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TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR WORK UNDER THE AUSPICES OF IMPEL	

1. Work type and title

1.1 Identify which Expert Team this needs to go to for initial consideration	
Industry	<input type="checkbox"/>
Waste and TFS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water and land	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nature protection	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Cross-cutting – tools and approaches -	<input type="checkbox"/>
1.2 Type of work you need funding for	
Exchange visits	<input type="checkbox"/>
Peer reviews (e.g. IRI)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Conference	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Development of tools/guidance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Comparison studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Assessing legislation (checklist)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please describe):	<input type="checkbox"/>
1.3 Full name of work (enough to fully describe what the work area is)	
<p>-Research and recommendation of the best way to exchange Information, including intelligence, about Illegal Killing and Catching Birds (project IKB) and infringements according to EU Timber regulation between authorities and NGO's.</p> <p>- Implementation of this best choice in order to improve information exchange between authorities IMPEL members and NGO's in these cross- border crimes.</p>	
1.4 Abbreviated name of work or project	
Project IKB exchange of intelligence between authorities and NGO's	

2. Outline business case (why this piece of work?)

2.1 Name the legislative driver(s) where they exist (name the Directive, Regulation, etc.)

- Bird directive 2007/149/EC
- Habitat directive 92/43/EEC
- National Flora and Fauna legislation in each MS
- EU Timber regulation

2.2 Link to IMPEL MASP priority work areas

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| 1. Assist members to implement new legislation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Build capacity in member organisations through the IMPEL Review Initiatives | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Work on 'problem areas' of implementation indentified by IMPEL and the European Commission | X |

2.3 Why is this work needed? (background, motivations, aims, etc.)

IKB crimes are, in many cases, a Cross border problem and Enforcement is scattered (even in MS) Information and Intelligence are drivers for a good Enforcement. There is a need to gather and exchange information and Intelligence. In the field of combatting Illegal Killing of Birds NGO's also provide information. It is important that there is a platform were this information can be shared between authorities and NGO's. This Platform can also be used for sharing information about infringements according to Timber regulation.

The aim is to improve the way (method) to exchange and share information with other EU MS Enforcement teams and NGO's working in the field of IKB and EU Timber regulation.

2.4 Desired outcome of the work (what do you want to achieve? What will be better / done differently as a result of this project?)

In 2016 we established a controlled mailing list based on protocols and appointments with authorities and umbrella organisation (f.i. Birdlife Europe) for the exchange of information on criminal activities, seizures, etc. according illegal killing of birds and EU timber regulation, In 2016 we developed protocols and appointments, develop and launch of mailing list, communication strategy. It is based on the success of existing tools, such as EU TWIX mailing list.

In 2016 we also build the website www.IMPEL-ESIX.eu

In 2017 we continued to develop the website and fill it with relevant content. We also continue to establish a medium to share and exchange Information and Intelligence on IKB an EU Timber regulation. We extended the number of participants to 200. During a meeting of Commission , during CMS/MIKT meeting in Malta and at four network conference in Oxford we were able to ask more attention for IMPEL-ESIX.

In 2016 and 2017 information about infringements was presented at the website and there were already cases were the moderator was able to bring information about crime cases that was received from NGO's to authorities/enforcement bodies in other countries.

A better exchange of the information and Intelligence will certainly improve Enforcement in this field. For 2018 is the challenge to establish IMPEL-ESIX by the growth in participants as well from NGO's as authorities. Also structural funding of IMPEL-ESIX by other financial means than IMPEL project budget will be explored in 2018.

2.5 Does this project link to any previous or current IMPEL projects? (state which projects and how they are related)

-IMPEL Management team on Nature Protection
-Project IKB

3. Structure of the proposed activity

3.1 Describe the activities of the proposal (what are you going to do and how?)

1. Manage the controlled mailing list based on protocols and appointments with authorities and umbrella organisation (f.i. Birdlife Europe) for the exchange of information on criminal activities, seizures, etc. according illegal killing of birds and EU timber regulation,
2. Manage the website with information according to wildlife crime with a focus on illegal killing of birds,
3. Work with consultant for supercharge (“aanjagen”) to control the access-list, fill the website with relevant content and further administration,
4. Follow-up; explore funding possibilities; decision making; establish this tool within IMPEL/MS/other authorities,

3.2 Describe the products of the proposal (what are you going to produce in terms of output / outcome?)

Tool to improve Information Exchange on IKB and possibility to create a way to exchange Intelligence between authorities and NGO’s within the possibilities of the Law

