

Information communicated by the EFTA States regarding State aid granted under the Act referred to in point 1j of Annex XV of the EEA Agreement (Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty) (General Block Exemption Regulation)

PART I

Aid reference	GBER 31/2019/MULTI	
EFTA State	Norway	
EFTA State reference number		
Region	Name of the Region(s) All regions in Norway	Regional aid status
Granting authority	Name	Innovation Norway
	Postal address	P.O.Box 448 Sentrum N-0104 Oslo Norway
	Web address	www.innovationnorway.no
Title of the aid measure	Pilot-T	
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	National Budget 2019 – Ministry of Transport and communications https://www.statsbudsjettet.no/upload/Statsbudsjett_2019/dokumenter/pdf/sd.pdf Page 40 The Norwegian National Transport Plan 2018-2029 (White paper) https://www.regjeringen.no/contentassets/7c52fd2938ca42209e4286fe86bb28bd/no/pdfs/stm201620170033000dddpdfs.pdf	
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	https://www.innovasjon Norge.no/no/tjenester/utlysninger/utlysning-pilot-t/	
Type of measure	Scheme	
Duration	Scheme	01/09/2019 to 31/12/2029
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	
Type of beneficiary	SME	
	Large undertakings	
Budget	Total annual amount of the budget planned under the scheme	National currency NOK 60 000 000
Aid instrument	Grant	

PART II

Primary objective - General objectives (list)	Objectives		Maximum aid intensity in % or Maximum annual aid amount in national currency (in full amounts)	SME - bonuses in % M= medium S= small
SME aid - SMEs' access to finance (Arts. 21-22)	Aid for start-ups (Art. 22) Maximum grant amount 1.2 MEUR, exchange rate 9.91		NOK 11 890 000	
Aid for research, development and innovation (Arts. 25 - 30)	Aid for research and develop- ment projects (Art. 25)	Industrial research (Art. 25(2) b))	50% + Collab. or dissemination bonus: 15%	M: 10% S: 20%
		Experimental development (Art. 25(2)(c))	25% + Collab. or dissemination bonus: 15%	M: 10% S: 20%
		Feasibility studies (Art. 25(2)(d))	50%	M: 10% S: 20%
	Innovation aid for SMEs (Art. 28)	100% up to NOK 1 980 000 within 3 years, else 50%		