*Example of endorsement letter to formally support the Robotics Flagship proposal Preparatory Action (for Universities and research institutes, for scientific societies and communities, for funding institutions like Ministries, Regions, Research Agencies, Foundations, for companies and industrial actors, for associations) – Please remove/replace the text in red.*

**To:** Prof. Cecilia Laschi

Coordinator of the Robotics Flagship
proposal for a Preparatory Action

The BioRobotics Institute,
Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna

Pisa, Italy

Place and date

**Subject:** Endorsement letter to formally support the Robotics Flagship proposal for a Preparatory Action.

[Institution Legal Name] is aware of the FET Flagship initiative of the European Commission, funding science- and technology-driven, large-scale, multidisciplinary research projects built around a visionary unifying goal, and of the Robotics Flagship proposal for a Preparatory Action for a new FET Flagship on robotics.

[Institution Legal Name] shares the vision of the Robotics Flagship Preparatory Action, its goal and scientific approach, paving the way to a FET Flagship on robotics. Such a FET-flagship on robotics would have a dramatic impact on science and technology, tackling societal challenges and promoting industrial competitiveness. If granted, it would stand as a unique and unforeseen multidisciplinary program grounded on excellent science, supporting a radically new approach towards machines and how we deploy them in our society.

*[Here the Institution can insert specific goals and arguments to strengthen its endorsement]*

Based on this shared strategic agenda and alignment of priorities, [Institution Legal Name] is willing to support the Robotics Flagship, to contribute to its scientific goals and to actively participate in the Preparatory Action.

Yours faithfully,

*[Institution Legal Representative]*

Print name and title

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Authorized Signature