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from: Mr. Peter Tempel, Ambassador, Permanent Representation of the Federal
Republic of Germany to the European Union

to: Mr. Rafael Fernández-Pita y González, Director-General, Council of the European
Union

date of receipt : 18 April 2013

Subject : Notification of the appointment of the German national member of Eurojust

Dear Sir,

The term of office of Chief Public Prosecutor Dr Hans-Holger Herrnfeld as Germany's national member of Eurojust will end on 31 May 2013. I am pleased to inform you that with Ms Annette Böringer as Chief Public Prosecutor at the Federal Court of Justice you will have a successor to Dr Herrnfeld who is just as experienced in cross-border cooperation in criminal matters.

Among other things, as liaison officer at the French Ministry of Justice between January 2002 and August 2005, Ms Böringer was responsible for providing support for legal assistance between countries, in particular in criminal matters. Since 1 April 2009 Ms Böringer has been seconded to the Federal Ministry of Justice and has, together with a colleague, been leading the international legal cooperation department there since February 2010. Ms Böringer's work is making a significant contribution to enhancing the legal cooperation of the Federal Ministry of Justice with partner countries. She has wide international experience and has acquired considerable specialised knowledge through her previous work for the Federal Prosecutor-General at the Federal Court of Justice and as a public prosecutor for the *Land*.

I therefore appoint Ms Böringer Germany's new national member of Eurojust following the expiry of Dr Herrnfeld's term of office.

Ms Böringer will take up her tasks in The Hague on 1 June 2013.

The Administrative Director of Eurojust has been informed of Ms Böringer's appointment in a separate letter.

(Complimentary close)

(s.) Peter Tempel