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)

Aid reference	GBER 26/2016/ENV			
EFTA State	Norway			
EFTA State				
reference number				
Granting authority	Name I	ova SF		
	Postal address I	tboks 5700 N-7437 Trondheim		
	Web address	oost@enova.no	t@enova.no	
Title of the aid measure	Energy Efficient District Heating and Cooling Scheme			
National legal basis	Parliamentary Decision of 5 April 2001 on the basis of a proposition by the			
(Reference to the	Ministry of Petroleum and Energy of 21 December 2000. The Parliamentary			
relevant national official publication)	Decision amends the Energy Act of 29 June 1990 No 50 (Energiloven).			
Web link to the full	https://www.enova.no/esa			
text of the aid				
measure				
Type of measure	Scheme	Yes		
Duration	Scheme	01/11/2016 to 31/12/20	01/11/2016 to 31/12/2020	
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	Yes	Yes	
Type of beneficiary	SME	Yes	Yes	
	Large undertakings	Yes	Yes	
Budget	Total annual amount of the budg	et National currency	National currency	
	planned under the scheme	350 million NOK	350 million NOK	
Aid instrument	Grant/Interest rate subsidy			
Primary objective	Objectives	Maximum aid	SME - bonuses	
		intensity in % or	in %	
		Maximum annual aid		
		amount in NOK (in		
		full amounts)		
Aid for	Investment aid for energy	45%	10 % for	
Environmental	efficient district heating and		medium	
Protection	cooling (Art. 46)		20% for small	
(Arts. 36-49)				