Standard Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA) for Business Partnerships

This Non-Disclosure Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into as of [Date] by and between [Disclosing Party Name] ("Disclosing Party"), located at [Address], and [Receiving Party Name] ("Receiving Party"), located at [Address].

1. Definition of Confidential Information

The "Confidential Information" refers to any information disclosed by the Disclosing Party to the Receiving Party, including but not limited to business plans, financial data, marketing strategies, proprietary processes, product designs, customer lists, and other trade secrets.

2. Obligations of the Receiving Party

The Receiving Party agrees: • To maintain the confidentiality of the Confidential Information. • Not to use the Confidential Information for any purpose other than the purpose of evaluating a potential business relationship with the Disclosing Party. • Not to disclose the Confidential Information to third parties without the prior written consent of the Disclosing Party.

3. Exceptions

The obligations of confidentiality do not apply to information that: • Was already known to the Receiving Party at the time of disclosure. • Becomes public knowledge without the Receiving Party's fault. • Is disclosed to the Receiving Party by a third party not bound by confidentiality obligations.

4. Duration

This Agreement shall remain in effect for [1 year, 5 years, etc.] from the date of execution, or until the Confidential Information no longer qualifies as confidential.

5. Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of [State/Country].

6. Signatures		
Disclosing Party:		
Signature:		
Date:		
Receiving Party:		
Signature:		
Date:		