

Annex <insert here the number of the annex> [Global] Management Declaration

I, the undersigned, <insert forename and surname>, in my capacity as <insert function in the entrusted entity or person>, confirm that in relation to the Insert/complete in case an individual Management Declaration for one Contribution / Guarantee Agreement is submitted: [[Contribution Agreement] [Contribution Agreement for Financial Instruments] [Guarantee Agreement] <insert reference of the concrete Agreement>, (the “Agreement”)] Insert in case a global Management Declaration covering all the Contribution Agreements and/or Contribution Agreements for Financial Instruments and/or Guarantee Agreement(s) between the Contracting Authority¹ and the Organisation is presented: [Agreements listed below], based on my own judgement and on the information at my disposal, including, inter alia, the results of the audits and controls carried out:

1. The information submitted For Contribution Agreements/Contribution Agreements for Financial Instruments insert: under Article 3 of the General Conditions of the Agreement[s] For Guarantee Agreements, if applicable, insert: [and] pursuant to the financial reporting requirements of the Guarantee Agreement[s] for the financial period dd/mm/yyyy to dd/mm/yyyy is properly presented, complete and accurate Insert/complete in case a global Management Declaration covering all the Contribution Agreements and/or Contribution Agreements for Financial Instruments and/or Guarantee Agreement(s) between the Contracting Authority and the Organisation is presented: [for the following Agreements:

1. <insert references of the Agreement>; add below as necessary
2. <...>.]

If at the time of signature of this Management Declaration, there were ongoing Agreements for which there was not yet reporting obligation; insert: [To be noted that at the time of signature of this Management Declaration, the following Agreements were not yet subject to submission of reporting in accordance with the contractual conditions:

1. <insert references of the Agreement>; add below as necessary
2. <...>.]

2. In case this Management Declaration covers Contribution Agreement(s) and/or Contribution Agreement(s) for Financial Instruments, insert: The [expenditure] [and] In case this Management Declaration covers Guarantee Agreement(s), insert: [amounts made available under the Guarantee] [were] [was] used for [its] [their] intended purpose as defined in the Agreement[s].
3. The control systems put in place give the necessary assurances that the underlying transactions were managed in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement[s].
4. The Organisation performed the activities in compliance with the obligations laid down in the Agreement[s] and applying its own rules and procedures, where applicable, subject to the ad hoc measures agreed upon with the European Commission, as regards:
 - a) internal control;
 - b) accounting system;
 - c) independent external audit;
 - d) exclusion from access to funding;
 - e) publication of information on recipients;
 - f) protection of personal data;
 - g) [award and management of Grants;]
 - h) [award and management of Procurement Contracts;]

¹ For the avoidance of doubt, references to ‘Contracting Authority’ in this annex shall be understood as referring to the European Commission for the purpose of Contribution Agreements for Financial Instruments and Guarantee Agreements.

i) [Financial Instruments] In case any the optional sub pillars 6b and/or 6c have been assessed and if applicable, add as required: [, including [Tax Avoidance and Non-Cooperative Jurisdictions][and][Anti-Money Laundering and Countering Terrorism Financing]].

5. No substantial changes, which have not already been communicated to the European Commission, affect the rules and procedures which have been [subject to the Ex-ante Pillar-Assessment] / [assessed by the European Commission for the purpose of granting an exemption to the obligation to undergo the Ex-ante Pillar Assessment].
6. The Organisation has informed the European Commission and the Contracting Authority without delay, in relation to the management of the EU Contribution provided under the Agreement[s], of cases of established fraud and irregularities and their follow-up as well as of any information relating to suspected cases of fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union.
7. The Organisation has informed the European Commission, in relation to the implementation of the Agreement[s] and during [its] [their] implementation period, if it has detected a situation of exclusion, pursuant to its rules and procedures and any ad hoc measure stipulated in the Agreement[s] or become aware that transmitted information needs to be rectified, updated, or removed.

Furthermore, I confirm that I am not aware of any undisclosed matter which could harm the interests of the European Union.

[However, the following reservation(s) should be noted:

<present and explain reservation(s)>²

<insert place and date>

.....
(signature)

<Insert forename and surname>

² Option to be used in case of reservations.