DRAFT DECISION-MAKING STRUCTURE

Memorandum of Understanding
between Norway and Romania

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Contributions made available through call for proposals
within the selected priority areas

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Eligible applicants submit project proposals/applications to Innovation Norway
Eligible applicants are partnerships between Romanian and Norwegian private enterprises, public authorities and institutions and NGOs

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Innovation Norway informs Romanian National Focal Point and submits copies of received project proposals/applications, in some cases with a preliminary appraisal

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Consultation committee consisting of representatives of Romanian National Focal Point, Innovation Norway and others appointed by Norwegian and Romanian authorities reviews the submitted applications and formulates recommendations to Innovation Norway

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Reasoned opinion by National Focal Point
Within 2 weeks after meeting of Consultation Committee National Focal Point may submit a reasoned opinion. This is however not compulsory in all cases and absence of such opinion will be understood as a consent from Romanian authorities

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Full appraisal of project proposals
arranged by Innovation Norway

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Project decision by Innovation Norway
Applicant and National Focal Point will be notified. Grant agreement is signed between Innovation Norway and the applicant

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Implementation
by project owners (the partnership of Romanian and Norwegian entities)

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Monitoring, control and evaluation
by Innovation Norway and Romanian authorities and entities that they involve.