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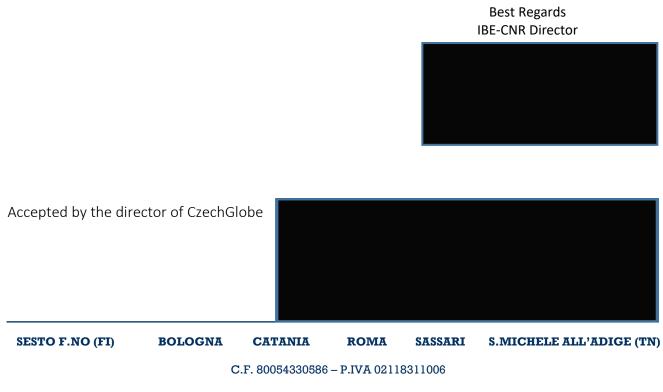
Subject: Extension of the duration of the Scientific Collaboration between IBE-CNR and CzechGlobe

Dear Director,

The Institute of BioEconomy of the National Research Council (IBE-CNR) has been charged by the Italian Space Agency (ASI) of the execution of PRISCAV project (Scientific Activity of CAL/VAL of PRISMA mission) and has signed an operational agreement with ASI on 11/06/2019 (agreement n° 2019-5-HH.0). In Art.2 of the agreement the duration of the project was defined in 36 months since the Kick-off meeting, thus the end was fixed to June the 11th 2022. According to Art. 2 of the agreement, IBE-CNR have requested a non-onerous extension of the project of 18 months and ASI accepted such an extension with written communication (prot. ASI 0014221 of the 13/12/2021). A further non-onerous extension of 6 months was accepted by ASI with written communication (prot. ASI 0002173 of the 17/02/2023). The end of PRISCAV Project is therefore now fixed in June the 11th 2024.

Within the framework of the project IBE-CNR has signed a scientific collaboration agreement with CzechGlobe (Prot CNR-IBE 0003722/2020 of the 17/09/2020) for the execution of airborne hyperspectral acquisition over PRISCAV sites. According to Art. 8 of the agreement, the duration of the scientific collaboration between IBE-CNR and CzechGlobe, already extended to October the 10th 2023, may be further extended on the basis of the possible extension of PRISCAV project.

On these basis, pursuing art. 8, we kindly ask you to consider our willingness to extend the duration of the scientific collaboration between IBE-CNR and CzechGLobe for the execution of the activities agreed in the framework of PRISCAV project, until June the 11th 2024.



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