## Annex III. Commitment of Independence

**COMMITMENT OF INDEPENDENCE**

Statement on the commitment to act independently of interests in the fields of work conducted by the European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE):

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| Name (printed in capital letters) |

Position (√ where appropriate)

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| ( ) | Member of the Management Board  |
| ( ) | Member of the Experts’ Forum |
| ( ) | Member of one of EIGE’s Working Groups |
| ( ) | Expert participating in a Thematic Network  |
| ( ) | Other concerned parties participating in EIGE’s activities |

I hereby undertake to act independently of any external influence.

In case this would apply to me:

I am aware that members of the Management Board are obliged to make an annual declaration of interests and to declare at each meeting of the Management Board any interests which might be considered prejudicial to my independence in relation to the items on the agenda.

I am aware that as Member of the Experts’ Forum or a Thematic Network I am expected to declare in every meeting any interests which might be considered prejudicial to my independence in relation to the items on the agenda.

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| Done at |  | Date |  |
| Signature |  |  |