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# **PROPOSAL**

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# **ANNEX**

#### INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED IN THE KEY INVESTMENT INFORMATION SHEET

# Part A: Information about the project owner(s) and the crowdfunding project

- (a) Identity, legal status, ownership, management and contact details;
- (b) Principle activities; products or services offered;
- (c) A hyperlink to the most recent financial statement of the project owner, if available;
- (d) Description of the crowdfunding project, including its the purpose and the main features.

# Part B: Main features of the crowdfunding process and conditions for the capital raising or funds borrowing, as applicable

- (a) Minimum target capital to be raised or target funds to be borrowed in a single crowdfunding offering and the number of offerings that have been completed by the project owner or crowdfunding service provider for the crowdfunding project;
- (b) Deadline for reaching the target to raise capital or borrow funds;
- (c) Information on the consequences if the target capital is not raised or the targeted funds are not borrowed by the deadline;
- (d) The maximum offering amount when different from the target capital set out in point (a);
- (e) Amount of own funds committed to the crowdfunding project by the project owner;
- (f) Change of the composition of the issuer's capital or loans related to the crowdfunding offer.

#### **Part C: Risk Factors**

Presentation of the main risks associated with financing the crowdfunding project, with the sector, the project, the project owner and the investment instrument, including geographic risks, where relevant.

### Part D: Information related to the offering of securities

- (a) Total amount and type of investment instruments to be offered;
- (b) Subscription price;
- (c) Whether oversubscriptions are accepted and how they are allocated;
- (d) Terms of subscription and payment;
- (e) Custody and delivery of investment instruments to investors;

- (f) Where the investment is secured by a guarantor or a collateral:
  - (i) whether that guarantor or collateral provider is a legal person;
  - (ii) the identity, legal status and contact details of that guarantor or collateral provider;
  - (iii) information on the nature and the terms of the guarantee or collateral;
- (g) Where applicable, a firm commitment to buy back securities and the time period for such a buy-back;
- (h) For non-equity instruments, the nominal interest rate, the date from which interest becomes payable, the due dates for interest payments, the maturity date and the applicable yield.

# Part E: Issuer's information, where the issuer is different from the project owner and therefore is an SPV

- (a) Whether there is an SPV interposed between the project owner and the investor;
- (b) Contact details of the issuer.

# **Part F: Investor rights**

- (a) Key rights attached to the securities;
- (b) Restrictions to which the securities are subject;
- (c) Description of any restrictions on the transferring of securities;
- (d) Opportunities for exit;
- (e) For equity securities, distribution of capital and voting rights before and after the capital increase resulting from the offer (assuming that all the securities will be subscribed).

### Part G: Disclosure related to the loan agreement

Where the crowdfunding offer involves credit intermediation, the key investment information sheet shall, instead of the information referred to in Parts D, E and F, contain the following information:

- (a) Nature and duration of the credit agreement;
- (b) Applicable interest rates or, where applicable, other compensation to the investor;
- (c) Risk mitigation measures, such as whether credit is secured;
- (d) Amortisation schedule of the principle and repayment of interest.

## Part H: Fees, information and legal redress

(a) Fees charged to, and the costs incurred by, the investor in relation to the investment;

- (b) Where and how additional information about the crowdfunding project, the project owner and issuer can be obtained free of charge;
- (c) How and to whom the investor may address a complaint about the investment or about the conduct of the project owner or about the crowdfunding service provider.