

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

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| Aid reference | GBER 9/2016/MULTI | |
| EFTA State | Norway | |
| Region | Name of the Region(s): All regions | Regional aid status: |
| Granting authority | Name | Innovasjon Norge |
| | Postal address | PO Box 448 Sentrum, N 0104 Oslo, Norway |
| | Web address | http://www.innovasjon Norge.no/ |
| Title of the aid measure | Games Go Global - Innovation Aid Scheme for international oriented Game Companies ¹ | |
| National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication) | Budget proposal 1 S (2015-2016) Ministry of Culture ² , page 51-52, see: https://www.regjeringen.no/contentassets/6a23efb9bb1b4a92808e197ba00c060f/no/pdfs/prp201520160001kuddpdfs.pdf | |
| Web link to the full text of the aid measure | http://www.innovasjon Norge.no/no/finansiering/spill-ut-i-verden/#.VuLJe032ZaQ | |
| Type of measure | Scheme | |
| Duration | Scheme | 20/02/2016 to 31/12/2020 |
| Economic sector(s) concerned | All economic sectors eligible to receive aid | |
| Type of beneficiary | SME | |
| Budget | Total annual amount of the budget planned under the scheme | 15 MNOK |
| Aid instrument | Grant | |
| | Other (please specify): The scheme will also include deliverance of Competence-, Advisory- and Support-services. Indicate to which broad category below it would fit best in terms of its effect/function: - Grant | |

¹ Programmet Spill ut i verden (Games Go Global), KUD kap. 314, post 71. NFD kap. 2421, post 71.

² Prop 1 S (2015-2016) Det kongelige kulturdepartement, s. 51-52.

PART II

| Primary objective - General Objectives (list) | Objectives (list) | Maximum aid intensity in %, or Maximum annual aid amount in national currency (in full amounts) | SME - bonuses in % M= Medium S=Small |
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| SME aid (Arts. 17-20) | Art. 17 | 10% | 10% |
| | Arts. 18-19 | 50% | |
| SME aid - SMEs' access to finance (Arts. 21-22) | Aid for start-ups (Art. 22) | Grant: 3,8 MNOK ³ | |
| Aid for research, development and innovation (Arts. 25-30) | Innovation aid for SMEs (Art. 28) | 50% or 100% up to 1.9 MNOK in 3 years ⁴ | |
| Training aid (Art. 31) | | 50% | M: 10% S: 20% |

³ Maximum grant amount for innovative enterprises in assisted areas with status C: 0.4 MEUR exchange rate 9.6

⁴ If aid for innovation advisory and support services