

## Statement of concerning principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors

### Summary

St.Galler Kantonalbank Deutschland AG (LEI 5299000ALA5385NLDG70) takes into consideration principal adverse impacts of its investment decisions on sustainability factors. The present statement represents the consolidated declaration regarding principal adverse impacts on the sustainability factors of St.Galler Kantonalbank Deutschland AG.

This statement concerning principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors pertains to the reporting period from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023. No data from the previous year is available.

The principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors that St.Galler Kantonalbank Deutschland AG includes for investments in companies are:

- Climate indicators and other environment-related indicators: Greenhouse gas emissions (CO<sub>2</sub> footprint and GHG emission intensity of the companies in which investments are made).
- Indicators in the areas of social and employment: Violations of UNGC (United Nations Global Compact) principles and the guidelines of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) for multinational enterprises, as well as involvement in controversial weapons (anti-personnel mines, cluster munitions, chemical and biological weapons).

St.Galler Kantonalbank Deutschland AG has voluntarily chosen to report on principal adverse impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors. Among the principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors, one should understand the effects of investment decisions that lead to negative influences on environmental, social, and employee matters, respect for human rights, and the fight against corruption and bribery.