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PREAMBLE

Enterprise Ireland participates in the European Space Components Coordination (ESCC) having been accorded Observer Status for Ireland at the Space Components Steering Board (SCSB), the preeminent ESCC Body. In accepting this status Enterprise Ireland recognises the ESCC Charter, ESCC Document No. 00000, and agrees to fulfil the obligations set forth by the Charter.

In respect of the ESCC Executive, Enterprise Ireland specifically agrees to contribute resources to support the Executive tasks defined in the Charter. This document acts as an Executive Implementation Agreement (EIA) between Enterprise Ireland and the SCSB as to the nature of the Enterprise Ireland contribution to the Executive.

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1. **PURPOSE**

This document sets forth the Enterprise Ireland contribution to the ESCC Executive.

2. **DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS**

Charter	Charter of the European Space Components Coordination
DCR	Document Change Request
EEE	Electrical, Electronic and Electro-mechanical
EIA	Executive Implementation Agreement
ESA	European Space Agency
ESCC	European Space Components Coordination
SCSB	Space Components Steering Board

3. **RELATED DOCUMENTS**

3.1 **APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS**

ESCC 00000	Charter of the European Space Components Coordination
ESCC 10200	Organisation and Basic Rules of the Executive

3.2 **REFERENCE DOCUMENTS**

QCS/AJG/021006 Invitation to adopt Observer status in the SCSB.

4. **DECLARATION**

Enterprise Ireland declares to the SCSB that it will support the ESCC Executive, as defined in this EIA Part 1, with the resources outlined.

Enterprise Ireland further declares that it appoints a member of staff with the responsibility to coordinate the Enterprise Ireland contribution.

5. **RESOURCES CONTRIBUTED**

Enterprise Ireland will provide the following resources to the operation of the ESCC Executive:

- A titular Enterprise Ireland Coordinator for the activities in Ireland and the Enterprise Ireland contribution.
- Component engineering manpower covering the domain of EEE parts.

- Quality assurance engineering manpower.
- Enterprise Ireland management support for the staff contributed to the Executive.
- The provision of necessary accommodation, offices, meeting rooms etc. to directly support the contributed staff and to support meetings occasioned by the Executive activities.
- Budgetary support in terms of labour and overhead costs for the contributed resources together with adequate provisions for the travel and subsistence of the contributed staff when involved in ESCC activities external to Enterprise Ireland.

6. LIABILITY

Article 8 of the Charter, ESCC 00000, is qualified as follows:

- Enterprise Ireland shall not be liable with respect to damages caused by the use of any results or documents provided by Enterprise Ireland within the frame of the Executive Implementation Agreement.
- ESA agrees to reflect this undertaking of liability in any relevant contracts or documents.

7. LIMITATIONS

See Article 4.3 of the Charter, ESCC 00000.

8. CONFIDENTIALITY

Documents provided by Enterprise Ireland identified as confidential may be published only within the Executive.

Non confidential documents may be published freely.

9. COORDINATOR

Enterprise Ireland identifies:

- Mr J. Howley as coordinator of the activities in Ireland and the Enterprise Ireland contribution.

10. VALIDITY

This EIA enters into force upon signature (2nd May 2005) and remains valid for the period Enterprise Ireland exercises its Observer status at the SCSB, unless otherwise cancelled.

The EIA may be modified by ESCC DCR as and when necessary.

In case of termination of the ESCC Charter, the EIA will be automatically terminated.

11. EIA PART 2

This document, Part 1 of the EIA, is supplemented by a Part 2 in which Enterprise Ireland provides a detailed description of the contribution.

The Part 2 is only published within the Executive's internal documentation. The EIA Part 2 is intended for integration with EIA Part 2s from the other Contributing Bodies to the Executive. It is revised regularly by Enterprise Ireland to reflect changes in the total Executive resource and the variations in the Executive activities and associated workloads.