***PLEASE NOTE****:* ***Copy the text below onto an official company letterhead before submitting.***

Re: **Application for admission into the "2019 Export Contributions and Projects" programme of the Parmigiano Reggiano Cheese Consortium**

The Company \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, with registered office \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, tax ID and VAT No.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, represented by its Legal Representative, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, born in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

Tax ID hereby applies for admission into the "2019 Export Contributions and Projects" promotion programme sponsored by the Parmigiano Reggiano Cheese Consortium, in compliance with the guidelines published on the website [www.parmigianoreggiano.it](http://www.parmigianoreggiano.it) .

By participating in the programme, the Company undertakes:

* to submit the sales data questionnaire 2018-2017;
* to submit requests for contribution and subsequent expense reports, as well as to implement the projects according to the terms and time set forth in the 2019 Guidelines;
* to guarantee the accuracy of the export data pursuant to Articles 46 and 47 of Presidential Decree no. 445/2000, being aware that false declarations amount to a crime pursuant to the Italian Criminal Code and to the special laws on the matter pursuant to the provisions given in Art. 76 of Presidential Decree no. 445/2000;
* to acknowledge the verification criteria for the expense reports and rating issued as set forth;
* to allow the verification of the documents and forms received, including a possible specific accounting and documentary review on the company’s premises;
* to observe a "fair" conduct regarding the use of the Parmigiano Reggiano PDO and the related distinctive signs in all markets, applying the EU principles for protection of the Parmigiano Reggiano PDO also in non-EU markets, preventing illegal use of the Parmigiano Reggiano PDO and of the related distinctive signs also in non-EU markets, promoting and enhancing the quality and distinctive features of Parmigiano Reggiano compared to other hard cheeses;
* to continue being part of the monitoring programmes of grating and portioning companies (directly or subcontracting to companies that have joined the programme);
* to comply with the guidelines on audiovisual and promotional materials issued by the Consortium.

Location and date Stamp and signature of Legal Representative

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