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Date 29-11-2024 Dear Mr. Sanjay Pradhan

Att. Mr. Sanjay Pradhan – CEO, Open Government Partnership

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As one of the first countries, Denmark joined the Open Government Partnership in 2011 with the intention to promote and support governmental transparency and citizen participation in Denmark and around the world.

However, with this letter we kindly inform you that with the Danish Finance Act for the year 2025, the Danish government has decided to withdraw Denmark as a member of Open Government Partnership.

The decision is based on the overall need to reduce tasks in the central government of Denmark. Thus, it has been a political priority to withdraw the Danish membership and to end our participation by the end of 2024.

Denmark remains a strong supporter of governmental transparency and citizen participation and intends to continue existing and pursue further relevant actions in the field of open government and transparency in the future.

For the reasons above, I herewith declare that Denmark withdraws from the Open Government Partnership by December 31, 2024.

Kind regards,

Caroline Stage