

**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 27/2015/Risk capital	
EFTA State	Norway	
Region	Name of the Region(s): All Regions	Regional aid status: C, N
Granting authority	Name	Innovation Norway
	Postal address	PO Box 448 Sentrum, N 0104 Oslo, Norway
	Web address	<a href="http://www.innovasjon Norge.no/">http://www.innovasjon Norge.no/</a>
Title of the aid measure	Pre-seed Aid Scheme for TTOs and Incubators <sup>1</sup>	
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Parliamentary Budget Decision 19 June 2015: <a href="https://stortinget.no/globalassets/pdf/innstillinger/stortinget/2014-2015/inns-201415-360.pdf">https://stortinget.no/globalassets/pdf/innstillinger/stortinget/2014-2015/inns-201415-360.pdf</a> - page 156 and 252  and  The Budget Proposal for 2016 – Prop. 1 S (2015-2016), NFD <sup>2</sup> : <a href="https://www.regjeringen.no/contentassets/10bcb67222d447bbbbac981182da1a29/no/pdfs/prp201520160001nfdddpdfs.pdf">https://www.regjeringen.no/contentassets/10bcb67222d447bbbbac981182da1a29/no/pdfs/prp201520160001nfdddpdfs.pdf</a> - page 187	
Web link to the full text of the aid measure	<a href="http://innovasjon Norge.no/no/finansiering/pre-sakornkapital/">http://innovasjon Norge.no/no/finansiering/pre-sakornkapital/</a>	
Type of measure	Scheme	
Duration	Scheme	01/12/2015 to 31/12/2020
Economic sector(s) concerned	All economic sectors eligible to receive aid	
Type of beneficiary	SME (small and innovative)	
Budget	Total annual amount of the budget planned under the scheme	100 MNOK
Aid instrument	Equity and quasi-equity	

<sup>1</sup> Tilskudd til pre-såkornfond, NFD 2421.77

<sup>2</sup> Det kongelige nærings- og fiskeridepartementet, NFD 2421.77

**PART II**

Primary objective - General Objectives (list)	Objectives (list)	Maximum aid intensity in %, or Maximum aid amount in national currency (in full amounts)	SME - bonuses in %
SME aid - SMEs' access to finance (Arts. 21-22)	Aid for start-ups (Art. 22): Equity or quasi-equity in the range NOK 1-3 million (EUR 110 000 – 332 000)	Equity or quasi equity: 7.23 MNOK	