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| SWITZERLAND  **PERMANENT OBSERVER** |

**Date of Entry:** September 13, 1978

**National Holiday:** August 1

**Capital:** Bern

**Type of Government:** Federal Republic, Directorial system

**Head of State:** President of the Swiss Confederation Alain Berset

**Head of the Federal Department of Foreign Affairs:** [Federal Council Ignazio Cassis](https://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/fdfa/fdfa/organisation-fdfa/departementsvorsteher.html)

**Director for the Americas**: Ambassador Mirko Giulietti

**Permanent Observer:** [Ambassador Jacques Pitteloud](https://www.eda.admin.ch/dam/countries/countries-content/united-states-of-america/en/PitteloudBio2019September.pdf)

**THE FEDERAL DEPARTMENT FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS (FDFA):**

* The FDFA formulates and coordinates Swiss foreign policy based on the instructions given by the Federal Council. Its activities are guided by the five principal foreign policy objectives as stated in the Federal Constitution:
* Peaceful coexistence among peoples;
* Respect for human rights and the promotion of democracy;
* Safeguarding the interests of the Swiss economy abroad;
* Relieving need and poverty in the world; and
* Preserving the natural environment.
* Swiss International cooperation steers bilateral cooperation with countries in the Middle East, Africa, Asia, and Latin America and encompasses humanitarian aid, technical cooperation and financial aid through the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC), and economic and trade policy measures in the framework of development cooperation through the State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (SECO). With regard to the multilateral cooperation, Switzerland has built relations with approximately 13 international institutions (international financing institutions, United Nations organizations, global networks and funds) in the form of financial participation and the joint formulation of policy and programs.
* Switzerland contributes to overcoming poverty-related problems and global risks, to protecting and promoting human rights and its international cooperation commitment focuses on five goals:
* Preventing and overcoming crises, conflicts and catastro­phes
* Creating access for all to resources and services
* Promoting sustainable economic growth
* Supporting the transition to democratic, free-market systems
* Helping to shape pro-development, environmentally friendly and socially responsible globalization.
* In addition, Switzerland centres its support more strongly on countries and regions where state structures are fragile, because of weak governments, inadequate legal security and corruption that exacerbate poverty-related problems. Switzerland’s contribution is to be more strongly oriented towards overcoming global risks because developing countries are especially vulnerable to hazards that are not confined to national borders such as climate change, the lack of food and water security or health care facilities, migration, and economic instability.
* The dispatch on international cooperation 2021-2024 foresees that Switzerland will continue to have a strong focus on good governance and the rule of law. A priority in Latin America will thus be to support the fight against corruption and impunity, strengthening democracy through elections and power sharing; promoting peace and security; dealing with the past and the prevention of atrocities; increased promotion and protection of human rights; and safe migration.

**INVOLVEMENT WITH THE AMERICAS:**

* Switzerland’s international cooperation in Latin America and the Caribbean consists of programmes and projects in Bolivia, Colombia, Cuba, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua and Peru. Each country’s budget depends on their needs, but also the strategic priorities of Switzerland.
* Switzerland maintains embassies in 17 countries of the Americas: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Haiti, Mexico, Peru, United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela.

