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Re: Extension of the certificate n° SOSCVI-CHS-23-05

The present letter is to confirm that the validity of the certificate SOSCVI-CHS-23-05 will be extended for a period of three (3) months. This decision is taken in consideration of the extraordinary circumstances related to the sector-wide funding instability and to allow sufficient time for the organisation to navigate its ongoing change process and properly prepare towards a planned expansion of the audit scope to include other SOS entities.

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 SOSCVI-CHS-23-05, originally expiring on 27 June 2026, is thus valid until **27 September 2026**.

Please note that the renewal audit should be completed (i.e. decision on renewal of certification taken) before this date. If granted, the new certification audit cycle will start from the original date.

Yours sincerely,

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