human rights situation and gender equality.  (max. 2,500 characters incl. spaces) |
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| 2 | Track record: key results achieved with international programmes co-financed by the SDC  - If not applicable, please indicate other relevant key results.  - Key results achieved in promoting access to Swiss expertise, innovation and services; working in the nexus; using the approach «leaving no one behind» (LNOB); promoting and respecting national ownership.  (max. 1,500 characters incl. spaces) |  |  |  |
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| 3 | Coherence of the <i>international programme</i> with the strategic priorities of the SDC  - Please refer to the development and humanitarian objectives of Switzerland's international cooperation and the SDC guidance for engagement with Swiss NGOs.  - Please refer to the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs.  (max. 2,000 characters incl. spaces) |
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| 4 | Strategic orientation of the international programme  |
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|   | - Relevance/rationale of the intervention and the difference it will make regarding poverty reduction /           |
|   | reduction of vulnerability, and leaving no one behind (LNOB).   |
|   | - Stakeholder assessment (including governments, civil society, private sector, interest groups, local partners). |
|   | - Target groups: beneficiaries, important aspects at stake for different groups, prospects and vision for         |
|   | the future.   |
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| 5   | Expected results of the international programme and resource allocation                          |              |   |  |
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|     | - Overall goal   |              |   |  |
|     | - Expected outcomes (max. 5 outcomes)  |              |   |  |
|     | - Indicators (max. 3 per outcome)  |              |   |  |
|     | - Outputs (max. 3 per outcome)   |              |   |  |
|     | - Allocation of the respective financial resources (in CHF and % of the international programme) |              |   |  |
|     | (max. 250 characters per outcome, output and indicator).   |              |   |  |
|     | Overall goal   |              |   |  |
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| 5.4 | Outcome 4  |            |   |
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# Intervention strategy - Rationale and description of the selected approach with reference to good practices and capitalisation of experience to increase feasibility. - Policies, structures and know-how which integrate an HRBA (human rights-based approach), gender equality, governance, and CSPM (conflict-sensitive project/programme management) and address the humanitarian-development-peace nexus. - Reflection on localising aid and development. - Approach to strengthening sustainability and promoting innovation. - Reflection on the promotion of localisation principles, equitable partnerships and cross-sectoral cooperation. - Reflection on the use of country systems. - Organisational structure of the intervention and its main action lines. (max. 3,500 characters incl. spaces)

| 7 | Resources needed for implementing the international programme  - Resources required in terms of personnel, technology, expertise and finance in relation to the objectives of the intervention.  - Contributions of national/local stakeholders, other donors and partners.  - Reflections on cost-effectiveness and minimisation of transaction costs.  - Requested contribution from the SDC, financial planning per year.  (max. 2,000 characters incl. spaces) |
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| 8 | Risk management of the international programme  - Main contextual, programmatic and institutional risks.  - Planned mitigation measures for main risks, their operationalisation and monitoring.  (max. 1,500 characters incl. spaces)  |
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| 9 | Monitoring and steering of the international programme  - Description of the results-oriented monitoring system with focus on outcome level, timing and responsibilities for results-oriented monitoring and steering.  - Timing and venues for steering.  - Reference to realized and planned reviews and evaluations.  (max. 2,000 characters incl. spaces) |
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