

MONITORING MATRIX	EU CS GUIDLINES
<b>Area 1: Basic Legal Guarantees of Freedoms</b>	<b>Objective 1. An enabling legal and policy environment, for the exercise of the rights of freedom, expression, assembly and association</b>
<b>Principle: Freedom of association is guaranteed and exercised freely by everybody</b>	
Sub-area 1.1.: Freedom of association	1.1.a. Quality of existing legislation and policy framework 1.1.b. Progress with the adoption and implementation of relevant legislation 1.3. a. Quality of the enabling environment for grass-roots organisations  2.1.a. CSOs' perception of the ease and effectiveness of financial rules and reporting requirements (disaggregated by type/ size of CSO) 2.1.b. Quality of financial rules (with the focus on built-in mechanisms that financial rules and obligations change as the turn-over and non-commercial activities change).
<b>Principle: Freedoms of assembly and expression are guaranteed to everybody</b>	
Sub-area 1.2.: Related freedoms	1.1.a. Quality of existing legislation and policy framework 1.1.b. Progress with the adoption and implementation of relevant legislation
<b>Area 2: Framework for CSOs' Financial Viability and Sustainability</b>	
<b>Principle: CSOs and donors enjoy favourable tax treatment</b>	
Sub-area 2.1: Tax/fiscal treatment for CSOs and their donors	2.2.a. Quality and applicability/practice of the legal framework for individual and corporate giving 2.3.a. Quality of the system of tax benefits for the CSOs' operational and economic activities
<b>Principle: State support to CSOs is provided in a transparent way and spent in an accountable manner</b>	

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Sub-area 2.2.: State support	2.4.a. Increase of public funding for CSOs 2.4.b. Quality of state funding frameworks for civil society organisations (focusing on procedural document)
<b>Principle: State policies and the legal environment stimulate and facilitate employment, volunteering and other engagements with CSOs</b>	
Sub-area 2.3: Human resources	1.2.a. Number of employees in CSO (permanent and part-time) 1.2.b. Number of volunteers in CSOs 1.2.c. Quality of legislative framework
<b>Area 3: Government – CSO Relationship</b>	
<b>Principle: There is a strategic approach to furthering state-CSO cooperation and CSO development</b>	
Sub-area 3.1.: Framework and practices for cooperation	3.1.b. Quality* of structures and mechanisms in place for dialogue and cooperation between CSOs and public institutions *in terms of: -CSO representation in general -representation of smaller/weaker CSOs -its visibility and availability -government perception of quality of structures and mechanisms -CSOs' perception of quality of structures and mechanisms
<b>Principle: CSOs are effectively included in the policy and decision-making process</b>	
Sub-area 3.2: Involvement in policy- and decision-making processes	3.1.a. Percentage of law/bylaws, strategies and policy reforms effectively* consulted with CSOs *in terms of: -adequate access to information -sufficient time to comment -selection and representativeness/ diversity of working groups

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	-acknowledgement of input -degree to which input is taken into account feedback/publication of consultation results
<b>Principle: There is a supportive environment for CSO involvement in service provision</b>	
Sub-area 3.3: Collaboration in service provision	There is no direct corresponding benchmark or indicator.