
FDTF GRANT NUMBER TF0C5409

**Multi-Donor Trust Fund for Forced
Displacement
Grant Agreement**

(Support for Social Recovery Needs of Vulnerable Groups Phase II)

between

**INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION
AND DEVELOPMENT/INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION**

acting as administrator of the Multi-Donor Trust Fund for Forced Displacement

and

INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE, INC.

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**MULTI-DONOR TRUST FUND FOR FORCED DISPLACEMENT
GRANT AGREEMENT**

AGREEMENT dated as of the Signature Date between INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE (“Recipient”), a global humanitarian aid, relief, and development nongovernmental organization, for the benefit of the Lebanese Republic, and INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT/INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (“Bank”), acting as an implementing agency of the Multi-Donor Trust Fund for Forced Displacement.

WHEREAS (A) the Recipient and the World Bank, in its capacity as the administrator of the Lebanon Financing Facility for Reform, Recovery and Reconstruction Multi-Donor Trust Fund (No. TF0B7390) entered into a grant agreement for the purpose of providing financing in the amount of five million United States Dollars (US\$5,000,000) (“LFF Grant”) to the Recipient to assist in financing the phase I of the Project on terms and conditions set forth therein (“LFF Grant Agreement”);

(B) the Recipient, having satisfied itself as to the feasibility and priority of the Project, by a letter dated May 21, 2024, requested the Bank to assist with the financing of Phase II support of activities related to the Project and described in Schedule 1 to this Agreement;

(C) the Bank has agreed, on the basis, *inter alia*, of the foregoing, to extend to the Recipient a grant for the benefit of the Lebanese Republic upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, the Recipient and the Bank hereby agree as follows:

**Article I
Standard Conditions; Definitions**

- 1.01. The Standard Conditions (as defined in the Appendix to this Agreement) apply to and form part of this Agreement.
- 1.02. Unless the context requires otherwise, the capitalized terms used in this Agreement have the meanings ascribed to them in the Standard Conditions or in the Appendix this Agreement.

Article II
The Project

- 2.01. The Recipient declares its commitment to the objective of the project described in Schedule 1 to this Agreement (“Project”). To this end, the Recipient shall carry out the Project in accordance with the provisions of Article II of the Standard Conditions and Schedule 2 to this Agreement.

Article III
The Grant

- 3.01. The Bank agrees to extend to the Recipient a grant in an amount not to exceed five million six hundred thousand United States Dollars (\$5,600,000) (“Grant”) to finance the Project.
- 3.02. The Recipient may withdraw the proceeds of the Grant in accordance with Section III of Schedule 2 to this Agreement.
- 3.03. The Grant is funded out of the abovementioned trust fund for which the Bank receives periodic contributions from the donors to the trust fund. In accordance with Section 3.02 of the Standard Conditions, the Bank’s payment obligations in connection with this Agreement are limited to the amount of funds made available to it by the donors under the abovementioned trust fund, and the Recipient’s right to withdraw the Grant proceeds is subject to the availability of such funds.

Article IV
Additional Remedies

- 4.01. The Additional Event of Suspension referred to in Section 4.02 (k) of the Standard Conditions consists of the following, namely the International Rescue Committee’s Legislation has been amended, suspended, abrogated, repealed or waived so as to affect materially and adversely the ability of the Recipient to perform any of its obligations under this Agreement.
- 4.02. The Additional Event of Acceleration consists of the following, namely, that either of the events specified in Section 4.01 of this Agreement has occurred.

Article V
Effectiveness; Termination

- 5.01. This Agreement shall not become effective until evidence satisfactory to the Bank has been furnished to the Bank that the execution and delivery of this Agreement on behalf of the Recipient have been duly authorized or ratified by all necessary corporate action.
- 5.02. As part of the evidence to be furnished pursuant to Section 5.01, there shall be furnished to the World Bank an opinion or opinions satisfactory to the World Bank of counsel acceptable to the World Bank or, if the World Bank so requests, a certificate satisfactory to the World Bank of a competent official of the Recipient, showing that, on behalf of the Recipient, this Agreement has been duly authorized or ratified by, and executed and delivered on its behalf and is legally binding upon it in accordance with its terms.
- 5.03. This Agreement and all obligations of the parties under it shall terminate if it has not entered into effect by the date ninety (90) days after the date of this Agreement, unless the Bank, after consideration of the reasons for the delay, establishes a later date for the purpose of this Section. The Bank shall promptly notify the Recipient of such later date.