**COOPERATION AGREEMENTS WITH OAS:**

* On December 19, 2013, the General Secretariat of the OAS and the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs signed a cooperation agreement through which Switzerland will contribute US$ 1 million to support the project National Identification Office in Haiti (ONI – Appui à l’Office National d’Identification (élections 2014)).
* Since early 2014, Switzerland is financing a secondment for a staff member to work as a Special Observer in Transnational Justice in the OAS Mission to Support the Peace Process (MAPP) in Colombia. The secondment will have a duration of 24 months and is valued at approximately CHF 466,000 (US$495,350.00).
* Contract between the General Secretariat of the OAS and the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, Peace and Human Rights Division, through which Switzerland contributed US$ 90,000 to the project "Improving access to information for vulnerable groups regarding environmental and social and impacts of business activities". The project was implemented by the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression of the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights from July 2017 to October 2019.
* Contract between Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, represented by Human Security Division, and General Secretariat of the OAS on project contribution in Colombia: MAPP/OAS - Contribution to the inclusive and plural participation of society in the peace process in Colombia, 01.01.2017 – 31.01.2020, USD 329’527, to support the work done by two Swiss experts seconded to MAPP/OAS.
* Agreement between The Swiss Confederation and the General Secretariat of the OAS for the Provision of International Professional Officers, signed on May 19, 2022 for a 4-year period.
* Contract between the General Secretariat of the OAS and the SDC through which Switzerland will contribute up to US$ 1,208,000 to the project “Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America – Phase I” to be implemented by the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights between October 1, 2018 and September 30, 2019.
* Contract between the General Secretariat of the OAS and the SDC through which Switzerland will contribute up to US$ 2,600,000 to the project “Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America – Phase II” to be implemented by the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights between December 1, 2019 and September 30, 2022.
* The Executive Secretary of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights and the SDC also signed a contract through which Switzerland will contribute up to US$ 300,000 to the project “Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America” to be implemented between October 1, 2018 and September 30, 2019.
* The Executive Secretary of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights and the SDC also signed a contract through which Switzerland will contribute up to US$ 750,000 to the project “Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America” to be implemented between October 1, 2019 and September 30, 2022.
* On November 27, 2019, was signed the Agreement between the Government of Switzerland, represented by the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, acting through the Swiss Embassy in Haiti, and the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States concerning the project “Institutional Strengthening to Fight against Corruption in Haiti”. Through this agreement Switzerland will contribute a maximum amount of USD $200,000 towards the project from December 1st, 2019, to May 31st 2020. A no-cost extension of the project has been requested and is still in effect.
* The Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation and the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States signed an agreement concerning the project “Strengthening the Capacity of the OAS to Observe Direct Democracy Processes and Mechanisms” through which Switzerland will contribute up to USD $110,000 to the project to be implemented between February 1, 2021 to April 30, 2022.
* On November 23, 2020 the General Secretariat of the OAS and the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, Peace and Human Rights Division signed a cooperation agreement, through which Switzerland will contribute up to US$ 140,000 to the project “Closing the gap in the implementation of inter-American standards on journalists’ safety, with focus on women journalists” (1 November 2020 – 31 October 2022). The project is implemented by the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression of the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights.
* **CASH CONTRIBUTIONS 2007-2022:**

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| **YEAR** | **SWITZERLAND** | **P.O. FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS** | **%** |
| **2007** | $27,077.00 | $20,398,686.00 | 0.13% |
| **2008** | $6,000.00 | $22,684,500.00 | 0.03% |
| **2009** | $85,071.00 | $20,318,115.00 | 0.42% |
| **2010** | $209,381.00 | $15,781,991.00 | 1.33% |
| **2011** | $205,921.00 | $15,692,757.00 | 1.31% |
| **2012** | $185,230.62 | $13,239,105.00 | 1.40% |
| **2013** | $982,364.00 | $16,926,686.00 | 5.33% |
| **2014** | $240,354.00 | $10,999,882.00 | 2.19% |
| **2015** | $148,841.85 | $17,489,205.00 | 0.85% |
| **2016** | $80,041.00 | $14,048,254.00 | 0.58% |
| **2017** | $1,783,442.00 | $14,586,712.00 | 12.22% |
| **2018** | $1,107,929.00 | $16,135,361.00 | 6.86% |
| **2019** | $1,600,100.00 | $ 21,072,075.00 | 7.59% |
| **2020** | $ 2,203,117.00 | $ 15,637,009.00 | 14.08% |
| **2021** | $ 1,401,149.00 | $ 14,396,171.00 | 9.73% |
| **2022** | $ 1,214,366.00 | $ 13,018,939.00 | 9.33% |
| **Total US$** | **$11,480,384.47** | **$262,425,448.00** | **4.37%** |

