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## **GRANT AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup>**

### **AGREEMENT NUMBER — LIFE19 PRE/NL/000003 - LIFE ENPLC**

This Agreement ('the Agreement') is concluded between the following parties:

on the one part,

The European Union ('the Union'), represented by the European Commission (hereinafter referred to as "the Commission") and acting under the powers delegated by the European Commission, represented for the purposes of signature of the Agreement by Mr. Jean-Claude MERCIOL, Head of Unit,

and

on the other part,

1. 'the coordinating beneficiary':

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Jules de Beerstraat 14-01  
5048 AH Tilburg  
The Netherlands

represented for the purposes of signature of the Agreement by Mr. Tilmann DISSELHOFF  
President.

and the following other associated beneficiaries:

2. Associação Nacional de Proprietários Rurais Gestão Cinegética e Biodiversidade, established in Portugal,  
Aanspreekpunt Privaat Beheer Natuur en Bos, established in Belgium,  
European Landowners Organization, established in Belgium,  
Eesti Erametsaliit, established in Estonia,  
Federatie Particulier Grondbezit, established in The Netherlands,  
Fondation François Sommer, established in France,

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<sup>1</sup> Within the framework of the Regulation (EC) No 1293/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 on the establishment of a Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 614/2007, OJ L 347 of 20/12/2013, p.185 (hereinafter "the LIFE Regulation") and the Commission Implementing Decision 2018/210 of 12 February 2018 on the adoption of the LIFE multiannual work programme for 2018-20, OJ L39 of 13/02/2018.

Fundacion Artemisan, established in Spain,  
Fundatia ADEPT Transilvania, established in Romania,  
Latvian Fund for Nature, established in Latvia,  
A MONTIS - Associação de Conservação da Natureza, established in Portugal,  
Naturschutzbund Deutschland e.V. Bundesverband, established in Germany,  
Natuurpunt Beheer vzw, established in Belgium,  
Associação Rewilding Iberia PT, established in Portugal,  
WWF Oasi Società Unipersonale a responsabilità limitata con Socio unico, established in Italy,  
Xarxa per a la Conservació de la Natura, established in Spain,  
Aanspreekpunt Privaat Beheer - Natuur en Bos – APB, established in Belgium,  
CSOP, established in Czech Republic,  
Latvian Forest Owners – MIB, established in Latvia,

duly represented for the signature of the Agreement by the coordinating beneficiary by virtue of the mandate included in Annex II form A4

Unless otherwise specified, references to ‘beneficiary’ and ‘beneficiaries’ include the coordinating beneficiary.

The parties referred to above

#### HAVE AGREED

to the Special Conditions (‘the Special Conditions’) and the following Annexes:

- Annex I General Conditions ((hereinafter referred to as ‘the General Conditions’)
- Annex II Description of the project
- Annex III Estimated budget of the project: Forms R1, R2 and all F-Forms in Annex II
- Annex IV Mandates provided to the coordinating beneficiary by the other beneficiaries Forms A4 in Annex II
- Annex V Model technical report: The applicable model technical reports are to be found on the website: <https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life> (manage your project)
- Annex VI Model financial statement: The applicable model financial reports are to be found on the website: <https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life> (manage your project)
- Annex VII Model terms of reference for the certificate on the financial statements *to be found on the website: <https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life> (manage your project)*
- Annex VIII Model terms of reference for the certificate on the compliance of the cost accounting practices: **not applicable**

Annex IX Model terms of reference for the operational verification report: **not applicable**

Annex X Financial and Administrative guidelines <https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life>  
([manage your project](https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life))

Annex XI Guidelines for applicants <https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/life>

which form an integral part of the Agreement.

The provisions in the Special Conditions of the Agreement take precedence over its Annexes.

The provisions in Annex I ‘General Conditions’ take precedence over the other Annexes.

## SPECIAL CONDITIONS

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