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Letter of Support for the UNITED-NetZero project

Dear Ms Kordas,

This letter is intended to serve as a recommendation for the UNITED-NetZero proposal that will be submitted under the 2023 HORIZON-MISS-2023-CIT-02 call.

I understand that your project aims, as a first step, to identify a core group of Ukrainian cities that are equipped and willing to commit to the EU Climate-Neutral and Smart Cities Mission and to create the necessary enabling conditions to deliver upon this commitment – in terms of capacity building in Ukrainian cities, twinning with like-minded partner cities and adapting the NetZeroCities platform to account for the specificities of the Ukrainian context. As a second step, I understand your project aims to prepare Climate City Contracts and Climate Investment Plans in pilot Ukrainian cities to work towards the co-creation and implementation of transformative portfolios. To us this represents a very interesting opportunity.

Public union «Association of the engineers of stable energy technologies of Ukraine» is particularly interested in the UNITED-NetZero project and would like to be kept informed about the outcome of the project, preliminary results and any instruments or models developed. I also express the interest to attend project dissemination meetings or events when possible, or to at least receive the relevant documentation.

Additionally, given Public union «Association of the engineers of stable energy technologies of Ukraine» role as union of companies, organizations and scientific institutions for design, manufacturing and operation in the field of construction, reconstruction and technical re-equipment of building sector using energy-efficient technologies, we believe our organisation could be of interest to your project. As such, we are willing to work with project partners to assess if and how our experience could be leveraged to contribute to the activities undertaken as part of the proposed project.

We believe that, if granted, the UNITED-NetZero project will accelerate the association of Ukrainian cities to the EU Climate-Neutral and Smart Cities Mission. Furthermore, we believe that associating Ukrainian cities to the mission through this project will deliver important benefits not only to the Ukrainian cities in question but equally to the existing EU-members of the mission.

Yours sincerely,

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