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Subject: 619285-EPP-1-2020-1-FI-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP
Ref: SUSPENSION OF THE IMPLEMENTATION

Dear Professor Lindblom,

We acknowledge receipt of the letter dated 05/04/2022 with which Vice-Rector Prof. Hanna Snellman and project coordinator Dr. Hanna K. Lappalainen informed the Agency of the decision to suspend the implementation of your grant agreement due to exceptional circumstances - force majeure (the war in Ukraine) - that made the implementation impossible or excessively difficult.

We consider that such notification has been made in line with Article II.16.1 of the Grant Agreement.

We take note that the suspension concerns the totality of your project. The suspension takes effect from the date mentioned in the letter 24/02/22, which is the date of the start of the war. We understand that the expected date of resumption is 01/01/2023.

Once the circumstances allow resuming the implementation of the action, the coordinator shall inform the Agency immediately and present a request for amendment of the grant agreement (signed by the Legal Representative) as provided for in its Article II.16.3, together with the desired date of resumption and if appropriate, the required adaptation of the implementation of the action. Please note that, if the requested amendment puts into question the award decision or the equality of treatment, the grant agreement would have to be terminated.

Any costs incurred by the beneficiaries, during the period of suspension, are ineligible and shall not be reimbursed or covered by the grant. The project's objectives and maximum grant amount shall not be affected as a result of the suspension.

Should you require any further information, please contact Lucia Giannini (Tel: +32 2 29 85304, e-mail: Lucia.Giannini@ec.europa.eu and eacea-eplus-cbhe-projects@ec.europa.eu). We also encourage you to regularly consult our Erasmus+ CBHE website https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/beneficiaries-space/capacity-building-in-higher-education_en.

Yours sincerely,

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