Article VI
Recipient's Representative; Addresses

- 6.01. The Recipient's Representative referred to in Section 7.02 of the Standard Conditions is the International Rescue Committee Inc's Chief Financial Officer.
- 6.02. For purposes of Section 7.01 of the Standard Conditions: (a) the Recipient's address is:

International Rescue Committee, Inc.
122 East 42nd Street, 12 Floor
New York, New York, 10168-1289
United States of America

(b) the Recipient's Electronic Address is:

Facsimile:	E-mail:
+1 (212) 551-3179	IRCCFO@rescue.org

- 6.03. For purposes of Section 7.01 of the Standard Conditions: (a) the Bank's address is:

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development/International Development Association
1818 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20433
United States of America; and

(b) the Bank's Electronic Address is:

Telex:	Facsimile:	E-mail
248423 (MCI) or 64145 (MCI)	1-202-477-6391	jcarret@worldbank.org

AGREED as of the Signature Date.

**INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR
RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
ASSOCIATION**
acting as administrator of Lebanon Financing Facility for
Reform, Recovery and Reconstruction Multi-Donor Trust
Fund

By

Jean-Christophe Carret
Authorized Representative

Name: Jean-Christophe Carret

Title: Country Director

Date: 29-Aug-2024

INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE

By

Martin Bratt
Authorized Representative

Name: Mr. Martin Bratt

**Title: Acting Chief Financial Officer
(CFO)**

Date: 29-Aug-2024

SCHEDULE 1

Project Description

The objective of the Project is to expand support the immediate social recovery needs of vulnerable groups in Lebanon.

The Project consists of the following parts:

Part 1. Support for Social Services for Vulnerable Groups

1.1 Enhanced Support for Survivors of GBV

1.1.1 Provision of Sub-grants to Eligible NGOs in the Beirut, Mount Lebanon and Beqaa governorates to develop a model for nongovernment support for social services for survivors and those at-risk of GBV and to provide holistic services for survivors and those at-risk of GBV in line with international good practices, such as, *inter alia*, through (a) supporting emergency shelters and safe spaces; (b) case management; (c) providing mental health and psycho-social support; (d) developing life skills; (e) referrals for and the provision of tailored services, including medical services, mental health and psycho-social support services and legal assistance, and (e) provision of education for children in shelters, (f) provision of legal assistance for the reunification of juveniles with families or guardians or finding long-term housing; and (g) economic empowerment and livelihood support.

1.1.2 Capacity-building, training, coaching and mentoring for service providers in the non-government and public sectors.

1.1.3 Providing support to improve dissemination and use GBV information management systems and relevant Training on its access use and management.

1.1.4 Raising awareness of GBV and available support services, by utilizing community communication channels and developing social media communications.

1.2 Enhanced Support for psycho-social wellbeing

Provision of Sub-grants to Eligible NGOs to improve psycho-social wellbeing of vulnerable individuals and households in the Beirut, Mount Lebanon and Beqaa governorates, through psycho-social interventions, including via nationally accessible platforms, including, *inter alia*:

1.2.1 Supporting the operations of the national mental health hotline and Training of staff and volunteers for the carrying out of its operations.

1.2.2 Supporting the roll out and uptake of the Step-by-Step (“SbS”) program.

1.2.3 Supporting enhancements to and the implementation of a Self Help Plus (SH+) Toolkit, including roll-out of the program to priority target groups and increased accessibility via online and/or multimedia delivery mechanisms, as well as integration into select Primary Healthcare Centers; and

1.2.4 A second phase of delivery of a pilot program for training for managers and small business owners to support the mental wellbeing of staff (“Mental Health in the Workplace”).

1.2.5 Public sensitization and awareness campaigns to increase profile of supported mental health interventions, especially amongst refugees and host communities and other priority vulnerable groups.

1.3 Enhanced Support for Persons with Disabilities and Older Population

1.3.1 Provision of grants to Eligible NGOs to, *inter alia*:

1.3.2 Improve access to quality community-based inclusive development support for persons with disabilities and older persons, including: (a) rehabilitation sessions and geriatric care services; (b) supporting educational inclusion in schools for persons with disabilities; (c) supporting persons with disabilities in retaining employment or self-employment; (d) improving accessibility of homes and public spaces; (e) promoting enhanced coordination and referral systems with partners and stakeholders; (f) providing lifesaving items and cash assistance; (g) conducting awareness sessions; (h) organizing recreational and mental health and psychosocial support activities; and (i) training caregivers and frontliners in basic care techniques.

