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**ANNEX**

to the Commission Implementing Decision on the financing of the multiannual action plan in favour of Malaysia for 2021-2023

**Action Document for EU-Malaysia Cooperation Facility**

**MULTIANNUAL PLAN**

This document constitutes the multiannual work programme in the sense of Article 110(2) of the Financial Regulation, and action plans of Article 23 of NDICI-Global Europe Regulation.

## 1. SYNOPSIS

### 1.1. Action Summary Table

<b>1. Title</b> <b>CRIS/OPSYS</b> <b>business reference</b> <b>Basic Act</b>	EU-Malaysia Cooperation Facility CRIS number: NDICI ASIA/2021/43324, NDICI ASIA/2022/43403, NDICI ASIA/2023/43404 Financed under the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI-Global Europe)
<b>2. Team Europe Initiative</b>	No but coordination will be ensured with the ASEAN Team Europe Initiatives
<b>3. Zone benefiting from the action</b>	The action shall be carried out in Malaysia
<b>4. Programming document</b>	Multiannual Indicative Programme for Malaysia 2021-2027
<b>5. Link with relevant MIP(s) objectives/expected results</b>	The proposed action intends to <b>enhance the EU-Malaysia partnership</b> . The Cooperation Facility will support this objective by providing a facility for continuing and reinforcing EU-Malaysia relations and policy dialogue. It will promote an increased alignment between EU-Malaysia interests, principles, policies and values, complemented by increased awareness, understanding, trust, and approval of the EU and its role in the country, the region and the world. More specifically, the Facility will promote universal and shared values on human rights, gender equality, democracy, security, the environment, business and trade relations. By doing so it will deepen bilateral trade and investment relations, based on shared principles on sustainable production and consumption, strengthen environmental protection and conservation in Malaysia, while supporting climate change mitigation and adaptation and, more broadly, the implementation of the 2030 agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Furthermore, it will allow the EU to uphold universal Human Rights values, to better respond to global challenges and to build resilience in a flexible, forward-looking and strategic manner in its relationship with Malaysia and other partners.
<b>PRIORITY AREAS AND SECTOR INFORMATION</b>	