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Subject: Suspension of the participation of Crimean University for the Humanities in the Tempus IV project *DIMTEGU* 530360-TEMPUS-1-2012-1-GE-TEMPUS-JPCR

Dear Professor PAPA VA

Dear Ms TVALTVADZE,

Following the illegal occupation and annexation of Crimea and Sevastopol by the Russian Federation and the consecutive change in the legal status of the organisations from the region, we hereby inform you that EACEA, based on articles II.14 and II.15.2 of the Grant Agreement read in conjunction with article 1148 of the Belgian civil code, has decided to suspend the participation of Crimean University for the Humanities within the Tempus IV project *DIMTEGU* 530360-TEMPUS-1-2012-1-GE-TEMPUS-JPCR.

The recent events concerning the illegal occupation and annexation are an unforeseeable and exceptional event which corresponds to a case of force majeure. The EACEA's decision is in line with the EU position reflected in the Council conclusions on Ukraine.

Based on the above, a letter confirming the suspension has been sent to the contact person of Crimean University for the Humanities, copied to you.

The suspension will enter into force as of the reception of this letter and will last until the end of the eligibility period, namely 14 October 2015.

As a consequence, in the framework of the Tempus IV project *DIMTEGU* 530360-TEMPUS-1-2012-1-GE-TEMPUS-JPCR, no further activities and/or commitment of expenditure will be carried out with/in favour of Crimean University for the Humanities during the suspension period.

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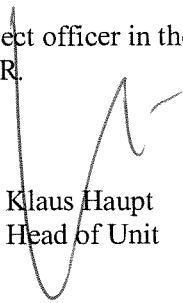
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As a consequence of this suspension, you are requested to provide the EACEA within two months from the reception of this letter, with:

1. a cost statement concerning all expenditure already incurred by or in favour of your Crimean partner(s), as identified in the subject, for project activities already carried out
2. a financial balance of all expenditure already committed (and not yet paid) for the benefit of your Crimean partner(s), as identified in the subject, for project activities already planned
3. information on any transfer of funds to your Crimean partner(s), as identified in the subject, for project activities not yet carried out;
4. an indication of the remaining part of the grant foreseen to be used by/for your Crimean partner(s), as identified in the subject, during the remaining contractual period. Please note that the corresponding amount will be frozen during the suspension period and, if applicable, deducted from any further payment.

In addition, the project partnership is invited to assess the impact of this suspension on the project activities and, if applicable, to provide the EACEA with a revised work programme and budget distribution.

Should you need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact the project officer in the EACEA in charge of *DIMTEGU 530360-TEMPUS-1-2012-1-GE-TEMPUS-JPCR*.



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CC: NEO Ukraine