1.3.3 Promote increased access to quality, specialized healthcare and medical support for persons with disabilities and older persons via the operation of and integration of tailored services and assistance into Primary HealthCare Centers and mobile medical units in Beirut, Mount Lebanon, and Beqaa governorates. Further, support the integration of Mental Health and Psychosocial Support services at these facilities to promote holistic care and recovery.

1.3.4 Updating of the Community-based Rehabilitation (“CBR”) Portal aimed at reducing stigma related to persons with disabilities and older persons and inform potential beneficiaries of available services; and supporting the national dissemination of the CBR Portal.

1.3.5 Capacity-building, training, coaching and mentoring for service providers in the non-government and public sectors.

Part 2. Capacity Building of Eligible NGOs

Providing support to the Recipient's capacity building, technical assistance, and institutional strengthening measures for Eligible NGOs, including on overall Project management, fiduciary and environmental and social safeguards management.

Part 3. Project Management

Facilitating the Recipient's Project implementation, administration, fiduciary, environmental and social standards management, monitoring and evaluation, and maintenance of a Grievance Mechanism.

SCHEDULE 2

Project Execution

Section I. Institutional and Other Arrangements

A. Institutional Arrangements.

1. The Recipient shall maintain overall responsibility for the implementation of the Project.
2. The Recipient shall maintain the Project Management Unit (PMU) throughout the Project implementation period, with composition, mandate, and resources, and terms of reference satisfactory to the Bank, including the Finance Officer and the environmental and social specialist¹. The PMU shall be responsible for the day-to-day administration of overall planning, coordination, technical, procurement, financial management, monitoring, evaluation, reporting and communication of the activities under the Project, and provision of Sub-grants to Eligible NGOs all in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and the Project Operations Manual.

B. Environmental and Social Standards

1. The Recipient shall, and shall cause each Eligible NGO to, ensure that the Project is carried out in accordance with the Environmental and Social Standards, in a manner acceptable to the Bank.
2. Without limitation upon paragraph 1 above, the Recipient shall, and shall cause each Eligible NGO to, ensure that the Project is implemented in accordance with the Environmental and Social Commitment Plan (“ESCP”), in a manner acceptable to the Bank. To this end, the Recipient shall ensure that:
 - (a) the measures and actions specified in the ESCP are implemented with due diligence and efficiency, as provided in the ESCP;
 - (b) sufficient funds are available to cover the costs of implementing the ESCP;
 - (c) policies and procedures are maintained, and qualified and experienced staff in adequate numbers are retained to implement the ESCP, as provided in the ESCP; and
 - (d) the ESCP, or any provision thereof, is not amended, repealed, suspended or waived, except as the Bank shall otherwise agree in writing, as specified

¹ TBD whether the PMU staff is in place and/or additional staff is required.

in the ESCP, and ensure that the revised ESCP is disclosed promptly thereafter.

3. In case of any inconsistencies between the ESCP and the provisions of this Agreement, the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail.
4. The Recipient shall, and shall cause each Eligible NGO to, ensure that:
 - (a) all measures necessary are taken to collect, compile, and furnish to the Bank through regular reports, with the frequency specified in the ESCP, and promptly in a separate report or reports, if so requested by the Bank, information on the status of compliance with the ESCP and the environmental and social instruments referred to therein, all such reports in form and substance acceptable to the Bank, setting out, inter alia: (i) the status of implementation of the ESCP; (ii) conditions, if any, which interfere or threaten to interfere with the implementation of the ESCP; and (iii) corrective and preventive measures taken or required to be taken to address such conditions; and
 - (b) the Bank is promptly notified of any incident or accident related to or having an impact on the Project which has, or is likely to have, a significant adverse effect on the environment, the affected communities, the public or workers, in accordance with the ESCP, the environmental and social instruments referenced therein and the Environmental and Social Standards.
5. The Recipient shall establish, publicize, maintain and operate an accessible grievance mechanism, to receive and facilitate resolution of concerns and grievances of Project-affected people, and take all measures necessary and appropriate to resolve, or facilitate the resolution of, such concerns and grievances, in a manner acceptable to the Bank.