3.3 Describe the milestones of this proposal (how will you know if you are on track to complete the work on time?)

1. Contract consultant
2. Communication to extend number of participants of the mailing list,
3. Supercharge (“aanjagen”) participants,

3.4 Risks (what are the potential risks for this project and what actions will be put in place to mitigate these?)

Potential risk is to create something that already exists. The research will first point out to already existing systems and the possibilities to uses these

4. Organisation of the work

4.1 Lead (who will lead the work: name, organisation and country) – this must be confirmed prior to submission of the TOR to the General Assembly)

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4.2 Project team (who will take part: name, organisation and country)

This is the advisory board,
-participant 1-Romania
-participant 2-Netherlands
-participant 3-Slovenia
-participant 1- Birdlife
-participant 2- FACE
-participant 3- NGO

4.3 Other IMPEL participants (name, organisation and country)

All members of the Expert team on nature protection are involved in development of this project.

4.4. Other non-IMPEL participants (name, organisation and country)

-EU TWIX/Traffic (t.b.c.)
-Representative of Birdlife and/or FACE

5. High level budget projection of the proposal. In case this is a multi-year project, identify future requirements as much as possible

	Year 1 (exact)	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
How much money do you require from IMPEL?	30350	20000 (max)	20000 (max)	20000 (max)
How much money is to be co-financed				
Total budget	30350	20000 (max)	20000 (max)	20000 (max)

6. Detailed event costs of the work for year 1

	Travel € (max €360 per return journey)	Hotel € (max €90 per night)	Catering € (max €25 per day)	Total costs €
Event 1	2160	540	150	2160+540+150=2850
<i>Coreteam meeting 1-consultation EU TWIX</i>				
<i>March 2018</i>				
<i>Brussels</i>				
<i><6 participants ></i>				
<i><1 nights></i>				
Event 2				
<i><Type of event></i>				
<i><Data of event></i>				
<i><Location></i>				
<i><No. of participants></i>				
<i><No. of days/nights></i>				
Event 3				
<i><Type of event></i>				
<i><Data of event></i>				
<i><Location></i>				
<i><No. of participants></i>				
<i><No. of days/nights></i>				
Total costs for all events	2160	540	150	2850

7. Detailed other costs of the work for year 1

7.1 Are you using a consultant?	Yes
7.2 What are the total costs for the consultant?	40 weeks X 2 days X 5 hrs X 50 euro=20.000
7.3 Who is paying for the consultant?	IMPEL
7.4. What will the consultant do?	The outcome of the project is a controlled mailing list based on protocols and appointments with authorities and umbrella organisation (f.i. Birdlife Europe) for the exchange of information on criminal activities, seizures, etc. according illegal killing of birds, timber regulation.

	The consultant will prepare the approval of protocols and appointments, take care of technical access to the mailing list, communication, administration of participants, and supercharge ("aanjagen").
7.5 Are there any additional costs?	7.500 euro
7.6 What are the additional costs for?	Technical cost and cost to improve the mailing list and website
7.7 Who is paying for the additional costs?	IMPEL
7.8. Are you seeking other funding sources?	Yes
7.9 Do you need budget for communications around the project? If so, describe what type of activities and the related costs	Yes, PM for promotion of IMPEL-ESIX

8. Communication and follow-up (checklist)

	What		By when
8.1 Indicate which communication materials will be developed throughout the project and when <i>(all to be sent to the communications officer at the IMPEL secretariat)</i>	TOR ✓ *	x	
	Interim report ✓ *	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Project report ✓ *	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Progress report(s) ✓	x	
	Press releases	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	News items for the website ✓ *	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	News items for the e-newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Project abstract ✓ *	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	IMPEL at a Glance ✓	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other, (give details): -proposal	x	
8.2 Milestones / Scheduled meetings (for the website diary)	Workshop in february 2017		
8.3 Images for the IMPEL	No		

image bank	
8.4 Indicate which materials will be translated and into which languages	-
8.5 Indicate if web-based tools will be developed and if hosting by IMPEL is required	Yes, will be investigated
8.6 Identify which groups/institutions will be targeted and how	-Yes, will be investigated
8.7 Identify parallel developments / events by other organisations, where the project can be promoted	-Yes, will be investigated

✓) Templates are available and should be used. *) Obligatory

9. Remarks

Is there anything else you would like to add to the Terms of Reference that has not been covered above?

*In case of doubts or questions please contact the
IMPEL Secretariat.*

*Draft and final versions need to be sent to the
IMPEL Secretariat in word format, not in PDF.*

Thank you.

