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**Formal request to set-up Aerosol, Clouds and Trace Gases Research Infrastructure as a European Research Infrastructure Consortium (ACTRIS ERIC)**

As a member of the future ERIC, having agreed to the documents listed below, Bulgaria hereby requests, through the host country of Finland, the European Commission to set up the Aerosol, Clouds and Trace Gases Research Infrastructure (ACTRIS) as an ERIC with the Statutes and the Technical and Scientific Description attached hereto.

The initial commitment as a member will be for the full first five years as of the establishment of ACTRIS ERIC.

The representing entity to be named in Annex 1 of the Statutes is the National Research Infrastructure for Observing Atmospheric Aerosols, Clouds and Gas Pollutants Integrated within the Pan-European Infrastructure ACTRIS – ACTRIS BG.

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Annexes:

- ACTRIS ERIC Statutes (version March 2021)
- Technical and Scientific Description (version March 2021)