

## BANDO RICERCA SALUTE 2018

## LETTER OF INTENT

Reserach Organization ..... whose administrative offices are at \_\_\_\_\_, represented by the Director, Prof.....;

hereinafter referred to as “**External Research Organization**”,

## WHEREAS

- the Applicants submit to the Region of Tuscany a Research Project entitled " \_\_\_\_\_ " to take part in the Call for Proposals BANDO RICERCA SALUTE 2018;

- the **External Research Organization** is not eligible for funding and cannot be a subcontractor; it will contribute to the carrying out of the project's activities with their own resources and will not, directly or indirectly, benefit from the contributions referred to in this Call For Proposals.

**External Research Organization** understand that:

- a) (briefly illustrate the research project proposed by the Applicants and how the activities carried out by External Research Organization complement the research project proposal);
- b) (Clearly, where relevant, that the External Research Organization offers the necessary facilities to allow to carry out the research project);
- c) intellectual property rights previously developed (background, pre-existing know-how) by Applicants and **External Research Organization** involved in the research remain their own property;
- d) the results, inventions, know-how, any data or information, whether patentable or not, and any other intellectual property rights, achieved or created in the course of the research activity inherent to the project (foreground knowledge), belong to the creator;
- e) the results obtained jointly by the Applicants and the **External Research Organization** shall be the joint property according to their inventive step; in case of joint results the management, and any commercial exploitation, will be defined in successive and separate agreements;
- f) in relationship to the costs of filing, maintaining and managing the joint intellectual property, it is understood that only the Applicants share will be charged to the project budget. The **External Research Organization** will contribute to the filing and management of the Intellectual Property Rights with its own funds;

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- g) in case of joint results the Applicants and the **External Research Organization** will be free to use the results for research purposes;
- h) Applicants and the **External Research Organization** have the right to publish the results of the research project resulting from their own research without prejudice to the protection of intellectual property rights. Publications and any other means of disseminating the results deriving from the project must bear the following wording: "This research project is funded by Tuscany Region";
- i) external research organization undertakes, together with the applicants, to underwrite a Preliminary Agreement on Intellectual Property Rights for submission of the proposal and to underwrite a Final Agreement On Intellectual Property Rights And Dissemination of Results within sixty days of approval of the funding.

All the details mentioned above are agreed upon by mutual understanding.

**External Research Organization** \_\_\_\_\_

represented by the Director, Prof. ....;

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of the legal representative: \_\_\_\_\_