

11. Internal markers⁶ and Tags⁷:	Tags: digital connectivity digital governance digital entrepreneurship job creation digital skills/literacy digital services		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	Connectivity @ Tags: transport people2people energy digital connectivity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	Migration @ (methodology for tagging under development)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Reduction of Inequalities (methodology for marker and tagging under development)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Covid-19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BUDGET INFORMATION				
12. Amounts concerned	Budget line(s) (article, item): 14.020131- South and East Asia Total estimated cost: EUR 5 000 000 Total amount of EU budget contribution: EUR 5 000 000			
MANAGEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION				
13. Type of financing⁸	Direct management through Procurement.			

1.2. Summary of the Action

The “*Climate, Energy, Trade and Innovation Support*” action will bridge imminent funding gaps relating to ongoing initiatives⁹ financed under the Partnership Instrument which are about to end in December 2021/ Jan 2022. It will also enable to address new initiatives identified as priority actions following the EU-India Leaders Meeting on 8th May 2021. The support aims to ensure continuity and contribute to strengthening cooperation in strategic areas i.e. climate change, clean energy, trade and investment, business cooperation, innovation and digitalisation. This action will (i) reinforce cooperation between EU, EU Member States and India to ensure clean, affordable, reliable energy supply for all, in support of the EU – India Clean Energy and Climate Partnership (ii) strengthen trade and investment relations and (iii) enhance EU-India partnership on innovation and digitalisation. It will further support ongoing policy dialogues, create an enabling environment for new policy dialogues and support technical cooperation in the aforementioned sectors. This initiative will also support India's implementation of its **Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC)** and will contribute to improving resilience to the detrimental impact of climate change in the country. The action is also framed by the EU circular economy action plan which has the potential to offer opportunities to boost the EU's competitiveness and foster sustainable economic growth. It will contribute to fostering

⁶ The internal markers have been created to report on the implementation of the Commission's own policy priorities in areas where no DAC reporting tool is available. For the sake of consistency and comparability, the methodology is equivalent to the DAC markers, with three possible positions (main target, significant target, not targeted)

⁷ Methodology for additional tagging providing granularity on internal markers is under development.

⁸ Art. 27 NDICI

⁹ Support to the India-EU Clean Energy and Climate Partnership (2018-21)