

**Agreement to the “Baltic Sea Region Programme 2014-2020”  
and commitment to provide co-financing**

Having regard to Article 8(9) of REGULATION (EU) No 1299/2013 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 17 December 2013 on specific provisions for the support from the European Regional Development fund to the European territorial cooperation goal (OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 259)

the Republic of Latvia, presented by the Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development,

hereby confirms its agreement to the contents of the following Cooperation Programme under the European territorial cooperation goal:

**“Baltic Sea Region Programme 2014-2020”**  
as approved by the Joint Programming Committee of the Programme  
in [place] on [date].

Moreover, the Republic of Latvia commits to provide the co-financing necessary to implement the “Baltic Sea Region Programme 2014-2020”. The co-financing of operations is the responsibility of beneficiaries. Depending on country-specific provisions, the co-financing can be provided from the national/federal level as well as from regional or local sources. The co-financing of private partners can also be provided from private sources.

Concerning the co-financing of the budget allocated to the priority axis “technical assistance”, national/regional authorities of the Member State or Partner Country shall provide the co-financing required. The co-financing is specified in the Annex and the financing plan of the Cooperation Programme.

The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development

Place and date:

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Name(s) and function(s) of the undersigned:

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Signature(s)

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Annex to the Agreement to the "Baltic Sea Regiona Programme 2014-2020"

**National commitment and co-financing (in Euros) to the Technical Assistance (TA)**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Commitment (as of 20.05.2014)</b>	<b>ERDF/NOR TA co-financing = 6% of commitment (75%)</b>	<b>National TA co-financing (25%)</b>
	A	B = (0.06 * A)	C = (25/75) * B
Denmark	20,205,291	1,212,317	404,106
Estonia	5,533,906	332,034	110,678
Finland	29,190,652	1,751,439	583,813
Germany	72,629,948	4,357,797	1,452,599
Latvia	7,945,883	476,753	158,918
Lithuania	13,853,812	831,229	277,076
Poland	66,859,658	4,011,579	1,337,193
Sweden	47,611,508	2,856,690	952,230
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>263,830,658</b>	<b>15,829,839</b>	<b>5,276,613</b>
Norway <sup>1</sup>	6,000,000	360,000	120,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>269,830,658</b>	<b>16,189,839</b>	<b>5,396,613</b>

<sup>1</sup> The Kingdom of Norway commits to provide the necessary national Norwegian funding and co-financing, subject to the budget authority adopting the annual funds.