

**Amendment 1  
to Partnership Agreement  
for  
donor partnership project**

between

**Gymnázium, Ul. 17. Novembra 1180, Topoľčany**  
Ul. 17. Novembra 1180/16, 955 01 Topoľčany, Slovakia

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hereinafter referred to as the “Project Promoter”

and

**Råholt ungdomsskole**

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hereinafter referred to individually as a “Party” and collectively as the “Parties”

**for the implementation of the Project  
“ Environmental research in indoor and outdoor educational zone”  
funded under the Norwegian Financial Mechanism Programme  
*ACC Climate change mitigation and adaptation***

PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT AMENDMENT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Preamble referring the introductory provisions for the Project background (Project Contract, Programme Operator) added as new paragraph with the following wording:

*“PREAMBLE:*

1. *The Parties specified in this Partnership Agreement conclude this Agreement with the aim together implement the project called “Environmental research in indoor and outdoor educational zone” (hereinafter referred to as “the Project”).*
2. *The Project was supported under the Programme “Climate change mitigation and adaptation” (SK-Climate Programme) within the small grant scheme call for project proposals with a code ACC03, co-financed by the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014 – 2021 and the state budget of the Slovak Republic. The Project was assigned the number ACC03P02.*
3. *ACC03P02.*
4. *Project contracting Parties are “Gymnázium, Ul. 17. novembra 1180, Topoľčany” as Project Promoter and Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic as SK-Climate Programme Operator (hereinafter referred to as the “Programme Operator”).”*

2. The Amendment 1 modifies Article 6 “Project budget and eligibility of expenditures” in accordance with the following provisions:

„Indirect costs of the Partner are not claimed under the Project. Method of its calculation is set out in accordance with Regulation Article 8.5.1 (c) as a flat rate of up to 15% of direct eligible staff costs without there being a requirement for the Programme Operator to perform a calculation to determine the applicable rate set out in the Annex 2.

3. The Amendment 1 modifies the changes of the Project budget and eligibility to expenditures in the Annex 2 as follows:

**Annex 2 - amended**

**Project budget and eligibility to expenditures**

<b>Activity/ Subject</b>	<b>Project Promoter</b>	<b>Project Partner 1</b> (Constantine the Philosopher University in Nitra)	<b>Project Partner 2</b> (Råholt ungdomsskole, Norway)	<b>Total</b>
<b>Project management</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Activity 1</b> Preparation of educational materials and teaching aids on climate change mitigation and adaptation	0	5 000	0	5 000
<b>Activity 2</b> Revitalization of the school garden into	10 439	0	0	5 500

an ecological classroom with an external nature trail				
<b>Activity 3</b> Construction of insect houses and ecological gardening in the school garden	4 461	0	0	5 000
<b>Activity 4</b> Building an indoor learning zone with an aquarium and vertical gardens	3 600	0	0	5 000
<b>Activity 5</b> Installation of waste separation equipment (separated waste containers) construction of a composter in the school garden	2 000	0	0	5 000
<b>Activity 6</b> Organization of environmental events, lectures, workshops, competitions and exhibitions at school. Implementation of teaching materials and their verification in the conditions of the educational process.	5 500	0	0	5 500
<b>Activity 7</b> Publicity and supporting activities	10 000	0	0	10 000
<b>Total</b>	<b>36 000</b>	<b>5 000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41 000</b>

4. Currency exchange rules for Project Partner expenditure and its reimbursement added in the Article 7 *Financial management and payment arrangements* as new paragraph No.2 with the following wording:

*“2. The reporting currency of incurred expenditure set by the Programme Operator is euro. The conversion exchange rate for establishing incurred expenditure in the local currency of the Project Partner, residing in state that have not adopted the euro currency, is set by the Programme Operator as follows:*

*Expenditure incurred by the Partner/Promoter, in any other currency than euro, shall be converted into the reporting currency according to the valid exchange rate as recorded by the European Central Bank, valid on day/month in which the expenditure was incurred.*

*In case the Partner/ Promoter keeps bookkeeping in other currency than in euro, the Partner is required, in the List of accounting documents, to recalculate the total amount of expenditure to euro currency using currency exchange rules set by the Programme Operator. Such expenditure will be eligible up to a maximum amount so converted in euro.”*

*The exchange rate risk bears the Project Promoter.*

This Amendment constitutes an integral part of the Agreement and shall enter into force on the date of the last signature by the Parties. It shall remain in force until the Project Partner has discharged in full its obligations towards the Project Promoter as defined in the Agreement.

This Agreement has been prepared in three originals, of which each Party has received, Programme Operator including.

For the Project Promoter

For the Project Partner

Signed in..... on .....

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PaedDr. Martina Mazáňová, Phd.

Ms. Rigmor S. Strøm