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CONFIDENTIALITY COMMITMENT

The undersigned, _____

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ACKNOWLEDGED OF

the confidential nature of the information that will be shared during the DeFINE Call for Applications and Selection process which will take place from June 15th till September 18th, 2019, during which confidential information related to the innovative fashion-tech projects submitted by applicants will be shared (hereinafter "Confidential Information") and the possibility that it may be protected by know-how (EU Directive 2016/943) or patent application filing, which require the confidentiality of the Confidential Information itself, therefore

DECLARES

to accept, by signing this Commitment, the provisions set forth below and to undertake to maintain, with the diligence required, the confidentiality of Confidential Information received from any participants taking part to the aforementioned event including Institut Français de la Mode and the partners of DeFINE Consortium. In particular, the undersigned undertakes to observe secrecy with regard to facts, information, knowledge, documents, objects or know-how under EU Directive 2016/943 of which he or she becomes aware during the aforementioned exchange of information with any other participant taking part to the aforementioned event.

I, the undersigned, therefore, undertake:

- not to copy, use, process or disseminate Confidential Information with any person;
- not to keep, documents, archives, notes or other files containing Confidential Information;



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The obligation of confidentiality of Confidential Information under this Commitment shall terminate five (5) years after the date on which the undersigned became aware of such information, unless secrecy is required for Know-How under EU Directive 2016/943, which may last until necessary.

The public discussion and disclosure, even involuntary, of the innovative contents indicated above – which may be included in one or more patent application - before the filing of said patent application, would risk to invalidate the requirement of novelty of the invention, rendering the patent application null and void.

Violation of this obligation will give the owner of the information the right to take legal and judicial action for the cessation of prejudicial conduct and for the compensation of damages suffered as a result of such violation.

In any case, the above obligations will cease to be effective when the information becomes public knowledge due to facts not attributable to the undersigned.

Read, accepted and signed, place, _____, date _____

in faith Signature _____