Please ensure this form is placed at the <u>top</u> of your application, if posted to Companies House, and the Company Name is consistent throughout all documents

CIC 36

Declarations on Formation of a Community Interest Company¹

Please complete in typescript, or in bold black capitals.

New Forest Homes for Ukraine C.I.C.

SECTION A: COMMUNITY INTEREST STATEMENT – beneficiaries

1. We/I, the undersigned, declare that the company will carry on its activities for the benefit of the community, or a section of the community². [Insert a <u>short description of the community, or section of the community, which it is intended that the company will benefit below 1³</u>

The CIC's activities will benefit those New Forest residents keen to help people fleeing the war in Ukraine by enabling them play an active role either as hosts or by offering local community-based support.

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SECTION B: Community Interest Statement – Activities & Related Benefit

Please indicate how it is proposed that the company's activities will benefit the community, or a section of the community. Please provide as much detail as possible to enable the CIC Regulator to make an informed decision about whether your proposed company is eligible to become a community interest company. It would be useful if you were to explain how you think your company will be different from a commercial company providing similar services or products for individual or personal gain.

Activities (Tell us here what the company is being set up to do)	How will the activity benefit the community? (The community will benefit by)
Coordinate local community teams to support hosts and guests in their immediate areas	Local communities will be better connected and more resilient as a result of the volunteering and teamworking opportunities we provide.
	New Forest residents with a diverse range of skills and backgrounds, who would not normally meet each other, get to work together and build friendships with each other through the networking of sponsors and/or being part of our local support teams.
	People have opportunities to put skills to purposeful use and become known in their communities – addressing social isolation.
	This will create a legacy of more connected resilient communities in the New Forest district.
The matching service we provide enables hosts to sponsor guests under the government's Homes for Ukraine scheme.	The company's activities will provide benefit to those in the New Forest area who are keen to offer space in their homes (hosts) to those fleeing the war in Ukraine (guests) but who do not have any personal contacts there.
	Many are keen to host Ukrainian families but without our coordinated approach they find it very difficult to identify people to sponsor as required by the Government's Homes for Ukraine scheme – causing frustration and depriving them of an opportunity to both support and learn from their guests.
If the company makes any surplus it will be used for	

(Please continue on separate sheet if necessary.)

We do not expect to generate a surplus but if so it would be used, for example, to buy basic English books and games to help New Forest hosts build a connection more easily with their quests, other

essentials those coming from Ukraine need or local community support activities.

CHECKLIST

ALL Applications

- Have the first directors <u>signed</u> the CIC36? (typed names instead of signatures are <u>not</u> accepted)
- Is the company name consistent throughout?

Hardcopy Applications only

This form must be posted with the following documents:

- (a) Memorandum of Association
- (b) Articles of Association, which comply with CIC legislative requirements
- (c) Form IN01- indicating that the proposed company is adopting bespoke articles.
- (d) Any completed continuation sheets
- (e) A cheque or postal order for £35 made payable to Companies House

When you have completed and signed this form, please ensure it is placed at the top of your application and send it to the Registrar of Companies at:

For companies registered in England and Wales: New Companies Section, Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ DX 33050 Cardiff

For companies registered in Scotland: Companies House, 4th Floor, Edinburgh Quay 2, 139 Fountainbridge, EH3 9FF DX 235 Edinburgh

For companies registered in Northern Ireland: Companies House, 2nd Floor, The Linenhall, 32-38 Linenhall Street, Belfast, BT2 8BG

NOTES

¹ This form will be placed on the public record. Any information relevant to the application that you do not wish to appear on the public record, should be described in a separate letter addressed to the CIC Regulator and delivered to the Registrar of Companies with the other documents.

² The community interest test is referred to in section 35 of the Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) Act 2004 and is expanded upon in regulations 3, 4 & 5 of the Regulations.

³ E.g. "the residents of Oldtown" or "those suffering from XYZ disease".