**Principles of Partnership agreement**

**(required minimum)**

The Partnership agreement must contain the following points according to Article 6.8 *Project partners and partnership agreements* ofRegulation on the implementation of the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2009-2014 as a minimum*:*

1. provisions on the roles and responsibilities of the parties;
2. provisions on the financial arrangements between the parties, including, but not limited to, which costs the Project Partner(s) can get reimbursed from the project budget;
3. provisions on the method of calculating indirect costs and their maximum amount;
4. currency exchange rules for such expenditure and its reimbursement;
5. provisions on audits on the Project Partners;
6. a detailed budget, with itemised expenditures and unit prices;
7. provisions on dispute resolution;
8. intellectual property rights.

Note:

The draft of the Partnership agreement is attached to the project proposal as a mandatory annex.

A Partnership agreement for a project within the Czech-Norwegian Research Programme contains provisions on intellectual property rights following the Regulation on the implementation of the Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2009-2014. These provisions *mutatis mutandis* are in compliance with Regulation (EC) No. 1906/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006.

The Partnership agreement is written in English.

The eligibility of cost incurred by a Project Partner is subject to the same limitations as would apply if the cost were incurred by the Project Promoter.

When the project proposal is finally approved by the Programme Operator, the signed Partnership agreement is submitted to the Programme Operator before the signing of the Project contract.