Mutual Non-Disclosure Agreement

Party A	Party B
Egnir AS	**[Registered company name]**
Company no. 916 198 353	[Company registration number]
Slettaveien 7, 1553 Son, Norway	[Registered address]

Purpose

[Describe the project and why the parties need to share information.]

Confidential information

This agreement covers information marked confidential or that the recipient should reasonably understand to be confidential. It includes information shared orally, seen during visits or obtained from models, drawings, files, prototypes, prices and plans. It also covers information already shared in discussions about the project.

Use and disclosure

The recipient must protect the information and use it only for the agreed purpose. Access is limited to employees, contractors and advisers who need it and are bound by equivalent confidentiality obligations. Each party is responsible for those it gives access to. Other disclosure requires written consent. The recipient must notify the other party without undue delay of any unauthorised use or disclosure.

Exceptions

The obligations do not cover information the recipient can show it already held lawfully, became public through no breach, received lawfully from a third party without a duty of confidentiality, or developed independently. If disclosure is required by law or by order of a competent authority, the recipient may disclose only what is required and must give advance notice to the other party to the extent legally permitted.

Return and rights

On request or when the collaboration ends, the recipient must return or delete the material. Copies required by law may be kept for the statutory retention period, and routine backups until overwritten. These copies remain confidential. Each party retains its rights. This agreement permits use only for the stated purpose and creates no obligation to commission work.

Duration and disputes

This agreement takes effect when both parties have signed. The duty of confidentiality continues for five years after the discussions or assignment end. For trade secrets, the duty continues for as long as the information is protected under the Norwegian Trade Secrets Act. Norwegian law applies. The parties will first seek to resolve disputes through negotiation. Either may then bring the dispute before the ordinary Norwegian courts.

Signatures

For Egnir AS	For [Registered company name]
_____	_____
Signature	Signature
_____	_____
Name, title and date	Name, title and date