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	Covid-19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BUDGET INFORMATION				
12. Amounts concerned	Budget line: 14 02 01 21 Total estimated cost: EUR 4 000 000 Total amount of EU budget contribution EUR 4 000 000			
MANAGEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION				
13. Type of financing	Direct management through: - Grants - Procurement Indirect management with the entity(ies) to be selected in accordance with the criteria set out in section 4.4.3			
14. Type of measure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cooperation facility <input type="checkbox"/> Measures in favour of Civil Society			

1.2 Summary of the Action

This Action will mobilize in a timely manner specialized expertise in a number of areas, including (but not limited to): identification and formulation of new actions; donor coordination and strategic communication. The Action will therefore contribute to increase the impact of ongoing and future EU-funded activities in Ethiopia, by supporting relevant and effective programmes, better donor coordination (including when acting in a Team Europe approach) and strategic communication activities designed to raise awareness, understanding and perception of the EU and its partnership with the country.

2 RATIONALE

2.1 Context

The Cooperation Facility under this MIP aims to support the preparation, implementation, monitoring, reporting and evaluation of the European Union's cooperation through specific actions via capacity development support and institutional capacity-building, assistance and exchange of public expertise, such as Technical Assistance and Information Exchange instrument of the European Commission (TAIEX) and Twinning.

The Facility will further support policy dialogue, events, conferences, studies, possibly fellowships, and exchange platforms backing sector dialogues leading to policy reforms and engagement with governments, civil society and other stakeholders. It may support activities to promote the triple nexus by ensuring coordination with humanitarian, development and peace actors as well as synergies and complementarity with their actions in the targeted areas. It may also contribute to EU Joint Programming and to support closer cooperation between EU services and with EU Member States in a Team Europe spirit.

The Strategic Communication component of the Action will focus on ensuring the EU's vision, interests and priorities in Ethiopia are known, understood and well perceived by both specialised and general public audiences.