

4.5 Scope of geographical eligibility for procurement and grants

The geographical eligibility in terms of place of establishment for participating in procurement and grant award procedures and in terms of origin of supplies purchased as established in the basic act and set out in the relevant contractual documents shall apply.

The Commission's authorising officer responsible may extend the geographical eligibility on the basis of urgency or of unavailability of services in the markets of the countries or territories concerned, or in other duly substantiated cases where application of the eligibility rules would make the realization of this action impossible or exceedingly difficult (Article 28(10) NDICI-Global Europe Regulation).

4.6 Indicative Budget

Indicative Budget components	EU contribution (amount in EUR)	Third party contribution (amount in EUR)
Budget support Sector Reform and Performance Contract covering Objective (1) Equitable and Inclusive Access and Objective (3) Improved management and institutional framework for ECD and PPE cf. section 4.3	13 000 000	
Implementation modalities – cf. section 4.4		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Objective (1) Equitable and Inclusive Access - Objective (2) Increased quality of teaching and learning in ECD and PPE - Objective (3) : Improve management and institutional framework for ECD and PPE composed of: 		
Procurement (direct management) – cf. section 4.4.1	1 200 000	
Indirect management with UNICEF – cf. section 4.4.2	1 500 000	300 000
Evaluation – cf. section 5.2 Audit – cf. section 5.3	100 000	
Contingencies	200 000	
TOTAL	16 000 000	300 000

4.7 Organisational Set-up and Responsibilities

The main responsibility for the implementation of the programme lies with the Government of Namibia, in particular the MoEAC and the MGEPSW which will be supported by the selected technical assistance team. The implementing partners will be responsible of the day-to-day management of the agreements and the implementation of activities.

The programme will be managed by the EUD in close cooperation with Namibian stakeholders. A Budget Support/programme Steering Committee established under the previous 11th EDF will be retained, but may be expanded to include new members including WFP.

As part of its prerogative of budget implementation and to safeguard the financial interests of the Union, the Commission may participate in the above governance structures set up for governing the implementation of the action.