

Ms Nina Horg Thoresen Ministry of Health and Care Services Teatergata, 9 N-0030 Oslo Norway

Ref: ADM/DS/vd (16) D 1060

Date: 3 march 2016

Subject: Adjustment to the annual contribution of the Kingdom of Norway to the EMCDDA 2016 budget

Dear Ms Thoresen,

Pursuant to the usual procedure, I am addressing you to submit the EMCDDA's request for the payment of the annual contribution of the Kingdom of Norway to the EMCDDA 2016 budget.

This contribution amounts to **EUR 389 962.64** and you may find enclosed herewith the debit note required by our Financial regulation to process the request for payment.

The aforementioned amount has been calculated in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Agreement in force between the Kingdom of Norway and the European Union and it takes into account the amount in the EMCDDA 2016 budget, as adopted by the EMCDDA Management Board in December 2015.

The EMCDDA Management Board will consider and eventually adopt an amendment to the 2016 budget In October. Should the adoption of this amendment affect the amount of your 2016 contribution, we shall promptly proceed to the corrective measures required and address you for this purpose.

We would also like to provide you some preliminary information about the estimated amount of the contribution of Norway to the EMCDDA 2017 budget. According to the 2017 EMCDDA Preliminary draft budget, the Norway contribution will be the same as in 2016, i.e. **EUR 389 962.64**. We hope and trust that this information may facilitate the operations required to enter the necessary appropriations in your national budget.

Finally I would like to thank you for the excellent co-operation.

Yours sincerely,

Dante Storti

Head of Administration unit

Annex: Debit Note nr 4440160013



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Justification o	f the	debit	note
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Attachment

Deadline	Exclusively by banker's order to the account	Reference to be quoted	Currency	Amount
18/04/2016	ING Ing Belgium Rue du Champ de Mars 23 B-1050 Brussels-BELGIQUE IBAN Code : BE42363105915754 SWIFT BIC Code : BBRUBEBB	4440160013	EUR	389,962.64

Terms of payment:

- 1. All bank charges are payable by you, except where Directive 2007/64/EC on payment services in the internal market applies.
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 2. Where the other party has claims on the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction that are certain, of a fixed amount and due, the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction reserves the right, after giving prior notification, to effect recovery by offsetting.

 3. If the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction's account is not credited by the deadline, interest will be payable on the entitlement established by the European Union at the rate applied by the European Central Bank to its principal refinancing operations as published in the C Series of the Official Journal of the European Union, in force on the first calendar day of the month in which the deadline falls, namely 04-2016 + 3.5 percentage points.

 4. If the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction's account is not credited by the deadline, the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction shall:

call in any financial guarantee lodged in advance;

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