



## AID4SME | Open Call #2

# Annex 5. Consortium Declaration of Honour Template

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## CONSORTIUM DECLARATION OF HONOUR

**Proposal Title:**

**Proposal Acronym:**

BETWEEN

[Company/ organisation name] established in [address], VAT number [VAT number], represented for the purposes of signing and submitting the proposal and the Consortium Declaration of Honour by [Name of legal representative];

AND

[Company/ organisation name] established in [address], VAT number [VAT number], represented for the purposes of signing and submitting the proposal and the Consortium Declaration of Honour by [Name of legal representative];

It is hereby agreed that:

- All information provided is true and legally binding.
- Partner [Consortium leader name] is acting on behalf the following partner(s) as the consortium leader:
  - Partner 2: [Company/ organisation name]
- The consortium entities have agreed on their roles and budget shares.
- The consortium leader is solely responsible for distributing the budget shares to the other consortium partners in accordance with this Consortium Declaration of Honour.
- The AID4SME consortium bears no responsibility in case a partner of this project consortium violates the mutual agreement set in this Consortium Declaration of Honour.
- The AIDeSME consortium bears no responsibility in the case of dispute among consortium partners regarding intellectual property rights.
- By signing this Consortium Declaration of Honour, all consortium partners declare that they – individually or as a consortium – may have up to 1 proposal evaluated under this open call, but only one will be – if successfully evaluated – accepted for funding. Any entity, applying solely or as part of a consortium, may only be funded for one project.
- By signing this Consortium Declaration of Honour, all consortium partners declare that they are not members of any other competitive consortium in the AID4SME Open Call #2. In case, an applicant participates in more than one consortium, both consortia will be excluded.
- By signing and submitting this Consortium Declaration of Honour, the consortium partners accept all the rules explained in Annex 1. Guide for Applicants of AID4SME Open Call #2.
- All partners declare not being in one of the following situations:
  - a) it is bankrupt or being wound up, is having its affairs administered by the courts, has entered into an arrangement with creditors, has suspended business activities, is the subject of proceedings concerning those matters, or is in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulations;

- b) it or persons having powers of representation, decision making or control over it have been convicted of an offence concerning their professional conduct by a judgment which has the force of res judicata;
  - c) it has been guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means which the contracting authority can justify including by decisions of the European Investment Bank and international organizations;
  - d) it is not in compliance with its obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions or the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which it is established or with those of the country of the contracting authority or those of the country where the contract is to be performed;
  - e) it or persons having powers of representation, decision making or control over it have 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, where such illegal activity is detrimental to the Union's financial interests;
  - f) is subject to an administrative penalty for being guilty of misrepresenting the information required by the contracting authority as a condition of participation in a grant award procedure or another procurement procedure or failing to supply this information or having been declared to be in serious breach of its obligations under contracts or grants covered by the Union's budget.
- Each partner declares that:
    - g) is not subject to a conflict of interest;
    - h) has not made false declarations in supplying the information required by the as a condition of participation in the AID4SME Open Call #2 or does not fail to supply this information;
    - i) is not in one of the situations of exclusion, referred to in the abovementioned points a) to f).
    - j) Is aware and fully accepts all AID4SME Open Call #2 conditions and rules as expressed in AID4SME Open Call #2 open call documents Annex 1, Annex 2 and Annex 3.
  - Each partner certifies that:
    - is committed to participate in the abovementioned project;
    - has stable and sufficient sources of funding to maintain its activity throughout its participation in the above-mentioned project and to provide any counterpart funding necessary;
    - has or will have the necessary resources as and when needed to carry out its involvement in the above-mentioned project.

**Consortium leader**

<b>Company/organisation name</b>	
<b>Full address</b>	
<b>Country</b>	
<b>Name of legal representative</b>	
<b>Position in the company/organisation</b>	
<b>Project Total Costs share</b>	_____ EUR
<b>Maximum contribution requested share</b>	_____ EUR
<b>I have the power of legally binding the abovementioned company/organisation on submitting this proposal</b>	
<b>Legal representative signature and stamp (stamp if applicable)</b>	
<b>Done at (place)</b> _____	
<b>The (day)</b> _____ <b>(month)</b> _____ <b>(year)</b> _____	

**Consortium partner no. 2 (if applicable)**

<b>Company/organisation name</b>	
<b>Full address</b>	
<b>Country</b>	
<b>Name of legal representative</b>	
<b>Position in the company/organisation</b>	
<b>Project Total Costs share</b>	_____ EUR
<b>Maximum contribution requested share</b>	_____ EUR
<b>I have the power of legally binding the abovementioned company/organisation on submitting this proposal</b>	
<b>Legal representative signature and stamp (stamp if applicable)</b>	
<b>Done at (place)</b> _____	
<b>The (day)</b> _____ <b>(month)</b> _____ <b>(year)</b> _____	