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To: Ms Thérèse BLANCHET, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union

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## ANNEX

### MODIFICATIONS TO THE EU SCHEDULE FOLLOWING THE ACCESSION OF NORTH MACEDONIA TO THE GPA

Upon the accession of North Macedonia to the Agreement on Government Procurement, point 1 of section 2 (“The Central Government contracting authorities of the EU Member States”) of Annex 1 to Appendix I for the European Union shall read as follows:

- '1. For the goods, services, suppliers and service providers of Liechtenstein, Switzerland, Iceland, Norway, the Netherlands with respect to Aruba, the United Kingdom and North Macedonia, procurement by all central government contracting authorities of EU member States. The list below is indicative.'

Upon the accession of North Macedonia to the Agreement on Government Procurement, section 2 of Annex 6 to Appendix I for the European Union shall read as follows:

- '2. Works concessions contracts, when awarded by Annex 1 and 2 entities, are included under the national treatment regime for the construction service providers of Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, the Netherlands on behalf of Aruba, Switzerland, Montenegro, the United Kingdom and North Macedonia, provided their value equals or exceeds 5,000,000 SDR and for the construction service providers of Korea; provided their value equals or exceeds 15,000,000 SDR.'