* **OVERVIEW OF SWITZERLAND’S CASH CONTRIBUTIONS:**

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| **YEAR** | | **PROJECTS** | **FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS IN US$** |
| **2001** | | Unit for the Promotion of Democracy (UPD)- Electoral Observation Mission, Nicaragua | $30,000.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$30,000.00** |
| **2002** | | Unit for the Promotion of Democracy (UPD)- TCP II | $9,890.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$9,890.00** |
| **2003** | | Unit for the Promotion of Democracy (UPD)-Support program, Elections Guatemala 2003 | $53,895.00 |
| Unit for the Promotion of Democracy (UPD)- Electoral Observation Mission, Guatemala 2003 | $19,925.00 |
| Office of the Assistant Secretary General- Special Mission in Haiti | $24,980.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$98,800.00** |
| **2004** | | Department of Democratic and Political Affairs (DDPA) | $38,203.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$38,203.00** |
| **2007** | | Office of the Assistant Secretary General | $5,000.00 |
| Department for the Promotion of Democracy (DPD) | $22,077.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$27,077.00** |
| **2008** | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) - Electoral Observation Mission to Paraguay | $6,000.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$6,000.00** |
| **2009** | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO)– Electoral Observation Mission to El Salvador | $19,385.00 |
| Inter-American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR), Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression | $30,000.00 |
| Department of Democratic Sustainability and Special Missions (DSDSM) - Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia (MAPP) | $35,686.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$85,071.00** |
| **2010** | | Inter-American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR), Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression – Access to Information: Stage II – Emphasis Judges | $29,950.00 |
| Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) – OAS Electoral Observation Mission to Colombia | $15,975.00 |
| Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) – OAS Electoral Observation Mission to Colombia – Presidential Runoff | $5,557.00 |
| Inter-American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR), Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression – Freedom of Expression in the Americas | $9,975.00 |
| Department of Sustainability and Special Missions (DSDSM)- Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia (MAPP) | $135,539.00 |
| Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO), Electoral Observation Mission to Haiti | $12,385.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$209,381.00** |
| **2011** | | Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression - Monitoring of the Situation of the Right to Freedom of Expression in the Americas and Annual Report of the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression in the Inter American Human Rights System | $43,359.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department of Sustainability and Special Missions (DSDSM)- Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia (MAPP) | $125,756.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) – EOM Guatemala | $13,775.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO)- EOM Fund | $23,031.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$205,921.00** |
| **2012** | | Electoral Observation Mission Mexico | $19,975.00 |
| Monitoring the Situation of the Right to Freedom of Expression in the Americas and Annual Report of the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression in the IAHRS | $46,235.00 |
| OAS Strengthening of and Support to Victims and their Organizations in Colombia - MAPP | $119,020.62 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$185,230.62** |
| **2013** | | Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) – Electoral Observation Mission Paraguay (April 2013) | $16,188.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) - Electoral Observation Mission in Honduras | $20,000.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Effective Public Management - National Identification Office in Haiti (Universal Civil Identity Program of the Americas (PUICA)) | $799,980.00 |
| Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression - Monitoring of the Situation of the Right to Freedom of Expression in the Americas and Annual Report of the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression in the Inter American Human Rights System | $48,034.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs, Department of Sustainability and Special Missions - Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia (MAPP)  -Secondment (CHF466,000, for a 24 months-period starting on July 2013) | $98,162.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$982,364.00** |
| **2014** | | Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) – Electoral Observation Mission for the Legislative Elections in Colombia March 2014 | $15,248.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) - Electoral Oversight Mission - Presidential Elections in Colombia May 2014 | $21,475.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) - Electoral Oversight Mission - 2nd Round Presidential Elections in Colombia May 2014 | $12,140.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Electoral Cooperation and Observation (DECO) - Electoral Observation Mission - General Elections in Bolivia October 2014 | $28,748.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department for Effective Public Management - National Identification Office in Haiti (Universal Civil Identity Program of the Americas -PUICA) | $149,980.00 |
| Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, Office of the Special Rapporteur for the Freedom of Expression - Monitoring of the Situation of the Right to Freedom of Expression in the Americas and Annual Report of the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression | $12,763.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$240,354.00** |
| **2015** | | Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions - Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia (MAPP) Contract 81028998 | $55,359.85 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation - Electoral Observation Mission - Federal Elections in Mexico June 7, 2015 (1 regional coordinator & 4 observers) | $12,185.00 |
| Secretariat for Political Affairs / Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation - Electoral Observation Mission in Honduras 2013 (pending balance from 2013) | $8,000.00 |
| Inter-American Commission on Human Rights - Monitoring of the situation of the right to freedom of expression in the Americas, and sharing experiences on access to information | $40,610.00 |
| The Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation – EOM 2014 Haiti | $26,343.00 |
| The Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation – EOM 2015 Guatemala | $6,344.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$148,841.85** |
| **2016** | | The Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights IACHR (34B), Freedom of Expression 2015‐17 | $50,769.00 |
