**PARTNER DECLARATION**

**I, (name, surname, position) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned representative of the Partner organization (title) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, together with the applicant (organization title) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ preparing the project concept (title) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_certify on my honour that:**

1. My organization is a partner in the project, which concept note is being submitted to the ACF program in Lithuania,
2. My organization meets the eligibility requirements set out for the ACF Partner organizations as one of the following entities:

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| Check the statement that applies to your organization | Mark X |
| * 1. public or private entity, whether for profit or non-profit, or non-governmental organization established as a legal person in the Donor states, beneficiary states or a country outside the EEA that has a common border with Lithuania;
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| * 1. any international organization or body or agency thereof;
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| * 1. informal group that is not registered legal entity in the Republic of Lithuania and meets the following requirements: is not for personal profit, acts for public good, is voluntary and non-discriminatory in nature, independent of local, regional and central government or other public authorities, is independent of political parties, religious institutions and commercial organizations.
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1. The Partner organization is not in the situation which would prevent it from taking part in the ACF Program in Lithuania and accordingly:

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| * 1. is not bankrupt or being wound up, is not having its affairs administered by judicial authorities, has not entered into an arrangement with creditors or suspended operational activities, and is not in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulations;
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| * 1. has not been convicted of an offence concerning its professional conduct by a judgment which has the force of *res judicata*;
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| * 1. is not guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means which the contracting authority can justify;
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| * 1. has met its obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions or taxes under the legislation of the Republic of Lithuania or with those of the country of the contracting authority or those of the country where the contract is to the performed;
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| * 1. has not been the subject of a judgment which has the force of *res judicata* for fraud, corruption, involvement in a criminal organization or any other illegal activity;
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| * 1. has not been declared to be in serious breach of contract for failure to comply with its contractual obligations subsequent to grant award procedure financed by the EEA, Norwegian financial mechanisms, EU structural funds or state aid.
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1. The Partner organization follows the principles of common values of respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and the respect for human rights including the rights of persons belonging to minorities[[1]](#footnote-1).
2. I am unaware of any other circumstances provided for in this document, which may prevent Partner organization from assuming the role and functions assigned to it during the implementation of the project.
3. I have read project concept note, discussed it with the Applicant and accepted it.
4. I have read and accepted the Guidelines for Applicants governing this call for proposals.
5. I agree, that information about this application (name of the Applicant and Partners, project title, summary and total value of the project, unique number of the application) may be published on the website of the ACF program in Lithuania ([www.apf.lt](http://www.apf.lt)).
6. The information in this application and its annexes about Partner organization is accurate and complete.
7. I understand that misrepresentation in supplying information will serve as a ground for refusal of the application.

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*(Position, name, surname of the Head of the Partner organization or Authorised person, signature)*

*Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Place: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

1. Article 1.2 of Protocol 38c on the EEA and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms (2014-2021) [↑](#footnote-ref-1)