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Letter of Support to the project entitled "Towards the food of the future: cell-based meat and seafood"

We would hereby like to confirm our support for the above proposal.

This proposal, which is coordinated by Professor Luca Lo Sapio, aims to 1) establish a network of experts in the cultivated meat and seafood space, 2) provide guidelines for this ecosystem, and 3) promote public awareness around this growing industry. The results of this project will help decision-makers from industry, governmental policymakers, investors, and consumers to make informed decisions to maximise the benefits of cellular agriculture.

Our organization is eager to apply the outcomes to support our activities in accelerating the transition to sustainable protein systems. Specifically, we work with scientists, businesses and policymakers to advance plant-based, fermentation-derived, and cultivated meat, eggs, dairy and seafood – making them delicious, affordable and accessible across Europe, and can therefore contribute extensive expertise on these alternative proteins to the project. We explicitly believe that these technologies present the greatest opportunity to make our food system more sustainable, healthy, and just, and believe this project is extremely well-placed to further and realise this potential.

We strongly support this proposal and would like to contribute to its success through giving input to steer the stakeholders along the way, and gain access to results as they become available. To that end, we intend to provide: a deep understanding of research gaps and commercialisation opportunities for the sector, a wide network of contacts in the alternative proteins industry, and an understanding of the policy frameworks and measures needed to advance alternative proteins.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Seren Kell".

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