| The Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C),  EOM 2016 Colombia | $8,568.00 |
| The Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C),  EOM 2014 Haiti | $20,704.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$80,041.00** |
| **2017** | | Department for Effective Public Management Modernize Haiti Registry III | $50,000.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions  Support Peace Process Colombia | $8,086.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR)  Freedom of Expression 2015‐17 | $6,296.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64B) Plurinational  Electoral Organ of Bolivia | $39,975.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions MACCIH Basket Fund | $1,410,283.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation  EOM Nicaragua 2017 | $75,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) Prom. Protec DESC in IHRS ‐ I | $14,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) Freedom of Expression (Project “Improving Access to Information to vulnerable Groups regarding environmental and social Impacts of Business Activities” July 2017-Oct. 2019) | $39,975.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions  Support Peace Process Colombia | $131,739.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64B)  EOM Honduras 2017 | $6,138.00 |
| **SUBOTAL** | | | **$1,783,442.00** |
| **2018** | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation  Plurinational Electoral Organ of Bolivia | $4,897.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation EOM 2017 Nicaragua | $13,403.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) Freedom of Expression (Project “Improving Access to Information to vulnerable Groups regarding environmental and social Impacts of Business Activities” July 2017-Oct. 2019) | $39,975.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions  Support Peace Process Colombia | $131,738.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation EOM 2018 Colombia | $9,779.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation EOM 2018 Mexico | $8,212.00 |
| Inter‐American Court on Human Rights - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America | $150,000.00\* |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights  (IACHR) - International Group of Independent Experts (GIEI) | $159,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights  (IACHR) - Visit in loco to Honduras | $39,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America –  Phase I | $699,975.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$1,107,929.00** |
| **2019** | | Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) - MACCIH Basket Fund | $591,541.00 |
|  | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) - EOM 2018 Colombia | $6,639.00 |
|  | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) - EOM 2018 Mexico | $7,248.00 |
|  | | Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America –  Phase II | $499,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) - International Group of Independent Experts (GIEI) | $11.190.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights  (IACHR) - Visit in loco to Honduras | $7,863.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) (34B) - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America –  Phase I | $299,975,.00 |
| Inter‐American Court on Human Rights - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America | $234,871.89\* |
|  | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) - EOM 2019 Guatemala | $11,158.00 |
|  | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) - EOM 2019 Bolivia | $8,809.00 |
|  | | Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) - EOM 2019 Colombia | $5,727.00 |
|  | | Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) - HT Institutional Strengthening | $149,975.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$1,600,100.00** |
| **2020** | Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)- MACCIH Basket Fund | | $307,062.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) (34B) - Freedom of Expression (last installment of the Project “Improving Access to Information to vulnerable Groups regarding environmental and social Impacts of Business Activities” July 2017-Oct. 2019) | | $6,589.00 |
| General Secretariat of the OAS, Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America – Phase II | | $879,975.00 |
| Inter‐American Court on Human Rights - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America Phase II. | | $250,000.00\* |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)  HT Institutional Strengthening | | $2,980.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)  Support Peace Process Colombia | | $156,536.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)  Institutional strengthening | | $849,975.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$ 2,203,117.00** |
| **2021** | Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) MACCIH Basket Fund | | $72,214.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) Support Peace Process Colombia | | $40,952.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the InterAmerican Commission on Human Rights (IACHR)- Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America Phase I. | | $12,395.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the InterAmerican Commission on Human Rights (IACHR)- Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America Phase II. | | $879,975.00 |
| Inter‐American Court on Human Rights - Strengthening Governance and Human Rights in Central America | | $250,000.00\* |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) HT Institutional Strengthening | | $35,725.00 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D) Support Peace Process Colombia | | $195,677.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) Democracy Processes and Mechanisms | | $89,975.00 |
| Executive Secretariat of the InterAmerican Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) (34B) Freedom of Expression (Project “Closing the gap in the implementation of inter-American standards on journalists’ safety, with focus on women journalists”) Nov. 2020 – Oct. 2022 | | $59,975.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) EOM 2021 Peru | | $3,318.00 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) EOM 2021 Peru | | $10,943.00 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$ 1,401,149** |
| **2022** | Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)  Institutional strengthening | | $243,066 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) (34B) Freedom of Expression 2018‐2021 | | $59,975 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) EOM 2021 Honduras | | $4,975 |
| Department of Sustainable Development (74I) PIDS Water | | $20,482 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) EOM 2022 Peru | | $7,157 |
| Department of Electoral Cooperation and Observation (64C) EOM 2022 Brazil EOM 2022 Brazil Run‐off | | $8,762 |
| Executive Secretariat of the Inter‐American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR) (34B) Obj 1. Promote justice Obj 2. Monitoring Capacity Obj 3. Defense and Prot. Capab. Strategic Plan ‐ General Funds | | $699,975 |
| Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions (64D)  Support Peace Process Colombia | | $169,975 |
| **SUBTOTAL** | | | **$ 1,214,366** |
| **TOTAL** | | | **$11,619,074.47** |

