**CANDIDATE’S DECLARATION**

*To be submitted on the entity’s letterhead by each entity identified in section 1 of the Application Form*

<Date>

European Investment Bank

Att: Head of Division GLO/CFGA/ADV

100, Boulevard Konrad Adenauer

Luxembourg, L-2950

Luxembourg

**Your ref: <Reference number: AA…>; < contract title >**

Dear Sir/Madam,

In response to the contract notice published on the Official Journal of the EU with the above mentioned reference number, we, < **full name of the legal entity making this Declaration** >, confirm that we intend to submit a tender <*please select as appropriate*> [Option 1] [for the above contract if we are invited to do so] / [Option 2][ for Lot number <number> of the above contract if we are invited to do so].

We hereby declare that we:

1. are making this application <*please select as appropriate*> [Option 1] [on an individual basis] / [Option 2][as member of the consortium led by < name of the leader / ourselves >] for this contract. We confirm that we are not participating in any other application for the same contract, whatever the form of participation (as a member, leader in a consortium or as an individual candidate);
2. are not in any of the situations excluding us from participating in contracts which are stipulated under Article 57 of Council Directive 2014/24/EC.
3. <*please select as appropriate*> [Option 1] we have not been involved in the preparation of the project which is the subject of this tender procedure [Option 2] our involvement in previous stages of the project as <*please specify*> does not constitute unfair competition and we undertake to prove this should we be required to do so by the Contracting Authority. Furthermore, we declare that we have no conflict of interests or any equivalent relation in that respect with other Candidates or other parties in the tender procedure at the time of the submission of this application;

* <*please select as appropriate*> [Option 1] [have attached a current list of the enterprises in the same group or network as ourselves ] / [Option 2] [ are not part of a group or network ] [*please add for both Options*]and have only included data in the application form concerning the resources and experience of <*please select as appropriate*> [our legal entity] / [our legal entity and the entities for which we attach a written undertaking];
* will inform the Contracting Authority immediately if there is any change in the above circumstances at any stage during the implementation of the tasks; and
* fully recognise and accept that if we participate in spite of being in any of the situations stipulated under Article 57 of Council Directive 2014/24/EC or if the declarations or information provided prove to be false, we may be subject to rejection from this procedure;
* are aware that, for the purposes of safeguarding the EU’s and EIB’s financial interests, our personal data may be transferred to internal audit services, to the European Court of Auditors, to the Financial Irregularities Panel or to the European Anti-Fraud Office.

We also undertake, when required, to provide evidence of our financial and economic standing and our technical and professional capacity, confirming the information included in this Application in response to the selection criteria for this call for tender specified in the contract notice.

[*If this declaration is being completed by a consortium member (either as leader or as consortium member), please add the following*:

The following table contains our financial data as included in the consortium’s application form. These data are based on our annual audited accounts and our latest projections. Estimated figures (i.e., those not included in annual audited accounts) are given in italics. Figures in all columns are calculated on the same basis to allow a direct, year-on-year comparison to be made (or, if the basis has changed, an explanation of the change must be provided as a footnote to the table).

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Financial data** | **Year n-2** | **Year n-1** | **Year n[[1]](#footnote-2)** | ***Current Year*** |
|  | <specify the year> | <specify the year> | <specify the year> | <specify the year> |
| Annual turnover (€), excluding this contract |  |  |  |  |

**Note**: The data provided in the table must belong to the legal entity providing the Declaration or, if the case, to this legal entity and to the entities from which a written undertaking is attached to the Application form. In the latter case, care should be taken to ensure that the data belonging to the legal entity and that belonging to other entities can be easily identified, *e.g.* by including separate lines for the data belonging to each legal entity

The following table contains statistics on our staff, as included in the consortium’s application form:

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Annual Manpower** | **2 Years before last year** | | **Year before last year** | | **Last year** | | **Current year** | |
|  | **<**specify year **>** | | **<**specify year **>** | | **<**specify year **>** | | **<**specify year **>** | |
|  | Overall | Total for fields related to this contract | Overall | Total for fields related to this contract | Overall | Total for fields related to this contract | Overall | Total for fields related to this contract |
| Permanent staff |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other staff |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Yours faithfully,

<Signature of authorised representative>

<Name and position of authorised representative>

1. **Year n** = last year for which accounts have been closed for the candidate [↑](#footnote-ref-2)