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## **Administration of the support to development research**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has decided to outsource the administration of the support to development research to Danida Fellowship Centre as of July 1 2008.

Danida Fellowship Centre will consequently be responsible for the administration of the research grant, including the research projects in Denmark, research projects under free competition as well as projects for international agricultural research and other international research.

Danida Fellowship Centre will also be responsible for the administration in relation to The Consultative Research Committee for Development Research.

In praxis this will imply that all future questions related to the administration of grants provided by The Ministry of Foreign Affairs should be raised with Danida Fellowship Centre.

Contact information to Danida Fellowship Centre:

Director Ms. Anne Christensen, ([achr@dfcentre.dk](mailto:achr@dfcentre.dk)), [www.dfcentre.com](http://www.dfcentre.com)

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs will be responsible for the political and strategic aspects of the support to development research.

The overall responsibility for contact to the research centers, institutions and networks in Denmark and abroad will also be maintained within the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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