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Re: Extension of the certificate n° OXI-CER-2018-003

The present letter is to confirm that the validity of the certificate **OXI-CER-2018-003** will be extended for a period of 6 months. This decision is taken in consideration of the extraordinary circumstances related to the ongoing pandemic of COVID-19, and its impact on the capacities of the organisation and HQAI's ability to visit country programme sites. This extension is provided in conformity with IAF ID 3:2011 regulations (IAF Informative Document For Management of Extraordinary Events or Circumstances Affecting ABs, CABs and Certified Organisations).

The certificate OXI-CER-2018-003, originally expired on 2nd July 2022, is thus valid until **2nd January 2023.** This is to allow HQAI to complete the recertification process.

Note that the recertification audit should be completed (decision on renewal of certification taken) before this date. If granted, the renewed certification will be based on the original recertification cycle.

Yours sincerely,

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