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signed by Mr Jordi AYET PUIGARNAU, Director

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To: Mr Uwe CORSEPIUS, Secretary-General of the Council of the European  
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on Government Procurement on the accession of New Zealand to the  
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## ANNEX

### EU TERMS OF NEW ZEALAND'S ACCESSION TO THE GPA

Upon New Zealand's accession to the Agreement on Government Procurement point 3 of section 2 ("The Central Government contracting authorities of the EU Member States") of Annex 1 to Appendix I to the European Union shall read as follows:

- ' 3. For the goods, services, suppliers and service providers of the United States; Canada; Japan; Hong Kong, China; Singapore; Korea; Armenia; the Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu and New Zealand, procurement by the following central government contracting authorities, provided they are not marked by an asterisk.'

Upon New Zealand's accession to the Agreement on Government Procurement Note 1 of the Notes to Annex 2 of Appendix I of the European Union shall include the following points after the point e):

- ' (f) procurement by local contracting authorities (contracting authorities of administrative units listed under NUTS 3 and smaller administrative units, as referred to in Regulation 1059/2003 (as amended)) in regard of goods, services, suppliers and service providers from New Zealand;
- (g) procurement by contracting authorities of administrative units listed under NUTS 1 and 2 as referred to in Regulation 1059/2003 (as amended)), in regard of goods, services, suppliers and service providers from New Zealand, unless their procurement is covered under the EU Annex 3. '

Upon New Zealand's accession to the Agreement on Government Procurement Note 6 of the Notes to Annex 3 to Appendix I to the European Union shall include the following points after the point n):

- '(o) procurement by procuring entities operating in the field of production, transport or distribution of drinking water covered under this Annex in regard of supplies, services and service providers from New Zealand;
- (p) procurement by procuring entities operating in the field of airport facilities covered under this Annex in regard of supplies, services, and service providers from New Zealand;
- (q) procurement by procuring entities operating in the field of the provision of maritime or inland port or other terminal facilities covered under this Annex in regard of supplies, services, and service providers from New Zealand;
- (r) procurement by regional or local contracting authorities operating in the fields covered by this Annex, in regard of supplies, services, and service providers from New Zealand, with the exception of procurement by contracting authorities of administrative units listed under NUTS 1 and 2 (as referred to in Regulation

1059/2003, as amended) operating in the field of transport by urban railway, automatic systems, tramway, trolley bus, bus and cable. '