*\*Contributions to the Inter-American Court of Human Rights are not reflected in OAS Financial Reports as the I/A Court H.R. has its own countability system and therefore they are not added to the total amounts of contributions from Permanent Observers per year to the OAS.*

* **SWITZERLAND’S IN-KIND CONTRIBUTION TO ELECTORAL OBSERVATION MISSIONS:**

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| Year | Country | Mobile Team Expert | Regional Coordinators | International Observers |
| 2010 | Haiti  Colombia |  | 2  - | 4  6 |
| 2011 | Haiti  Guatemala |  | 1  2 | 3  9 |
| 2012 | Mexico |  | 3 | 3 |
| 2013 | Honduras  Paraguay | 1  1 | 1  1 | 4  4 |
| 2014 | Colombia  Bolivia | 1 | 4  2 | 9  3 |
| 2015 | Mexico  Haiti  Guatemala |  | 1  2  1 | 4  4  2 |
| 2016 | Haiti  Colombia |  | 1  1 | 4  1 |
| 2017 | Honduras |  | - | 4 |
| 2018 | Mexico  Colombia |  | 2  4 | 3  7 |
| 2019 | Guatemala  Bolivia  Colombia |  | 2 | 8  4  2 |
| 2020 | None | - | - | - |
| 2021 | Peru – April  Peru – June  Honduras |  | 1  3  1 | -  -  1 |
| 2022 | Brazil- October 2nd  Brazil- October 30th  Peru-October 2nd |  | -  -  2 | 1  1 |

**SOURCES:**

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| **FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF SWITZERLAND**  <http://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/home.html>  **SWISS AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**  <https://www.eda.admin.ch/sdc> | **EMBASSY OF SWITZERLAND IN WASHINGTON, D.C.**  <http://www.eda.admin.ch/washington> |