C. Project Operations Manual

1. The Recipient shall prepare not later than one (1) month after the Effective Date, or such later date as agreed with the Bank, and thereafter carry out the Project in accordance with the Project Operations Manual (POM), satisfactory to the Bank, which shall include the rules, methods, guidelines, standard documents and procedures for the carrying out of the Project, including the following:
 - a. detailed description of Project implementation activities and the detailed institutional arrangements of the Project to ensure inter-institutional coordination;

- b. conditions, mechanism and eligibility criteria to select consultants and sign service-agreements; including *inter alia* : (i) a model Sub-grant Agreement, (ii) specific criteria for activities to be eligible for financing under the Sub-grants, eligibility criteria for Eligible NGOs, guidelines for approval, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of said activities;
 - c. conditions, mechanism and eligibility criteria of Primary Healthcare Centers to benefit from activities under Part 1.2.3 of the Project;
 - d. monitoring, evaluation, reporting and governance procedures for the Project; and
 - e. overall Project administrative, accounting, auditing, reporting, financial, environmental and social, procurement and disbursement procedures.
2. The Recipient: (i) shall ensure that the Project is carried out in accordance with the POM; and (ii) shall not assign, amend, abrogate, or waive the POM or any provision thereof, without the prior written agreement of the Bank.
 3. In the event that any provision of the POM is inconsistent with this Agreement, the terms of this Agreement shall prevail.

D. Provision of Sub-grants to Eligible NGOs under Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1 of the Project

1. For purposes of administering the Sub-grants under Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1 of the Project, the Recipient shall:
 - a. conduct a selection process, in accordance with the POM, to select Eligible NGOs for each of the Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1. of the Project, based on the eligibility criteria set forth in the POM, including, *inter alia*, requirements that each Eligible NGO: (i) be duly registered under the Lebanese laws; (ii) operate in either of the governorates of Beirut, Mount Lebanon or Beqaa the Lebanese Republic; (iii) not have participation or ownership by any public entity;
 - b. ensure that (i) no Sub-grant exceeds the ceiling amount specified in the POM for each respective Sub-grant type; and (ii) each Sub-grant supports activities eligible under the POM; and (iii) the Sub-grant does not finance activities deemed ineligible under the ESCP; and
 - c. enter into a Sub-grant Agreement with each Eligible NGO under terms and conditions approved by the Bank, which shall be consistent with the

requirements of the ESCP and which terms shall include an obligation by the Eligible NGO to:

- i. use the proceeds of the Sub-grant to pay Operating Costs of the Eligible NGO, in accordance with the criteria and at the maximum amounts established in the POM;
 - ii. (1) carry out its respective activities with due diligence and efficiency and in accordance with sound technical, financial and managerial standards and practices, environmental and social standards, and in accordance with the provisions of the Anti-Corruption Guidelines; (2) provide, promptly as needed the resources required for these purposes; and (3) maintain adequate records;
 - iii. maintain policies and procedures adequate to enable it to monitor and evaluate, in accordance with indicators acceptable to the Bank, the progress of its activities and the achievement of its objectives;
 - iv. the Recipient has the right to inspect by itself, or jointly with the Bank, if the Bank and/or the Recipient so requests, the goods and sites, included in the activities, the operations thereof, and any relevant records and documents;
 - v. maintain an appropriate financial management system and, upon request, submit to the Recipient and the Bank their respective annual audited financial statements, or simplified versions thereof, commensurate with the sub-grantee's capacity, as outlined in the POM;
 - vi. prepare and furnish to the Recipient and the Bank, in line with procedures to protect Personal Data as outlined in the POM, all such information as the Bank shall reasonably request, relating to the implementation of the activities, and the performance of its obligations under the Sub-grant Agreement.
2. The Recipient may suspend or terminate the right of the Eligible NGO to use or administer the proceeds of the grant, or to obtain a refund of all or any part of the amount of the Sub-grant then withdrawn, upon failure by the Eligible NGO to perform its obligations under the Sub-grant Agreement; and
 3. The Recipient shall, and shall cause each Eligible NGO, to promptly inform the Recipient and the Bank of any condition which interferes or threatens to interfere

with the progress of its activities, or the performance by it of its obligations under the Sub-grant Agreement.

