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<b>BUDGET INFORMATION</b>				
<b>12. Amounts concerned</b>	<p>Budget Line: 14.020120</p> <p>Total estimated cost: <b>EUR 90 000 000</b></p> <p>Total amount of EU budget contribution <b>EUR 90 000 000</b> of which</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>EUR 65 000 000</b> for budget support</li> <li><b>EUR 25 000 000</b> for complementary support</li> </ul> <p>The contribution is for an amount of EUR 79 687 595 from the general budget of the European Union for year N and for an amount of EUR 10 312 405 from the general budget of the European Union for N+1, subject to the availability of appropriations for the respective financial years following the adoption of the relevant annual budget, or as provided for in the system of provisional twelfths.</p>			
<b>MANAGEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION</b>				
<b>13. Type of financing</b>	<p><b>Direct management</b> through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Budget Support: State and Resilience Building Contract</li> <li>- Grants</li> <li>- Procurement</li> </ul> <p><b>Indirect management</b> with the entity to be selected in accordance with the criteria set out in section 4.4.3</p>			

## 1.2 Summary of the Action

**The main objective of the action is to** make Sierra Leone more prepared for and resilient against internal and external shocks, while safeguarding the environment and improving the education for future generations in line with the national development plan..

The Action (State Resilience and Building Contract) will provide much needed fiscal space and leverage key reforms, notably in Public Financial Management (PFM) and domestic resource mobilisation and basic social services. Improved governance and increased domestic resources will enhance the delivery of public services in the areas of food security, social protection, education and environmental protection, hence boosting the resilience of the population, particularly in the rural areas of the country. The Action is accompanied by direct support to rural communities around national parks and critical biodiversity areas, which will encourage environment-