

**DECISION**

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**ED.12.21/DEC.01:** The Board:

- a. pursuant to BM.10/DEC.06, whereby the Board must approve funding decisions over USD 1m, welcomes the request for funding of four principal recipients, recommended by the GCERF Secretariat and the Sahel Regional Funding Panel as detailed in ED.12.21/DEC.01/DOC.01;
- b. approves funding, with a budget of USD 5.3m, in line with the **GCERF Strategy for Investment in the Sahel 2021-2024**;
- c. requests the Secretariat to proceed with the finalisation of the grant agreement as described in Section 5 "Next Steps" in ED.12.21/DEC.01/DOC.01; and
- d. authorises the Secretariat to enter into a grant agreement with Initiatives – Conseils – Développement for a total of up to USD 1.2m
- e. authorises the Secretariat to enter into a grant agreement with Union Fraternelle des Croyants de Dori for a total of up to USD 1.510m.
- f. authorises the Secretariat to enter into a grant agreement with Réseau Afrique Jeunesse for a total of up to USD 1.150m.
- g. authorises the Secretariat to enter into a grant agreement with Think Peace for a total of up to USD 1.440m.

(signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Stefano Manservigi  
Chair