Declaration on Exclusion Criteria

I, the undersigned (name and function of legal representative of ETC consortium partner):

authorised to sign on behalf of

Name of ETC consortium partner:

Address:

VAT or other registration number:

Declares on oath that the ETC consortium partner mentioned above:

a) Is not bankrupt or being wound up, is not having its affairs administered by the courts, has not entered into an arrangement with creditors, has not suspended business activities, is not the subject of proceedings concerning those matters or is not in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulations;

b) It has not been convicted of an offence concerning its professional conduct by a judgement which has the force of *res judicata*;

c) Has not been guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means which the Agency can justify;

d) Has fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions or the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which they are established or those of the country of the Agency or those of the country where the contract is to be performed;

e) It has not been the subject of a judgment which has the force of res judicata for fraud, corruption, involvement in a criminal organisation or any other illegal activity detrimental to the Communities' financial interests;

f) Following another procurement procedure or grant award procedure financed by the Community budget, has not been declared to be in serious breach of contract for failure to comply with the contractual obligations.

I, the undersigned, understand that contracts may not be awarded if, during the grant award procedure, the ETC consortium partner mentioned above:

• Is subject to a conflict of interest;

• Is guilty of misrepresentation in supplying the information required by the contracting authority as a condition of participation in the contract procedure or fail to supply this information.

Name and function:

Signature:

Date and place: