Overview on voluntary contributions received in the financial year 2016 and projection of 2017 expected income through voluntary contributions

2016:

Germany: 25,600 EUR received in 2016 were spent as following:
- 5,503 EUR for the participation of eight experts from the Middle East and North Africa at the 21st Meeting of the Advisory Committee in the Netherlands.
- 5,000 EUR funding for the project “Capacity building for the development of the guidelines for wind farm construction based on field study in Macedonia”.
- 2,817 EUR funding for the project “Assessing the importance of bunkers for bats in Romania.
- 940 EUR for the design, print and dissemination of the 20th International Bat Night posters.
- 3,000 EUR for the translation of the EUROBATS Publication Series No. 6 into German.
- 2,995 EUR for the design services for the French and German versions of EUROBATS Publication Series No.6.
- 2,400 EUR for the design of EUROBATS Publication Series No. 7.

Luxembourg: 5,000 EUR received in 2016 were spent for EPI project “Nyctalus lasiopterus in the far north? Population size and habitat use of a maternity colony in the Pripiat floodplains in the South of Belarus”.

Switzerland: 20,000 CHF received at the end of 2015 for use in 2016 were spent as follows:
- 3,176 EUR for the print of the French version of EUROBATS Publication Series No.6.
- 3,585 EUR for the print of the German version of EUROBATS Publication Series No.6.
- 2,124 EUR for the print of EUROBATS Publication Series No.7.
- 2,515 EUR partial funding for the project “The “Carol” line: Assessing importance of at least 150 deserted bunkers for the conservation of the Romanian-Hungarian cross-border bat fauna”.

Netherlands: 9,550 EUR received at the end of 2015 were earmarked as support for the 21st Meeting of the Advisory Committee held in the Netherlands in 2016.
2017:

Germany: 25,600 EUR will be spent for bat conservation projects under EPI and for the participation of experts from the Middle East and North Africa at the 22nd Meeting of the Advisory Committee.

Luxembourg: 5,000 EUR will be spent for bat conservation projects under EPI.

Switzerland: 4,957 EUR left overs form the 2016 contribution will be spent for publicity material or a priority EPI project (decision pending).

Additional CHF 20,000 are expected to be received in 2017 for EPI projects and other activities to be agreed with the donor.