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[ ENGLISH TEXT – TEXTE ANGLAIS ]

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN UNION AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FAROES ON SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION

#### THE EUROPEAN UNION,

hereinafter "the Union",

of the one part,

and

# THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FAROES, hereinafter "the Faroes",

of the other part,

hereinafter referred to as the "Parties",

CONSIDERING the importance of current scientific and technological cooperation between the Faroes and the Union and their mutual interest in strengthening it in the context of the establishment of the European Research Area.

WHEREAS Faroese researchers have already successfully been participating in projects funded by the Union.

CONSIDERING the interest of both Parties in encouraging the mutual access of their research entities to research and development activities in the Faroes, on the one hand, and to the Union's framework programmes for research and technological development, on the other. WHEREAS the Faroes and the Union have an interest in cooperating on these programmes to their mutual benefit.

WHEREAS, by Decision No 1982/2006 EC of 18 December 2008, the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union adopted the Seventh Framework Programme of the European Community for research, technological development and demonstration activities (2007 to 2013) (hereinafter referred to as "the Framework Programme").

CONSIDERING that the Government of the Faroes concludes this Agreement on behalf of the Kingdom of Denmark pursuant to the Act on the Conclusion of Agreements under International Law by the Government of the Faroes.

WHEREAS, without prejudice to the relevant provisions of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (hereinafter referred to as "TFEU"), this Agreement and any activities entered into under it will in no way affect the powers vested in the Member States to undertake bilateral activities with the Faroes in the fields of science, technology, research and development, and to conclude, where appropriate, agreements to that end,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

#### ARTICLE 1

#### Scope

1. The Faroes shall be associated, under the terms and conditions established by, or referred to, in this Agreement and its Annexes, to the Framework Programme as established by Decision 1982/2006/EC, Regulation (EC) No 1906/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 laying down the rules for the participation of undertakings, research centres and universities in actions under the Seventh Framework Programme and for the dissemination of research results (2007-2013) , and by Council Decisions 2006/971/EC , 2006/972/EC , 2006/973 EC , 2006/974/EC and 2006/975/EC on various specific programmes under the Framework Programme.

2. All acts deriving from the acts referred to in paragraph 1, including the acts setting up the structures needed for the implementation of the Framework Programme through research activities under Articles 185 and 187 of the TFEU shall be applicable in the Faroes.