**INTER-AMERICAN AGENCY FOR** OEA/Ser.W

**COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT** AICD/JD/doc.191/21

**MEETING OF THE MANAGEMENT BOARD** 27 October 2021

 Original: Spanish

REPLY FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT FOR INTEGRAL DEVELOPMENT TO THE CHAIR MANAGEMENT BOARD OF THE IACD, CONCERNING THE INCLUSION OF
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES AS A BENEFICIARY OF THE 2021-2024 PROGRAMMING CYCLE OF THE DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION FUND

Further to the note sent by the Chair concerning the decision by the members of the Management Board of the Inter-American Agency for Cooperation and Development to include Saint Vincent and the Grenadines as a beneficiary of the 2021-2024 Programming Cycle of the Development Cooperation Fund (DCF) (document IACD/JD/INF.78/21 [English](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=AICD/JD/INF&classNum=78&lang=e) - [Spanish](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=AICD/JD/INF&classNum=78&lang=s)) and, pursuant to instructions to take the relevant measures to effect the inclusion, the Secretariat for Integral Development proposes the following action:

Pursuant to Article 13 of the DCF Statutes, add the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000.00) to the approved seed fund amount of $1.7 million, for a total of $1.8 million for the 2021-2024 programming cycle. Including St. Vincent and the Grenadines as a beneficiary country would therefore bring to 18 the total the number of countries participating in the 2021-2024 DCF programming cycle.

Reference documents:

* Note from the Permanent Mission of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines to the Management Board of the Inter-American Agency for Cooperation and Development (IACD), requesting the inclusion of its country as a beneficiary of the 2021-2024 Programming Cycle of the Development Cooperation Fund

Document:  AICD/JD/INF.77/21  [Spanish](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=AICD/JD/INF&classNum=77&lang=s) – [English](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=AICD/JD/INF&classNum=77&lang=e)

* Eligibility and Budget with the Area of Action and Program Themes for the OAS Development Cooperation Fund Programming Cycle 2021-2024.

Document: (CIDI/doc.304/20 rev. 1 [Spanish](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=cidi/doc.&classNum=304&lang=s) - [English](http://scm.oas.org/IDMS/Redirectpage.aspx?class=cidi/doc.&classNum=304&lang=e))

CIDRP03422E06