**ANNEX 17**

**DECLARATION OF BACKGROUND**

*[Instructions:*

* *Please, remember to insert the number of the procedure in the header;*
* *Text in yellow means that text needs to be entered;*
* *Text between [ ] and in yellow means that there are options of which one shall be chosen;*
* *Text between [ ], in italics and in green are instructions/clarifications.*

*Ensure that all instructions and optional text which is not applicable is deleted before issuing the document.]*

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| **Contract Ref.** | **F4E-XXX-0000** |
| **Title of the Contract**  |  |
| **Declaring company/entity** | **□ Contractor: …****□ Subcontractor: …**  |
| **Contact person of the declaring company/entity** | **Name: …****E-mail address:** **…** |
| **List of items included in this Background declaration**  | 1. Item #1
2. Item #2
3. Item #3
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| **List of Confidential items included in this Background declaration** | 1. Item #1
2. Item #2
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| **In case there would be no Background Intellectual Property to be declared** | □ I declare that I have no background intellectual property to declare for this contract |
| **Signature of the present Background declaration by the declaring company/entity** | **Signature: …****Name and position of the Undersigned: …****Date and place of the signature: …** |

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| 1. **ITEM #1**
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| **Confidential** | □ **YES**□ **NO** |
| **Technology Code (4 digits) (**[**see list**](https://industryportal.f4e.europa.eu/mainmenu/how-to-do-business/technology-codes/)**)** |  |
| **Description**  | Description of the Item |

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| **Type of protection** | **□ Patent Publication/Application no.:** **□ Trade secrets, it is kept confidential.** **□ Copyright (e.g. database, software, drawings, etc.)****□ Other:** |
| **Publications (scientific papers, conferences, etc.)** | □ **YES, Publication References**: □ **NO**  |
| **Does it depend on other declared items in this Background declaration?**  | □ **YES, OWN IP:** □ **YES, BELONGING TO A THIRD PARTY**: □ **NO** |
| **Does it come from former contracts/grants with F4E, EFDA, EURATOM, ITER?** | □ **YES, contract/grant reference:**□ **NO**  |
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| 1. **ITEM #2**
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| **Confidential** | □ **YES**□ **NO** |
| **Technology Code (4 digits) (**[**see list**](https://industryportal.f4e.europa.eu/mainmenu/how-to-do-business/technology-codes/)**)** |  |
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| 1. **ITEM #3**
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| **Confidential** | □ **YES**□ **NO** |
| **Technology Code (4 digits) (**[**see list**](https://industryportal.f4e.europa.eu/mainmenu/how-to-do-business/technology-codes/)**)** |  |
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