

	digital entrepreneurship digital skills/literacy digital services	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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	Covid-19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BUDGET INFORMATION				
12. Amounts concerned	Budget line(s) (article, item): BGUE-B2024-14.020132 Total estimated cost: EUR 1 400 000 Total amount of EU budget contribution EUR 1 400 000			
MANAGEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION				
13. Type of financing	Indirect management with the entity(ies) to be selected in accordance with the criteria set out in section 4.3.1			
14. Type of measure	<input type="checkbox"/> Cooperation facility <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Measures in favour of Civil Society			

1.2 Summary of the Action

The proposed Action ‘Strengthening PNG Civil Society’ contributes to the Multi-Annual Indicative Programme (MIP) for Papua New Guinea (PNG) 2021-2027 with a main emphasis on priority area 3, ‘Transparent and Accountable Governance’ but also focusing on priority area 1 ‘Forestry, Climate Change and Biodiversity’ and priority area 2 ‘WASH in connection with Human Development’.

This Action aims to build on the achievements and weaknesses identified during the implementation of NDICI CSO and NDICI HR thematic programmes in PNG and will continue to build the capacities of locally based civil society organizations and grassroots NGOs at national, provincial, districts and community levels. This Action will further reinforce the EU’s leading role in promoting accountable governance, notably through the EU-PNG Partnership for Good Governance (11th EDF), which promotes capacity building and institutional strengthening of implementing partners.

The general objective of this Action is to increase the capacities of local civil society organizations to underpin the achievements of expected result areas of the three priority areas in the MIP.

The specific objectives of the Action are therefore focus on the three priority areas of the MIP 2021-2027 where:

1. The capacities of national and local CSOs are strengthened to operate as an agent for inclusive sustainable development in PNG contributing to the three key priority areas of the MIP.