WORK PROGRAMME FOR GRANTS
of the Delegation of the European Union to Thailand
for Aid to Uprooted People Programme Thailand

1. Basic act and/or Financing source

The legal basis for activities under Aid to Uprooted People Programme Thailand is provided by Council Regulation (EU) N° 233/2014.

This action will be financed by budget line 21 02 02 00.

2. Objectives of the programme, priorities for 2016 and expected results

The objective of the Call for Proposals under Aid to Uprooted People Programme Thailand is to contribute to a long-term solution to the challenges encountered by the Myanmar refugees in Thailand.

Key expected results include:

1) Continued access to basic services (livelihoods, health, education, water & sanitation) for refugees in the nine camps along the Thai-Myanmar border and their hosting communities, leading to self-reliant and sustainable outcomes.

2) Improved camp governance through sector-based interventions, leading to more self-reliant and empowered encamped refugees, including the most vulnerable.

3) Improved preparedness for a sustainable voluntary return, in line with international standards (spontaneous and promoted return).

3. Eligibility conditions

In order to be eligible for a grant, the applicants must:

- be a legal person and
- be non-profit-making and
- be a non-governmental organisation, public sector operator, local authority, international (inter-governmental) organisation as defined by Article 43 of the Rules of application of the EU Financial Regulation¹ and
- be registered² in one of the eligible countries set for the DCI Regulation under the Art. 9 of the CIR Regulation³. This obligation does not apply to international organisations and

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¹ International organisations are international public-sector organisations set up by intergovernmental agreements as well as specialised agencies set up by them; the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) and the International Federation of National Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies are also recognised as international organisations.

² To be determined on the basis of the organisation’s statutes, which should demonstrate that it has been established by an instrument governed by the national law of the country concerned and that its head office is located in an eligible country. In this
- be directly responsible for the preparation and management of the action with the co-applicant(s) and affiliated entity(ies), not acting as an intermediary

The details will be further specified in the Guidelines for Grant Applicants.

4. Selection and award criteria

The evaluation will be carried out in accordance with the procedures set out in the Practical Guide.

5. Maximum rate of European Union financing

The European Union will co-finance its contribution to the actions at the maximum 80% of the total eligible costs of the action.

The balance must be financed from the applicant's or partners' own resources, or from sources other than the European Community budget.

6. Indicative time-schedule of calls for proposals

The call for proposals is foreseen to be launched in the first quarter of 2016.

7. Indicative amount of calls for proposals

The overall indicative amount made available under this Call for Proposals will be EUR 7 500 000.

The Contracting Authority reserves the right not to award all available funds.

respect, any legal entity whose statutes have been established in another country cannot be considered an eligible local organisation, even if the statutes are registered locally or a ‘Memorandum of Understanding’ has been concluded.

3 DCI REGULATION (EU) No 233/2014 of 11 March 2014 establishing a financing instrument for development cooperation for the period 2014-2020 and CIR REGULATION (EU) No 236/2014 of 11 March 2014 laying down common rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for financing external action. Both regulations are available under the following web link: http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=OJ:L:2014:077:TOC The countries eligible are listed in the general PRAG annex a2a_ RULES ON PARTICIPATION IN PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES AND GRANTS, refer to Section II 1) Eligible countries for DCI:

- EU Member States
- IPA II beneficiaries
- European Economic Area
- Developing countries and territories, (included in the OECD-DAC list of ODA recipients), which are not members of the G-20 group
- overseas countries and territories (see annex II TFUE)
- Not Applicable
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- Countries for which a reciprocal access to external assistance is established by the Commission.