Requirements for member companies

About the Exponential Roadmap Initiative
The Exponential Roadmap Initiative (ERI) is for innovative, transformative and disruptive companies and organisations taking action in line with 1.5°C, with the mission to halve greenhouse gas emissions before 2030 through exponential climate action and solutions. Since ERI is an accredited partner of the United Nations’ Race To Zero (RTZ) campaign, companies joining ERI automatically become members of Race to Zero.

ERI members endorse the 1.5°C Business Playbook, committing and taking action to halve their own- and value chain emissions before 2030 towards net-zero, integrating climate into business strategy and influencing climate action in society towards global net zero. This is outlined in the 4 Climate Pillars of the 1.5°C Business Playbook.

About the requirements
The High-level Climate Champions, backed by the UNFCCC, require that partner initiatives such as ERI meet a minimum set of common criteria: the Starting Line and Leadership Practices. ERI applies these as a baseline, while aiming higher. The initiative aims to be the climate business ecosystem with the leading and most challenging requirements, focusing on deep integration of climate into business strategy.

Requirements
The overarching requirements of Exponential Roadmap Initiative are highlighted below, with detailed requirements and recommendations outlined in a Climate Performance Review, shared upon request.

Recognising the climate emergency, companies commit to set targets, transition plans and to take action from today across the 4 Climate Pillars of the 1.5°C Business Playbook, in order to:

- Halve own emissions before 2030
- Halve value chain emissions before 2030
- Achieve net zero emissions well before 2050
- Integrate climate into our business strategy
- Influence climate action in society
- Disclose our progress publicly on an annual basis

By doing so, our company is contributing to halving global greenhouse gas emissions before 2030 through exponential climate action.

If you are interested in joining the UN Race to Zero and the Exponential Roadmap Initiative, send us an inquiry to: partnerships@exponentialroadmap.org

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