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Intelligent Communication Infrastructures Laboratory		

Annex 4

MANAGEMENT DECLARATION

on ensuring the independence, impartiality and autonomy of the Intelligent Communication Infrastructures Laboratory

The management of the R&D and Innovation Consortium (RDIC) in the person of the Chairman of the Management Board declares the full organizational independence of the Intelligent Communication Infrastructures Laboratory, which is set apart on a functional principle in RDIC as an independent unit within the framework and scope of its competence declared.

***For the performance of laboratory testing activities in an objective and unbiased manner
RDIC Management:***

- ◆ ensures that the management and staff of the laboratory are not subjected to internal and external commercial, financial, administrative or other pressures that could negatively affect quality and reliability of the performed laboratory testing activities;
- ◆ declares that the laboratory has complete independence in carrying out the measurements, registering the results and issuing documents for the testing;
- ◆ determines that the responsibility for the reliability of the results obtained, the laboratory tests and the documents issued shall be borne entirely by the personnel of the laboratory and in particular by its Head;
- ◆ determines that the responsibility for ensuring and controlling impartiality activities shall be borne entirely by the Head of the Laboratory;
- ◆ declares that the laboratory staff is not engaged in activities that may jeopardize its credibility, the independence of its judgments and the integrity, in connection with the activities carried out in the field of laboratory tests;
- ◆ *declares that the remuneration of the laboratory staff engaged in laboratory testing activities does not depend on the number of tests conducted as well as on their results;*
- ◆ *declares that it will ensure and implement all measures to identify existing and potential risks to impartiality that may affect the laboratory tests carried out, in order to preserve independence, impartiality and incorruptibility.*

As Chairman of the Management Board of the R&D and Innovation Consortium, I declare my personal participation and responsibility for creating the necessary prerequisites so that the Policy announced to be understood, publicised, applied and maintained at all levels in the laboratory, with the conviction that it will ensure its permanent rise and development.

APPROVED BY: Signed
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