

**Business Partnership Programme; Appendix 4 to the project application****Act on Discretionary Government Transfers (688/2001)**

A Government grant, which can be used for wage and salary costs, can be granted only for a particularly weighty reason if during the year when the discretionary Government transfer is being granted or during the preceding two years, the Government grant applicant or the applicant's representative has been finally sentenced for unauthorised use of foreign labour or for employer's violation of the Aliens Act, or if a financial sanction has been imposed on the Government grant applicant by a final decision for recruiting employees illegally staying in the country.

The representative of the Government grant applicant refers to a member of a statutory or other decision-making body of a legal person acting as an employer and one who on behalf of the employer directs or supervises work (for example, board members of the limited liability company, members of the municipal council and board and those who direct or supervise work on behalf of the employer).

Wage and salary costs refer to expenditure incurred from remuneration, that is, costs incurred from the remuneration of persons with an employment relationship or a public service relationship. However, purchased services from outsiders are not regarded as wage and salary costs.

**AFFIRMATION**

As an applicant to a Government grant from the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, we affirm that

- The applicant or the applicant's representative referred to in chapter 47, section 8, subsection 1, paragraph 2 of the Criminal Code (39/1889) has not been finally sentenced for an offence referred to in chapter 47, section 6a of the Code (unauthorised use of foreign labour) during the year when the discretionary Government transfer is being granted or during the preceding two years;
- The applicant or the applicant's representative referred to in chapter 47, section 8, subsection 1, paragraph 2 of the Criminal Code has not been finally sentenced for an offence referred to in section 186 of the Aliens Act (310/2004) (employer's violation of the Aliens Act) during the year when the discretionary Government transfer is being granted or during the preceding two years; or
- A financial sanction referred to in chapter 11a, section 3 of the Employment Contracts Act (55/2001) has not been imposed on the applicant by a final decision during the year when the discretionary Government transfer is being granted or during the preceding two years.

Applicant's name, signature and name in print of a person/persons entitled to sign

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Applicant's name

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Signature

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Name in print

Place and date

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