



CANADA  
MEDIA FUND FONDS DES MÉDIAS  
DU CANADA

# APPLICANT ATTESTATION

## COVID-19 RECOVERY FUND – CMF THIRD-LANGUAGE ALLOCATION 2022-2023

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Name of the corporation (the “Corporation”)

I, the undersigned, \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the deponent

### DECLARE, that

1. I am an officer of the Corporation and am duly authorized to declare the following for the Corporation and its Related Parties<sup>1</sup>;
2. I confirm that I have performed a complete due diligence of all relevant facts for the drafting of this declaration and that I have personal knowledge of said facts;
3. I confirm that I have read the published Criteria for the COVID-19 Recovery Funds – CMF Third-Language Allocation 2022-2023 (the “**Funds**”) (including section 3.1 and all applicable definitions, external references and links and footnotes) and confirm that I and the Corporation meet all the eligibility requirements (set out in greater detail below) necessary to receive a financial contribution through the Funds;
4. I acknowledge that the Canada Media Fund (“**CMF**”) is relying on this declaration to determine whether the Corporation is eligible to access the Funds;
5. The Corporation and its Related Parties (the “**Corporate Group**”) have been negatively impacted by COVID-19, which has resulted in financial hardship to their operations, and therefore are in need of the Funds to ensure continuity of operations and to safeguard jobs;
6. Neither the Corporate Group nor any of its Related Parties have ever received a funding commitment from the CMF through either the CMF’s Convergent Stream, Experimental Stream or Sector Development;

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<sup>1</sup>“**Related Parties**” has the meaning set out in the CPA Canada Handbook, as amended, supplemented or replaced from time to time, as that definition has been applied by CMF in its Accounting and Reporting Requirements

7. The Corporation confirms that each project that it is including in its application to the Funds has a CRTC Domestic Canadian Program “C” certification. Alternatively, if a project included in its application to the Funds does not yet have a CRTC “C” certification, the Corporation confirms that the project will receive a CRTC “C” certification and will alert the CMF if its project ultimately does not receive such certification;
8. Neither the Corporation nor any of its Related Parties are receiving funding from multiple Government of Canada COVID-19 emergency response or recovery initiatives (e.g., Canada Emergency Response Benefit, Canada Recovery Benefit, Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy, Canada Emergency Business Account, Canada Emergency Commercial Rent Assistance for Small Businesses, Canada Recovery Hiring Program, earlier iterations of this Program, initiatives through other federal arts/culture agencies like Telefilm Canada or Canada Council for the Arts and any other Government of Canada COVID-19 emergency response or recovery initiatives) (“**Emergency Response or Recovery Initiatives**”) to cover the same costs as those to which the Funds are intended to be applied. Further, if the Corporation and/or any of its Related Parties subsequently receives any funding related to an Emergency Response or Recovery Initiative, it will not use that funding to cover the same costs as those to which the Funds are intended to be, or have been, applied;
9. Upon request, the Corporation shall declare to the CMF and/or Government of Canada all other funding received (by the Corporate Group), if any, from other Government of Canada Emergency Response or Recovery Initiative (defined above);
10. The Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds is not insolvent or bankrupt, in the course of the reorganization of its business within the meaning of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada)*, and it has not taken steps and no steps have been taken against it for its winding-up or dissolution and no receiver or trustee has been appointed for its property;
11. The Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds is in good standing under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation;
12. At the time of application, the Corporation and/or any Related Party commits that they plan to remain in operation and to continue contributing to their sector in the future;
13. The Funds will be used to support business continuity, including operational expenses like salaries, for payments to workers such as the self-employed and freelance workers, artists, and creators and, where applicable, project-specific expenses of the Corporation;
14. The Corporation will respect its contractual payment obligations, including payments to workers and individuals who may not be eligible for the Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy, such as freelance workers, the self-employed, creators and artists;
15. For in-person activities, it will comply with local health measures and plans as required by the jurisdiction where the funded activities are to be undertaken;
16. The Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds will use such funds according to the objectives of the Government of Canada and the spirit and intent of the Funds;
17. I have read sections 1 to 3 and 26 to 28 of the *Investment Canada Act* and confirm that the Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds is “Canadian controlled”, within the meaning given to this expression in the aforementioned provisions;
18. No determination or declaration has been made with respect to the Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds under subsections 26(2.1) or (2.2) of the *Investment Canada Act* and I am not aware of any fact or circumstance as a result of which such a determination or declaration could be made;
19. There is no fact or event that could affect the Canadian control of the Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds;
20. The Corporation and/or any Related Party benefiting from the Funds will maintain its “Canadian controlled” status for at least 12 months following receipt of the Funds; and

21. I acknowledge that making a false declaration is considered as an event of default for the Corporate Group under CMF's policies and may constitute a criminal offense.

**AND I HAVE SIGNED**

In	_____	_____
	City	Province
This	_____	_____
	Date	Signature of deponent