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Ref: ADM/DS/vd (16) D 1345

Date: 01 December 2016

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

Dear Ms Thoresen,

I am addressing you to inform you that on 18 November 2016 the EMCDDA Management Board adopted an amending budget (2016 EMCDDA Amending budget 1) which entails a residual increase in the contribution of the Kingdom of Norway to the EMCDDA 2016 budget, as initially adopted by the EMCDDA Management Board.

This increase amounts to EUR 3 177.99 and it is the result of a reduction of the budget appropriations earmarked for the 2016 co-financing to the Reitox national focal point. With this increase, the total contribution of the Kingdom of Norway to the EMCDDA 2016 budget will amount to EUR 393 140.63

With regard to the above you may find enclosed herewith a debit note of EUR 3 177.99, as required by our financial regulation to request of this expense. We would highly appreciate that this payment may be processed at your earliest possible convenience.

Concerning the possible amount of the contribution of the Kingdom of Norway to the EMCDDA 2017 budget, please note that at this stage we can estimate that this contribution is likely to amount to EUR 400 565.

Without prejudice to the formal confirmation of this amount, I hope and trust that this information may facilitate the operations required to enter the necessary appropriations in your national budget.

Yours sincerely,



Dante Storti  
Head of Administration unit

Annex: Debit Note Nr 4440160066



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**Contract or file number**

NORWAY CONTRIBUTION 2016 - AMENDING BUDGET

**Prior information**

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01/12/2016 (Thursday 01 December 2016)

**Justification of the debit note**

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**Attachment**

Deadline	Exclusively by banker's order to the account	Reference to be quoted	Currency	Amount
02/01/2017	BBVA Av da Liberdade, 222 P-1250-148 Lisboa-PORTUGAL IBAN Code : PT50001900010020016904908 SWIFT BIC Code : BBVAPTPLXXX	4440160066	EUR	3,177.99

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1. All bank charges are payable by you, except where Directive 2007/64/EC on payment services in the internal market applies.
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 01-2017 + 8 percentage points.
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