**Supplementary File 1: Documents Used for Case Studies**

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| **Country** | **#** | **Citation** | **Document Type** | **Document** | **Authors** | **Published in** |
| Canada | 1 | CA-R1 | Report | The Shattered Mirror: News, Democracy and Trust in the Digital Age | Public Policy Forum | January 2017 |
| 2 | CA-R2 | Report | Canada Periodical Fund 2020 – What Coming Changes to the CPF Mean for Your Magazine | Canadian Heritage | 2019 |
| 3 | CA-LT1 | Legal Text | Completing Form T625, Application for Qualified Canadian Journalism Organization Designation | Canadian Revenue Agency | 2019 |
| 4 | CA-PP1 | Policy Paper | Supporting the Canadian Magazine Publishing Sector | Magazines Canada | August 2021 |
| 5 | CA-R3 | Report | Evaluation of the Canada Periodical Fund 2015-16 to 2019-20 | Canadian Heritage Evaluation Services Directorate | January 2022 |
| 6 | CA-R4 | Report | Shattered Mirror 5 Years On | Public Policy Forum | March 2022 |
| Denmark | 7 | DK-LT1 | Legal Text | Lov om mediestøtte [Media Support Act] |  | January 2013 |
| 8 | DK-LT2 | Legal Text | Amendment to Media Support Act |  | 2017 |
| 9 | DK-LT3 | Legal Text | Bekendtgørelse om mediestøtte [Media Support Ordinance] |  | July 2017 |
| 10 | DK-LT4 | Legal Text | Medieforlig [Media Agreement] 2022-2025 | Ministry of Culture | May 2022 |
| 11 | DK-LT5 | Legal Text | Medieforlig [Media Agreement] 2023-2026 | Ministry of Culture | June 2023 |
| 12 | DK-PP1 | Policy Paper | Medieudspil [Media Play-out] | Nye Medier | 2023 |
| 13 | DK-PP2 | Policy Paper | Mediestøtten skal uddeles mere retfærdigt og efter gennemskuelige principper [Media funding must be distributed more fairly and according to transparent principles] | Nye Medier | 2023 |
| France | 14 | FR-LT1 | Legal Text | Décret n° 2012-484 du 13 avril 2012 [Decree no. 2012-484 from April 13, 2012] | French government | 2012, with adjustments from 2014, 2016, 2020, 2023 |
| 15 | FR-R1 | Report | Rapport à Madame Aurélie Filippetti surLes aides à la presse [Report to Aurélie Filippetti on Press Subsidies] | Independent group of researchers | April 2013 |
| 16 | FR-R2 | Report | Rapport d’information fait au nom de la commission des finances sur les aides à la presse écrite [Information report on behalf of the Finance Committee on subsides for the written press] | Roger Karoutchi, Senator | June 2021 |
| 17 | FR-R3 | Report | Rapport fait au nom de la commission des finances, de l’économie générale et du contrôle budgétaire sur le projet de loi de finances pour 2023 (n° 273) [Report on behalf of the Finance, General Economy and Budgetary Control Committee regarding the draft Finance Bill for 2023 (no. 273)] | Denis Masséglia, Member of Parliament | October 2022 |
| 18 | FR-LT2 | Legal Text | Annexe 180 à la loi de finances qui retrace les aides à la presse [Annex 180 to the Finance Bill, detailing press subsidies]  | Ministry of Culture  | October 2022 |
| 19 | FR-PP1 | Policy Paper | Recommendations of the SPIIL in light of the États Généraux (General Assembly) | SPIIL | November 2023 |
| Norway | 20 | NO-R1 | Report | Det norske mediemangfoldet En styrket mediepolitikk for borgerne [The Norwegian Media Diversity - A strengthened media policy for citizens] | Mediemangfoldsutvalget | 2017 |
| 21 | NO-PP1 | Policy Paper | Hearing Response NOU 2017:7 | Landslaget for lokalaviser | 2017 |
| 22 | NO-PP2 | Policy Paper | Hearing response - draft regulation on innovation grants | Faktisk.no | April 2018 |
| 23 | NO-PP3 | Policy Paper | Hearing response - draft regulation on innovation grants | Landslaget for lokalaviser | April 2018 |
| 24 | NO-LT1 | Legal Text | Forskrift om innovasjons- og utviklingstilskudd til nyhets- og aktualitetsmedier [Ordinance on Innovation and Development Support for News Media] | Ministry of Culture and Equality | June 2018 |
| 25 | NO-LT2 | Legal Text | Lov om økonomisk støtte til mediene (mediestøtteloven) [Act relating to financial support for the media (Media Support Act)] | Ministry of Culture and Equality | 2021 |
| 26 | NO-R2 | Report | De direkte mediestøtteordningene En utredning fra Medietilsynet [The direct media support schemes] | Medietilsynet | 2021 |
| The Netherlands | 27 | NL-LT1 | Legal Text | Mediawet 2008 [Media Act] |  | 2008 |
| 28 | NL-LT2 | Legal Text | Tijdelijke subsidieregeling persinnovatie 2012 [Temporary subsidies for innovation] |  | 2012 |
| 29 | NL-R1 | Report | Jaarverslag 2012 [Annual report] | Stimulierungsfonds voor de Journalistiek | 2012 |
| 30 | NL-R2 | Report | Jaarverslag 2014 [Annual report] | Stimulierungsfonds voor de Journalistiek | 2014 |
| 31 | NL-R3 | Report | Scenarios for the future of journalism | Stimulierungsfonds voor de Journalistiek | 2015 |
| 32 | NL-R4 | Report | Jaarverslag 2021 [Annual report] | Stimulierungsfonds voor de Journalistiek | 2021 |

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