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Subject: Letter of Commitment and Support – BE-SAFE-NEXT

UNITA Call for Advanced Grants on Research

Dear UNITA Advanced Grants Evaluation Committee,

Esri Portugal, provider of the ArcGIS Pro geospatial platform, expresses its strong support for the BE-SAFE-NEXT project submitted to the UNITA Call for Advanced Grants on Research. Through our collaboration with Universidade da Beira Interior, we recognize BE-SAFE-NEXT's importance in advancing urban safety and sustainable active mobility via robust geospatial analysis.

Strategic benefits for Esri include validation of ArcGIS Pro through real-world applications in dynamic risk mapping, spatial pattern analysis, and GIS integration with ML/IoT/V2X data. The project will generate authoritative case studies for municipal clients, strengthen our Smart City solution portfolio, and position Esri within international funded urban mobility innovation ecosystems, directly supporting our market development objectives.

Commitment to Collaboration

Esri Portugal commits to supporting BE-SAFE-NEXT through:

- Provision of ArcGIS Pro licenses for risk modelling, pilot visualization, and dashboard development.
- Technical expertise to optimize GIS workflows for sensor and V2X data integration.
- Participation in workshops and co-development of technical documentation showcasing project methodologies.

This letter constitutes our formal commitment as a socio-economic partner. We are confident BE-SAFE-NEXT will deliver significant scientific contributions and practical impact for cyclist safety and sustainable urban mobility at national and international levels.

Sincerely,

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