## JOINT DECLARATION OF INTENT

on the extension of the operation of the Declaration of Intent between the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia and the Federal Ministry of Education and Research of the Federal Republic of Germany Concerning Cooperation in the Field of Vocational Education and Training of 8 July 2013

The Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia and the Federal Ministry of Education and Research of the Federal Republic of Germany (hereafter referred to as "the Sides") have come to the understanding to extend the operation of the Declaration of Intent of 8 July 2013 between the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia and the Federal Ministry of Education and Research of the Federal Republic of Germany Concerning Cooperation in the Field of Vocational Education and Training by another three years.

(Amendments and additions to this Declaration of Intent may be made if both Sides consent.)

This Joint Declaration of Intent is not an international agreement and does not entail any rights or obligations which are subject to international law.

This Joint Declaration of Intent has been signed in duplicate in the English language.

For the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia

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