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OBJECTIVE

This document presents the LIFE Institute positioning regarding the establishment of partnerships.

APPLICATION

This document is applied to the engagement between LIFE Institute and other organizations.

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The LIFE Institute should always seek partnerships with organizations committed to:

- Biodiversity of Conservation
- Sustainable and certified practices in their activity areas
- Good labor practices
- Targets of the Conventions on Biological Diversity and Climate Change
- Recognition, protection and promotion of High Conservation Value areas
- Maintenance of the World Heritage Sites
- Sustainable territorial management, incorporating criteria for landscape management and public-private partnerships for the maintenance of economic, environmental, social and cultural benefits derived from the conservation of biodiversity and ecosystem services.

In order to do that, LIFE Institute should:

- Use its network of partners, credibility and experience to build the dialogue between different public and private actors, towards the recognition and promotion of the conservation of biodiversity and its derived benefits.
- Generate and improve quality technical information to guide public and private initiatives in integrating ecosystem services into their agendas, as well as to guide public opinion in identifying and recognizing good practices.

IMPORTANT:

Cases of doubts about potentially controversial partnerships should be evaluated by the LIFE Institute Board of Directors.

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