Section II. Project Monitoring, Reporting and Evaluation

A. Documents; Records

In addition, and without limitation to the obligations set forth in Section 2.05 of the Standard Conditions, the Recipient shall ensure that:

- (a) all records evidencing expenditures under the Project are retained for five years and six months after the Closing Date, such records to include: (i) this Agreement, all addenda thereof, and any amendments thereto; (ii) the Recipient's financial and narrative progress reports submitted to the Bank; (iii) the Recipient's financial information related to the Grant, including audit reports, invoices and payroll records; (iv) the Recipient's implementation documentation (including sub-agreements, procurement files, contracts, purchase orders); and (v) the corresponding supporting evidence referred to in Section 3.04 of the Standard Conditions; and
- (b) the representatives of the Bank are: (i) able to examine all records referred to above in paragraph (a); (ii) provided all such information concerning such records as they may from time to time reasonably request; and (iii) able to disclose such records and information to the Donor(s).

B. Project Reports

The Recipient shall ensure that each Project Report is furnished to the Bank not later than forty-five days after the end of each calendar semester, covering the calendar semester.

Section III. Withdrawal of Grant Proceeds

A. General

- 1. The Recipient may withdraw the proceeds of the Grant in accordance with the provisions of: (a) Article III of the Standard Conditions; and (b) this Section; to

finance Eligible Expenditures in the amount allocated and, if applicable, up to the percentage set forth against each Category of the following table:

Category	Amount of the Grant Allocated (expressed in USD)	Percentage of Expenditures to be Financed (inclusive of Taxes)
(1) Sub-grants to Eligible NGOs under Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1 of the Project	3,916,000	100%
(2) Goods, non-consulting services, consulting services, and Training under Part 1.1, 1.2 and 1.3 of the Project	300,000	100%
(3) Goods, non-consulting services, consulting services, Training under Part 2 of the Project	468,000	100%
(4) Goods, consulting services, non-consulting services, Training and Operating Costs under Part 3 of the Project	916,000	100%
TOTAL AMOUNT	5,600,000	

B. Withdrawal Conditions; Withdrawal Period

1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Part A of this Section no withdrawal shall be made for payments made prior to the Signature Date.
2. The Closing Date is June 30, 2026.

APPENDIX

Definitions

1. “Anti-Corruption Guidelines” means, for purposes of paragraph 2 of the Appendix to the Standard Conditions, the “Guidelines on Preventing and Combating Fraud and Corruption in Projects Financed by IBRD Loans and IDA Credits and Grants”, dated October 15, 2006, and revised in January, 2011, and as of July 1, 2016.
2. “Category” means a category set forth in the table in Section III.A of Schedule 2 to this Agreement.
3. “CBR” means community-based rehabilitation.
4. “CSOs” means civil society organizations established and duly registered under the laws of, and operating in the territory of, the Lebanese Republic.
5. “Eligible NGOs” means such NGOs and CSOs which have met the respective eligibility criteria set forth in the POM to be eligible for Sub-grants under the respective Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1 of the Project.
6. “Environmental and Social Commitment Plan” or “ESCP” means the environmental and social commitment plan for the Project, dated August 15, 2024, as the same may be amended from time to time in accordance with the provisions thereof, which sets out the material measures and actions that the Recipient shall carry out or cause to be carried out to address the potential environmental and social risks and impacts of the Project, including the timeframes of the actions and measures, institutional, staffing, training, monitoring and reporting arrangements, and any environmental and social instruments to be prepared thereunder.
7. “Environmental and Social Standards” or “ESSs” means, collectively: (i) “Environmental and Social Standard 1: Assessment and Management of Environmental and Social Risks and Impacts”; (ii) “Environmental and Social Standard 2: Labor and Working Conditions”; (iii) “Environmental and Social Standard 3: Resource Efficiency and Pollution Prevention and Management”; (iv) “Environmental and Social Standard 4: Community Health and Safety”; (v) “Environmental and Social Standard 5: Land Acquisition, Restrictions on Land Use and Involuntary Resettlement”; (vi) “Environmental and Social Standard 6: Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Management of Living Natural Resources”; (vii) “Environmental and Social Standard 7: Indigenous Peoples/Sub-Saharan African Historically Underserved Traditional Local Communities”; (viii) “Environmental and Social Standard 8: Cultural Heritage”; (ix) “Environmental and Social Standard 9: Financial Intermediaries”; (x) “Environmental and Social Standard 10: Stakeholder Engagement and Information Disclosure”; effective on October 1, 2018, as published by the Bank.

