PART A (filled in by the Applicant) - DECLARATION OF THE APPLICANT

**DECLARATION OF THE APPLICANT**

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I hereby declare, that

* I am authorized to sign this Declaration on behalf of the applicant;
	+ the applicant who has elaborated this application, will be the beneficiary and will not act as a mediator only;
	+ any documents required to be submitted prior to the conclusion of the Agreement shall be submitted and will be submitted accurately, correctly and without changing any of the data;
	+ the applicant's assets are not subject to bankruptcy or restructuring proceedings, is in bankruptcy or restructuring, or against which a petition for bankruptcy has been rejected due to lack of assets;
* the applicant is not an undertaking against which recovery of the aid is claimed on the basis of a previous Commission decision granting the aid declared to be unlawful and incompatible with the internal market;
* the applicant has been not lawfully convicted pursuant to Act No. 91/2016 Coll. on Criminal Liability of Legal Entities and on Amendments to Certain Acts, as amended;
* the applicant is not enforced;
* the applicant is not an undertaking in difficulty within the meaning of point 20 of Communication from the Commission - Guidelines on State aid for rescuing and restructuring non-financial undertakings in difficulty (2014/C 249 /01)[[1]](#footnote-2);
* the applicant:
	+ does not have tax liabilities (Act No. 563/2009 Coll. on Tax Administration (Tax Code) and on amendments to certain acts);
	+ does not have health insurance, social insurance and retirement savings liabilities (Act No. 580/2004 Coll. Act on Health Insurance and on amendment and amendment of Act No. 95/2002 Coll. on insurance and on amendments to certain laws; Act No. 461/2003 Coll. on social insurance; Act No. 43/2004 Coll. on old-age pension savings and on amendments to certain laws);
	+ has not violated the illegal prohibition on illegal employment during period of 3 years prior to the application submission date.
* during the two years prior to the submission of the aid application, has not been transferred to the establishment where the initial investment for which the aid is requested is to be made, and undertakes not to do so within two years of the completion of the initial investment for which the aid is requested. For commitments entered into before 31 December 2019, no loss of employment in the same or a similar activity in one of the Beneficiary's original establishments in the EEA which took place between 1 January 2020 and 30 June 2021 shall be considered as a transfer in within the meaning of Article 2 (1) 61a of Commission Regulation No. 651/2014[[2]](#footnote-3)
* the applicant shall ensure entry in the Register of Public Sector Partners pursuant to Act no. 315/2016 on the Register of public sector partners and on the amendments to certain acts, as amended, before the signing of the Project Agreement.

I acknowledge that in the case of a breach of these facts, the grant may not be awarded and the Programme Operator has the right to recover the full amount of the grant awarded.

In case of approval of the project application, I am aware of the Program Operator’s right to publish information regarding the name and address of the organization, the name of the project, the grant amount and other relevant data.

By submitting the project application I consent that I have read the Privacy Statement (Annex 7 of the Call).

By submitting this Declaration I consent to all of the above mentioned.

Name of statutory representative:

Function:

Signature of statutory representative:

Date and place:

PART B (filled in by each Partner) - DECLARATION OF THE PARTNER

**DECLARATION OF THE PARTNER[[3]](#footnote-4)**

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I hereby declare, that

* I am authorized to sign this Declaration on behalf of the partner;
	+ the partner's assets are not subject to bankruptcy or restructuring proceedings, is in bankruptcy or restructuring, or against which a petition for bankruptcy has been rejected due to lack of assets;
* the partner is not an undertaking against which recovery of the aid is claimed on the basis of a previous Commission decision granting the aid declared to be unlawful and incompatible with the internal market;
* the partner is not enforced;
* the partner is not an undertaking in difficulty within the meaning of point 20 of Communication from the Commission - Guidelines on State aid for rescuing and restructuring non-financial undertakings in difficulty (2014/C 249 /01)[[4]](#footnote-5);
* the partner has been not lawfully convicted pursuant to Act No. 91/2016 Coll. on Criminal Liability of Legal Entities and on Amendments to Certain Acts, as amended;
* the partner:
	+ does not have tax liabilities (Act No. 563/2009 Coll. on Tax Administration (Tax Code) and on amendments to certain acts);
	+ does not have health insurance, social insurance and retirement savings liabilities (Act No. 580/2004 Coll. Act on Health Insurance and on amendment and amendment of Act No. 95/2002 Coll. on insurance and on amendments to certain laws; Act No. 461/2003 Coll. on social insurance; Act No. 43/2004 Coll. on old-age pension savings and on amendments to certain laws);
	+ has not violated the illegal prohibition on illegal employment during period of 3 years prior to the application submission date.
* during the two years prior to the submission of the aid application, has not been transferred to the establishment where the initial investment for which the aid is requested is to be made, and undertakes not to do so within two years of the completion of the initial investment for which the aid is requested. For commitments entered into before 31 December 2019, no loss of employment in the same or a similar activity in one of the Beneficiary's original establishments in the EEA which took place between 1 January 2020 and 30 June 2021 shall be considered as a transfer in within the meaning of Article 2 (1) 61a of Commission Regulation No. 651/2014[[5]](#footnote-6)
* the partner shall ensure entry in the Register of Public Sector Partners pursuant to Act no. 315/2016 on the Register of public sector partners and on the amendments to certain acts, as amended, before the signing of the Project Agreement.

I acknowledge that in the case of a breach of these facts, the grant may not be awarded and the Programme Operator has the right to recover the full amount of the grant awarded.

In case of approval of the project application, I am aware of the Program Operator’s right to publish information regarding the name and address of the organization, the name of the project, the grant amount and other relevant data.

By submitting the project application I consent that I have read the Privacy Statement (Annex 7 of the Call).

By submitting this Declaration I consent to all of the above mentioned.

Name of statutory representative:

Function:

Signature of statutory representative:

Date and place:

1. Relevant if the aid is granted to the applicant under the relevant state aid scheme. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. Relevant if the aid is granted under the Art. 14 of the relevant state aid scheme. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. In the references to the legislation, the Norwegian partner is subject to Norwegian legislation. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
4. Relevant if the aid is granted to the partner under the relevant state aid scheme. [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
5. Relevant if the aid is granted under the Art. 14 of the relevant state aid scheme. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)