Annex 1b
Mandate[[1]](#footnote-2)

I, the undersigned,

[forename and surname of the legal representative of the future partner signing this mandate],

representing,

[full official name of the future partner] *[ACRONYM]*

[*official legal status or form*][[2]](#footnote-3)

[*official registration No*][[3]](#footnote-4)

[full official address]

[*VAT number*],

(‘the partner’),

for the purposes of signing and implementing the Hosting Agreement and any other relevant agreements signed under it [Title & No], with the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking (‘the agreements’) for the call for expression of interest for the hosting and operation of European quantum computers integrated in HPC supercomputers

hereby:

1. Mandate

[full official name of the coordinator] *[ACRONYM]*

[*official legal status or form*]

[*official registration No*][[4]](#footnote-5)

[full official address]

[*VAT number*],

represented by [forename, surname and function of the legal representative of the coordinator] (‘the coordinator’)

to sign in my name and on my behalf the agreements and their possible subsequent amendments with the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking.

2. Mandate the coordinator to act on behalf of the partner in compliance with the agreements.

I hereby confirm that the partner accepts all terms and conditions of the agreements and, in particular, all provisions affecting the coordinator and the other partners.

I hereby accept that the partner will do everything in its power to help the coordinator fulfil its obligations under the agreements, and in particular, to provide to the coordinator, on its request, whatever documents or information may be required.

I hereby declare that the partner agrees that the provisions of the agreements, including this mandate, take precedence over any other agreement between the partner and the coordinator which may have an effect on the implementation of the agreements.

This mandate is annexed to the Call for expression of Interest and Hosting agreement and forms an integral part of it.

SIGNATURE

[forename, surname, function of the legal representative of the mandating partner]

[signature]

Done at [place], [date]

In duplicate[[5]](#footnote-6) in English]

*The mandate letter is to be signed with:*

1. *Electronic signature (recommended option):*

*In case you have the possibility to sign the mandate letter using a qualified electronic signature (QES), please have it signed electronically by your authorised representative(s). Please note that only the qualified electronic signature (QES) within the meaning of Regulation (EU) No 910/2014 (eIDAS Regulation) will be accepted.*

*Before sending back your electronically signed document, please check the signature and validity of the certificate with one of the following tools:*

* *DSS Demonstration validation tool available at* <https://ec.europa.eu/cefdigital/DSS/webapp-demo/validation>*can help you check the validity of a certificate by indicating the number and type of valid signatures in a document.*
* *EU Trusted List Browser can be consulted in order to check whether the electronic signature provider and the trust service it provides are part of European Union Trusted List:* [https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/tl-browser/#](https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/tl-browser/#/)

*To make sure you use a QES compliant to eIDAS Regulation, you need to check that both the service provider and the qualified certificate generation service used are included in the EU Trusted List Browser.*

1. *Handwritten signature:*

*In case you do not have the possibility to sign the mandate letter using a qualified electronic signature (QES), please fill it in electronically, then print it and have it signed and dated by your authorised representative(s) using a hand-written signature.*

*When the mandate(s) letter(s) is/are signed by hand, a scanned copy must be attached to the application when electronically submitted. The hand-signed original(s) must be sent by letter to the following EuroHPC Joint Undertaking´s postal address:*

***EuroHPC JU***

*Drosbach Building (DRB) - Wing E – 1st floor*

*12E rue Guillaume Kroll*

*L-2920 Luxembourg*

*The mandate(s) letter(s) shall be sent at the latest on the first working day following the electronic submission of the application, clearly mentioning the reference to the call for expression of interest and the name of the applicant. The envelope must be marked as "CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST EUROHPC-2022-CEI-QC-01– NOT TO BE OPENED BY THE INTERNAL MAIL DEPARTMENT". Only the original(s) of the mandate(s) letter(s)or the Declaration on honour (as indicated in Annex 1a) are to be sent by letter, not other documents, that will be discarded.*

1. One original version of this Annex to be included for each partner except for the coordinator. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. To be deleted or filled out in accordance with the ‘Legal Entity’ form. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. To be deleted or filled out in accordance with the ‘Legal Entity’ form. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
4. To be deleted or filled out in accordance with the ‘Legal Entity’ form. [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
5. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)