8. “GBV” means Gender-Based Violence.
9. “Grievance Mechanism” means the grievance mechanism established, publicized, maintained and operated by the Recipient to receive and facilitate the resolution of concerns and grievances in relation to the Project, in accordance with the ESCP.
10. “International Rescue Committee Inc” or “IRC Inc” is a global humanitarian aid, relief, and development nongovernmental organization established registered and operating pursuant to the International Rescue Committee’s Legislation under the laws of the State of New York in the United States, receiving the Grant funds as a mandated agency for the benefit of the Lebanese Republic, implementing Project activities and remitting grants under the Project to Eligible NGOs.
11. “International Rescue Committee’s Legislation” means IRC’s Restated Certificate of Incorporation, dated January 19, 2005, and originally filed on March 23, 1942.
12. “LFF Grant Agreement” means the grant agreement signed on January 5, 2022, between the Recipient and the Bank in its capacity as the administrator of the Lebanon Financing Facility for Reform, Recovery and Reconstruction Multi-Donor Trust Fund, for the grant no. TF0B7390 in the amount of five million United States Dollars (US\$5,000,000) to assist in financing the phase I of the Project.
13. “NGOs” means non-governmental organizations established and duly registered under the laws of, and operating in the territory of, the Lebanese Republic.
14. “Operating Costs” means incremental costs incurred by the Recipient or by the Eligible NGOs on account of the Project coordination, implementation and monitoring, including expenditures for audit fees, legal fees (as required), office supplies and consumables, translation and interpretation, bank charges, Project-related travel, including per diem and accommodation, and other miscellaneous costs directly associated with the Project implementation and salaries of Project staff but excluding salaries of the Recipient’s civil servants, meeting allowances, other sitting allowances, salary top-ups and all honoraria.
15. “Personal Data” means any information relating to an identified or identifiable individual. An identifiable individual is one who can be identified by reasonable means, directly or indirectly, by reference to an attribute or combination of attributes within the data, or combination of the data with other available information. Attributes that can be used to identify an identifiable individual include, but are not limited to, name, identification number, location data, online identifier, metadata and factors specific to the physical, physiological, genetic, mental, economic, cultural or social identity of an individual.

16. “Primary Healthcare Centers” means such primary healthcare centers established and operating in the territory of the Lebanese Republic, selected to receive support for the integration of the SH+ Toolkit under Part 1.2.3 of the Project, in accordance with the eligibility criteria set out in the POM.
17. “Project Operations Manual” or “POM” means the manual to be prepared and adopted by the Recipient pursuant to the provisions of Section I.C of Schedule 2 to this Agreement.
18. “Project Management Unit” or “PMU” means the unit within the Recipient in charge of the day-to-day management, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the Project, established pursuant to the provisions of the LFF Grant Agreement, referred to in Section I.A.2 of Schedule 2 to this Agreement and as further detailed in the Project Operations Manual; or any successor thereto acceptable to the Bank.
19. “Procurement Regulations” means, for purposes of paragraph 20 of the Appendix to the Standard Conditions, the “World Bank Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers”, dated September 2023.
20. “SbS” means “Step-by-step”.
21. “SH+ Toolkit” or “Self Help Plus Toolkit” means a self-help intervention involving prerecorded audio and illustrated content and non-specialist facilitators, which enables delivery of psychological stress management services to groups of adversely affected populations in hard-conflict and crisis-affected contexts.
22. “Signature Date” means the later of the two dates on which the Recipient and the Bank signed this Agreement and such definition applies to all references to “the date of the Grant Agreement” in the Standard Conditions.
23. “Standard Conditions” means the “International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and International Development Association Standard Conditions for Grant Financing Made by the Bank out of Trust Funds”, dated February 25, 2019.
24. “Sub-grant” means grants to be provided to Eligible NGOs under Parts 1.1.1, 1.2 and 1.3.1 of the Project in accordance with the provisions of a Sub-grant Agreement, and “Sub-grants” means more than one Sub-grant.
25. “Sub-grant Agreement” means the agreement referred to in Section I.D of Schedule 2 to this Agreement pursuant to which the Recipient shall provide a Sub-grant to an Eligible NGO, and “Sub-grant Agreements” means more than one Sub-grant Agreement.

26. "Training" means the reasonable costs of trainings under the Project, including: (a) travel and subsistence allowances for training participants, (b) services of trainers, (c) rental of training facilities, (d) preparation and reproduction of training materials, and (e) other activities related to course preparation and implementation.