

ACCESSIBLE TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

Attestation and Signing Authority for the Application for Funding

I CERTIFY THAT the information in this application is accurate and complete and the project proposals, including budgets, are fairly presented.

I authorize Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED) to gather from, and share with, other government sources of assistance the necessary information to ensure there will be no duplication of assistance and confirm that all agreements are being adhered to.

I understand that the Assessable Technology Program is a discretionary program subject to available funding, and that submission of a complete application, meeting any or all of the assessment criteria, or responding to requests from ISED officers for further information in respect of an application, does not mean that funding will be granted. All applicants whose project is approved for program funding will be so notified in writing.

I agree that if funding is provided, any change to the project proposal will require prior approval of the Department. I agree to publicly acknowledge funding and assistance by the Department, in accordance with the terms of the funding agreement. I also agree to submit a final report, and where required, financial accounting for evaluation of the activity funded by the Department. I understand that the information provided in this application may be accessible under the *Access to Information Act*. I also agree to respect the spirit and intent of the various acts governing the programs of the Department of Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada.

I attest to the following on behalf of the organization:

- a) Certification that any person, including any consultant or in-house lobbyist, who lobbies on behalf of the organization to obtain Program funding and who is required to be registered pursuant to the *Lobbying Act* is registered pursuant to that Act;
- b) Affirmation that the organization has not, nor has any person on its behalf, engaged or employed any person (other than an employee) for the purpose of obtaining Program funding; and paid, or agreed to pay, that person a commission, contingency or success fee or any other consideration (whether monetary or otherwise) that is dependent upon the organization receiving Program funding;
- c) Assurance that any former public servant, who derives benefit from the contribution agreement, will be in compliance with the Values and Ethics Code for the Public Sector.
- d) Assurance that any former public office holder, who derives a direct benefit from the contribution agreement, will be in compliance with the *Conflict of Interest Act*;
- e) Assurance that no member of the House of Commons or Senate will benefit from the contribution; and

I have authority to bind the organization,

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

Signature

Name and Title

Date

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