**BASIC DOCUMENT 4- AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE ENTITIES**

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GROUPED ENTITIES PROMOTING THE PROJECT WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE 2023 CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION PROJECTS FROM BARCELONA CITY COUNCIL, WITH THE "LA CAIXA" FOUNDATION

Barcelona, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**ACTING**

On one side, Mr/Ms \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with national identity document (DNI) number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and representative of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with fiscal identification (CIF) number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , with headquarters/ registered office at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

On one side, Mr/Ms \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with national identity document (DNI) number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and representative of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with fiscal identification (CIF) number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , with headquarters/ registered office at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**THEY HEREBY STATE**

**One.** The signatories to this agreement aim to engage in research in the following project: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Two.** They have the necessary resources to achieve the project goals.

**Three.** They wish to work together to achieve the goals of the project presented jointly, for the purposes of bringing together synergies for advancing in the call’s subjects.

The parties mutually recognise each other’s necessary capacity for entering into this collaboration agreement and as a result,

**AGREE AS FOLLOWS**

**One. PURPOSE**

The aim of this agreement is to establish and regulate the collaboration between the signatories making up the group for implementing the project.

**Two. REPRESENTATION BEFORE AND LIAISING WITH BARCELONA CITY COUNCIL**

The leading entity will be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The lead researcher (LR) of the project is Mr/Ms \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with fiscal identification (NIF) number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ member of the entity with headquarters/registered office at\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and with identity card number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, to whom sufficient powers are granted to fulfil the obligations that, as beneficiary, correspond to the group, in accordance with the provisions of article 11 of General Grants Act 38/2003, of 17 November.

The leading entity will also be in charge of submitting the grant application for Barcelona City Council's 2023 call for research and innovation grants, in collaboration with the "la Caixa" Foundation. This application must be made directly to Barcelona City Council through the channels provided for in the call for applications.

In the event that the grant is awarded, all the entities grouped together will be beneficiaries. The leading entity will receive the total amount awarded and will have to transfer the agreed parts to each of the other entities.

In the event of being awarded the grant, the group must meet all the requirements of the terms and conditions regulating the calls for grants for research, artistic creation and transfer of knowledge in the field of science, and Barcelona City Council’s 2023 call for research and innovation grants, in collaboration with the "la Caixa" Foundation.

All applicant entities taking part in the same project shall be jointly and severally liable before the Municipal authority.

As a general rule, changes in the composition of the group of legal entities are not accepted during the duration of the project. Exceptionally, due to well justified reasons of force majeure (such as a business failure), a change may be considered.

In the event that any of the parties should break the collaboration agreement, unless there is a well-justified reason of force majeure, the project will be terminated and the proportional part of the grant will be reimbursed on the basis of its state of execution; this provided that point 12.8 of the call for proposals is satisfied, and if necessary, following an audit report, as specified in point 12.4 of said call.

**Three. GROUNDS FOR TERMINATION AND EFFECTS**

This collaboration agreement shall be terminated on the basis of legally established grounds and, in any case, for any of the following reasons:

* By its term coming to an end.
* By mutual agreement between the parties expressed in writing.
* By fulfilment of its aim.
* By breach of any of the undertakings established in this collaboration agreement and others assumed by the parties during its term.
* By the supervening impossibility of achieving its aim.
* For any of the general reasons established in the current legislation in force.

**Four. TERM**

This agreement shall remain in force from the date of its signing to the closing of the file linked to the project that was presented to this call and shall cover within its scope all the collaboration between the parties from the start of the activity.

In witness whereof, the parties sign this document, in duplicate and to single effect, at the place and on the date shown in the header.

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Legal representative \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Entity \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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