### Sustainability Charter

Responsible investor

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### Responsible and sustainable value creator

InnovaFonds is an independent management company that invests in the development of high-potential industrial and BtoB services companies. Through our entrepreneurial approach, our objective is to establish a valuable partnership with our companies. By creating a relationship of trust, we wish to optimize value creation over the long term, both financially and extra-financially (by integrating specific objectives). We also pay particular attention in respecting our values, which are based on economic development promoting social well-being and environmental protection.

In accordance with the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR) regulation, InnovaFonds 'FCPIs are categorized under article 8, pursuing three specific objectives:

- Encourage the decarbonization of SMEs: reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, reduction of energy consumption, use of renewable energies
- Supporting job creation and skills transfer: making companies more attractive, implementing talent management strategies and training policies
- Sharing the value creation: setting up profit-sharing policies and management package mecanisms, encouraging employees' capital investment

### **Commitments to our investors**

### Alignement of interests

Always align our own interests with those of our investors, respecting equality and fairness principles.

Communicate regularly with our investors, in a spirit of **independence and transparency**, on both financial and non-financial issues.

Transparency

### Exclusior policy

Continue our ethical approach prohibiting investments in companies operating in specific « risky » sectors, for example:

- Polluting industries, fossil fuels
- Tobacco

Weapons

Pornography

Gambling

Cloning

We also discard companies that do not respect fundamental conventions on human rights and labour law.

Comply with applicable anti-money laundering and anti-terrorist financing obligations and laws throughout the investment process.

Fight against money laundering

## Commitments to our companies

### CONFIDENTIALITY

Respect confidentiality of all information we have access.

### **MANAGERIAL PRACTICES**

Encourage our partners to improve their managerial practices by giving priority human person respect and excluding any form of discrimination.

### **SENSIBILISATION ESG**

Raise awareness of ESG / Sustainability issues among management teams and encourage them to implement:

- Monitoring of ESG criteria relevant to their business and organization
- Concrete actions to reduce their carbon footprint, promote employee well-being and formalize their ESG policy

We assist our companies in the **continuous improvement of their extra-financial performance.** 

### **GOVERNANCE**

Establish **appropriate governance** by integrating for example **independent members** in the decision-making and control bodies.

# Commitments to our employees



### **DIVERSITY**

By forming a diverse team to broaden InnovaFonds' vision, creativity and skills.



### INVOLVEMENT

By promoting involvement and empowerment of each team member in our business development, in the decision-making process related to the management company and investments and in being active in the investment fund life.



### **SUPPORT**

By encouraging employees in undertaking various training to enhance their knowledge, develop their skills and get involved in various issues and causes.



### **BENEVOLENCE**

By building a working environment based on team spirit, conviviality, benevolence, transparency and the development of each member.

## Internal organisation and membership



Investment team involvement in the ESG criteria analysis pre-investment and during the investment cycle of the company.



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An ESG department composed of a Principal Head and 4 active members: definition of the ESG strategy, regulatory monitoring and application of standards, extra-financial reporting and scoring, drafting of the sustainability report, etc.



Signature of the ESG Charter and the Gender Charter

Involvement in several Committees



Integration of SDG (Sustainable Development Goals)



PRI membership Score: 98/100



Joining the International Climate Initiative



Labelled "Relance"



Support in decarbonizing the portfolio

### A team and values



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