ANNEX 1B TO THE APPLICATION  
PARTNERSHIP STATEMENT FOR THE LEAD PARTNER

A partnership is a relationship of substance between two or more organisations involving shared responsibilities in undertaking the project funded by the Programme. To ensure that the project runs smoothly, it is required that all partners, including the lead partner that signs the grant contract to acknowledge this by agreeing to the principles of good partnership practice set out below.

By signing this partnership statement, the below named legal entity participating to the project applying funding from the Joint Operational Programme “South-East Finland – Russia CBC 2014-2020” (hereafter referred to as “Programme”) hereby declares:

1. the legal status of our organisation falls within the category referred in the Joint Operational Programme and guidance published by the Programme and is in a position to coordinate, implement and participate to the actions of project;
2. they are familiar with the project plan, objectives as a whole and financial aspects concerning their part;
3. they understand their role and responsibilities in the project and towards all actors participating to it, and to the parties financing the project;
4. they carry out the responsibilities of the lead partner and sign the contract with the Managing Authority (MA) and represent the project in all dealings with the MA in the context of the action's implementation;
5. they have discussed and agreed on an equitable distribution of equipment, vehicles and supplies for the action purchased with the Programme grant after the project ends;
6. they have discussed and are willing to prepare and sign the Partnership Agreement setting grounds on cooperation and responsibilities between the lead partner and each of its partner;
7. they assure that the information given in this statement and in the application to be correct and undertake to comply with the principles of good partnership practice
8. they assure that they are familiar with the Privacy Policy published by the MA, and that all persons mentioned in the application and its annexes or in any other document related to the applying for funding and the project implementation, have given their consent that their personal data may be collected, recorded, stored and transferred in the registers of the Managing Authority and to be processed according to the Privacy Policy available at <https://www.promascbc.fi/ProgrammeList/PrivacyPolicy/1>.

IDENTIFICATION

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| Name of the project |  |
| Lead partner, full legal name |  |
| Lead partner’s contact person |  |
| **Co-financing share of the lead partner** | euros |
| Possible restrictions of the commitment | *(Issues to be evaluated before signing of the Grant Contract and further on, reflected in the Partnership Agreement drawn up between the lead partner and partner)* |

SIGNATURE

For the lead partner organisation

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| Name |  |
| Position |  |
| Date |  |
| Signature |  |
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