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Meridiam supports the voluntary recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD)

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Meridiam, a leader in the investment and long-term management of infrastructure projects supports the voluntary recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) to promote transparency and cross-industry collaboration around climate-related risks and opportunities.

The TCFD is a global initiative that concerns us all because climate change is a global phenomenon; Meridiam intends to team-up with other financial and non-financial organizations in a global effort to support the recommendations of the TCFD. Climate change will have unexpected effects on our economies, lifestyles, biodiversity in the near-future but also in the long-run. In order to prepare as much as we can, we choose to rely on these recommendations that will enhance transparent and voluntary disclosures on climate-change related risks and opportunities, hopefully triggering more informed decisions and a virtuously collaborative business approach.

Being a long-term investor in infrastructures, Meridiam firmly believes that widespread adoption of low-carbon solutions and meaningful climate-related disclosure practices can be invaluable tools to tackle climate-change related issues. From promoting renewable energy technologies in our portfolio to incorporating climate change risks and opportunities within the business models of our projects, we have chosen to face the challenge of our century on multiple levels. Our commitments and actions are for the long-term; we identify, develop and invest in infrastructures that provide essential and resilient services to local communities. Our vision of a world equipped with clean, reliable and durable infrastructures will only materialize if climate change is correctly and seriously taken into consideration.

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