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LETTER OF SUPPORT

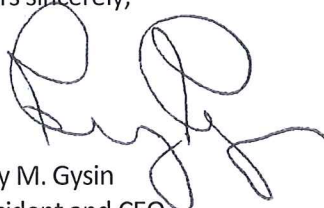
We reference your proposed project titled *Innovation in the Framework of the Atlantic Deep Ocean* (iFADO), which is in response to Specific Objective 1.2 (*"Strengthening the transfer of innovation results to facilitate the emergence of new products, services and processes"*) of Priority Axis 1 (*"Stimulating innovation and competitiveness and the specific objective"*) of the Interreg Atlantic Area Programme Manual First Call for Projects 2016.

Liquid Robotics, Inc. confirms that we are willing to support your iFADO proposal. Liquid Robotics, with competence in collecting data and performing activities related to the Marine Strategy Framework Directive (MSFD), sees this as a beneficial project to link to our interests to increase ocean-monitoring capabilities in the area of the East-Central North Atlantic with autonomous, sustainable technologies. The proposed approach, with cooperation and sharing of knowledge and technologies with other Atlantic Area countries and coastal managers, is a relevant strategy to enhance the development of innovative products in the implementation of the MSFD.

Therefore, we confirm our interest as a potential end-user of project results.

Liquid Robotics, Inc. welcomes the opportunity to participate in stakeholder meetings, or training activities, to gather inputs for the project and community benefit be able and to evaluate some of the final project tools, guidelines and methodologies.

Yours sincerely,



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