



Annex 5: Declaration Reference

The contracting authority has defined the following core competencies in the procurement documents, which correspond to experience in key aspects of the assignment:

- **Core Competency 1:** Analytical and numerical modelling expertise in salt behaviour, salt mechanics, and fracture modelling;
- **Core Competency 2:** Geomechanical expertise, with a specialisation in post-failure geomechanical analysis (large deformations).

You are required to submit **one reference statement per core competency** in accordance with the model provided below. You may copy the model as needed. If a single reference assignment demonstrates multiple core competencies, the same reference statement may be used for those competencies.

Declaration References		
Name Tenderer		
Description	The tenderer has independently gained experience with the following core competency(ies).	
	• Core Competency 1: Analytical and numerical modelling expertise in salt behaviour, salt mechanics, and fracture modelling;	No / Yes
	• Core Competency 2: Geomechanical expertise, with a specialisation in post-failure geomechanical analysis (large deformations).	No / Yes
	Assignment description, activities carried out, and/or deliverables produced (provide a substantive description per core competency):	
	The total value of the reference assignment must be at least € 150.000,- excl. VAT. This reference-assignment value must exclusively consist of the value of the aspects of the assignment that are equivalent to the research specified in this document. In case a series of separate yet significantly comparable assignments was carried out for the same client during the reference period, then the turnover of these separate assignments can be combined into a cumulative total.	
	Duration of the assignment:	From ..- ..-.... till ..-..- ..-....
Other relevant details		

To be completed by the referee (contracting authority)	
Comments:	
Name of referee's company:	
Name of the referee:	
Phone number of referee:	
Referee's position:	
Signature to confirm agreement with the content of the reference:	
Place and date:	