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### **Introducing the global network: Charity Monitoring Worldwide**

Today, Charity Monitoring Worldwide (formally known as ICFO\*) introduced its new name at the group's annual general meeting in New York. Charity Monitoring Worldwide is the global network of charity monitoring organisations. We empower charities to build trust through transparent practices, ensuring that donors and supporters can confidently contribute to causes that align with their values. By doing so we want to make the world a better place.

*Anna Benavides: "As president of Charity Monitoring Worldwide, I am proud to launch our new brand. Our network of 20 monitoring organisations from around the world empowers donors to make a difference. CMW members contribute to the excellence of nonprofit organisations worldwide. With our new name, we are taking a next step in creating more awareness for our network."*

Charity Monitoring Worldwide (CMW) brings together monitoring organisations from 20 different countries: Germany, Austria, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Canada, Czech Republic, France, Germany, India, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Mexico, Norway, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, The Netherlands and Ukraine. Together we monitor more than 7000 NGOs in Europe, Asia and America, representing more than 68 billion aggregated expenses.

CMW contributes to the strengthening of each of its members through the exchange of experiences, facilitating the incorporation of trends and new developments in the third sector. [EC1] The organisation has stood as a global beacon of charity integrity since its inception in 1958. CMW arose from the collective vision of national charity monitoring bodies that recognised the need for an international standard in the assessment of charitable operations.

For more information, visit our new website: [www.charitymonitoringworldwide.org](http://www.charitymonitoringworldwide.org)

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