Annex V to the Open Call for Expression of Interest to select Financial Intermediaries under EaSI Guarantee Financial Instrument





To: European Investment Fund EaSI Guarantee Financial Instrument 37B, avenue J.F. Kennedy L - 2968 Luxembourg

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

For the Business Development Services Pilot ("BDS Pilot") in the context of the EaSI Microfinance Guarantee

Applicant submitting the Expression of Interest:

(company name, registration number)

Dear Sir or Madam,

Herewith we are submitting our Expression of Interest on behalf of [Applicant], (the "Applicant") in response to the Open Call for Expression of Interest for the Business Development Services Pilot for migrants and refugees in the framework of the EaSI Microfinance Guarantee funded by the EU and implemented by EIF. Capitalized expressions utilized herein shall have the meaning attributed to them in the above-mentioned Call for Expression of Interest.

The undersigned, duly authorized to represent the Applicant, by signing this form certifies and declares that the information contained in this Expression of Interest is complete and correct in all its elements.

Furthermore, the Applicant makes the following representations:

1) The Applicant intends to provide the following type of Business Development Services to Final Recipients expected to be eligible for the purpose of the BDS Pilot

[please provide a description]

2) The Applicant estimates that the following number of hours for the provision of the activities mentioned under item (1):

[please provide an estimation of number of hours for each of the Business Development Services expected to be provided] 3) The Applicant estimates that the following number of Final Recipients eligible under the BDS Pilot will benefit from the provision of activities under item (1): [please provide an estimation of number of targeted eligible Final Recipients, including descriptions of the target group(s)]

For the purpose of the **EIF Transparency Policy** and subject to the approval of the relevant operation by the EIF Board of Directors, the [Applicant], by signing this form:

[Please tick as appropriate]

□ confirms that the Applicant agrees with the disclosure of summary information relevant to this transaction (the project name, the nature of the operation, the geographical focus and the relevant EIF-managed resources) in the Board minutes published on EIF's website, following the approval and signature of said minutes

OR

□ declares that (i) the Applicant requests the non-disclosure of summary information relevant to this transaction (the project name, the nature of the operation, the geographical focus and the relevant EIF-managed resources) in the Board minutes published on EIF's website, following the approval and signature of said minutes and (ii) such disclosure would undermine the protection of commercial interests¹ relevant to the operation.

Yours sincerely,

Signature(s):

Stamp of the Applicant

(if applicable)

Name and position in capitals:

Applicant's name

Place: Date (day/month/year):

¹Including by reason of such information being covered by a confidentiality agreement.