National Commitments to SDG Transformation: 2024 Update

- 1. Name of country: Denmark
- 2. Please provide a **short update on the steps taken, progress made and/or lessons learned in implementing each of the National Commitments to SDG Transformation** announced by your country in conjunction with the 2023 SDG Summit:¹

Name of Commitment: Denmark's	Contact person: Jakob Tvede (jaktve@um.dk)
commitment to scaling up and	
mobilising financing for	
development and climate	
Brief description of steps taken on implementation, progress made and/or lessons learned:	
The government of Denmark has decided to provide an annual capital contribution of DKK 500	
million (USD 75 mil.) in the years 2024-2030 to the Danish Investment Fund for Developing	
Countries, IFU (subject to parliamentary approval). The main intention with the new financing is to	
increase IFU's contribution to climate finance. Denmark will double IFU's investment budget and	
triple IFU's contribution to climate finance [from current annual DKK 2 bn/USD 300 mil. to DKK 5-7	
bn towards 2030/USD 900 mil.] through the capital contribution, a significant mobilisation of	
private investments, and access to financing from the Central Bank of Denmark. Denmark	
together with the United States and Nordic Governments has launched the Investment	
Mobilization Collaboration Alliance (IMCA), which aims to raise concessional catalytic donor	
financing in large scale with the purpose of attracting investments from institutional and other	
private investors through fund collaboration.	
Name of Commitment: Denmark's	Contact person: Rasmus Berner (rasber@um.dk)
support to IMF's Poverty Reduction	
and Growth Trust (PRGT)	
Brief description of steps taken on implementation, progress made and/or lessons learned:	
Denmark supported the subsidy account of IMF's Poverty Reduction and Growth Trust (PRGT) with	
a grant totaling SDR 19 million (app.	DKK 174 million) in 2023 and 2024. Further, Denmark has
provided an additional loan frame for PRGT of SDR 150 million (app. DKK 1.4 billion), thereby	
increasing the total Danish loan frame to PRGT to SDR 950 million (app. DKK 8.6 billion).	
Name of Commitment: Denmark's	Contact person: Josephine Jacobsen (joseja@um.dk)
commitment to a new national	
action plan for achieving the SDGs	

Brief description of steps taken on implementation, progress made and/or lessons learned:

¹ All submitted commitments are available at https://sdgs.un.org/SDGSummitActions/National

Denmark remains strongly committed to the implementation of the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs. Denmark still expects to initiate work on an updated national action plan in 2024, reflecting the priorities of the current government.

Name of Commitment: Denmark's commitment to UN target of 0.7% of GNI in Official Development Assistance

Contact person: Mirja Matilde Crone (mircro@um.dk)

Brief description of steps taken on implementation, progress made and/or lessons learned:

Denmark is still committed to living up to the UN target of delivering 0.7% of GNI in Official Development Assistance today and in the future. For instance, Denmark has established a budget balancing mechanism to ensure the allocation of exactly 0,70 pct. of GNI over a three-year period despite fluctuations in e.g. GNI or in-donor refugee costs during finance years.

3. If your government is presenting a Voluntary National Reviews (VNR) at the 2024 HLPF, how have your announced national commitments been incorporated or otherwise contributed to your country's national review processes?

N/A

^{*}Please add a separate update for each commitment made. You can add more rows manually, or by clicking on the plus (+) sign that appears on the bottom-right, when the table is selected.