# RULES of the KELLER Foundation DETERMINING THE PRINCIPLES OF AWARDING BENEFITS AND PROVISION OF SUPPORT WITHIN THE STATUTORY OPERATIONS OF THE FOUNDATION

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- 1. Foundation means the KELLER Foundation.
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- 4. Beneficiary means a natural person or an organisation for the benefit of which funds are collected
- 5. Rules mean this document.

§2

- 1. These Rules set out the principles for the disbursement of funds for a specific purpose in pursuit of the Foundation's statutory objectives.
- 2. The Foundation's financial resources are managed on the basis of an annual material and financial plan which sets out the distribution of these resources between the Foundation's various objectives.
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- 1. The forms of support are adapted to the specific situation of the Beneficiary and include the following:
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  - D. Other, as requested, consistent with implementation of the Foundation's statutory objectives.
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  - B. Attach to the application the required documents proving the validity of the Application.
- 2. The Foundation's Board shall be entitled to require the Beneficiary to submit additional documents and to submit additional clarifications regarding the legitimacy of the submitted Application in order to ensure the compatibility of the disbursement of financial resources for a specific purpose within the scope of implementation of the Foundation's statutory objectives.
- 3. The decision to award a benefit and/or provide support within the scope of the Foundation's statutory activity shall be taken by the Foundation Board on the basis of the submitted Application within 30 days from the date of receipt of the Application provided that the Board has received all the necessary information in time/within the deadline.
- 4. In the event of a positive decision to provide support to the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary shall be obliged to conclude an Agreement with the Foundation.

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- 1. The support received by the Beneficiary from the Foundation as defined in §3 of these Rules may only be used for the purpose specified in the Agreement between the Beneficiary and the Foundation. To change the purpose of the support defined in the Agreement, the Beneficiary must obtain the written consent of the Foundation.
- 2. The Foundation refuses to disburse funds in relation to undocumented expenses. The Foundation may refuse to disburse funds if the submitted documents, including but not limited to accounting evidence, raise doubts concerning their authenticity, factual accuracy and purposefulness of the costs incurred or do not comply in formal terms with the requirements set out in these Rules and in the Act on accounting.
- If the Beneficiary fails to comply with the provisions of these Rules and if the reasons for which
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  the right to terminate the Agreement with immediate effect.
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