

**Declaration of acceptance and written statement**

**Name of the applicant:** .....

**Official address:** .....

**I, the undersigned, Mr(s) .....,  
being the representative authorised to sign on behalf of the applicant, hereby declare that:**

- (a) the auditor or auditing company agrees to accept a proposed mandate without negotiation **except** in the case of the fee mentioned in section 5b of the call for expression of interest;
- (b) the auditor or auditing company will not accept to carry out other work which may be seen as compromising either objectivity or independence;
- (c) the auditor or auditing company is obliged to inform the authorising officer of the European Parliament of any suspected illegal activity, fraud or corruption which may harm the interests of the European Union.
- (d) the auditor or auditing company will not accept consecutive engagements with the same group for more than five years.

Date: ..... Signature: ..... Stamp of economic operator