

- (c) ‘Support Measures – Cooperation Facility for Bangladesh - Twinning: Strategic Partnership of Bangladesh’s Supreme Audit Institution (SAI) with EU SAI(s) set out in Annex III.

Article 2
Union contribution

The maximum Union contribution for the implementation of the measure for 2024 is set at EUR 52 000 000, and shall be financed from the appropriations entered in the budget line 14.020131 South and East Asia of the general budget of the Union.

The appropriations provided for in the first paragraph may also cover interest due for late payment.

Article 3
Flexibility clause

Increases or decreases of up to EUR 10 000 000 and not exceeding 20% of the contribution set in the first paragraph of Article 2, or cumulated changes⁷ to the allocations of specific actions not exceeding 20% of that contribution, as well as extensions of the implementation period shall not be considered substantial for the purposes of Article 110(5) of the Financial Regulation, where those changes do not significantly affect the nature and objectives of the actions.

The authorising officer responsible may apply the changes referred to in the first paragraph. Those changes shall be applied in accordance with the principles of sound financial management and proportionality.

Article 4
Methods of implementation and entrusted entities or persons

The implementation of the actions carried out by way of indirect management, as set out in the Annexes, may be entrusted to the entities or persons referred to or selected in accordance with the criteria laid down in point 4.4.1 of the Annexes I, II and III.

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For the Commission
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⁷ These changes can come from assigned revenue made available after the adoption of the financing decision.