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Exchange of Notes

extending the Agreement between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to Supplement and Facilitate the Operation of the Convention of the Council of Europe on Laundering, Search, Seizure and Confiscation of the Proceeds from Crime, concluded at Strasbourg on 8 November 1990, signed at London on 15 September 1993 to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba

London, 12 November 2003 and 6 July 2006

[The Exchange of Notes entered into force on 7 August 2006]

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by the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
by Command of Her Majesty
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EXCHANGE OF NOTES EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS TO SUPPLEMENT AND FACILITATE THE OPERATION OF THE CONVENTION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE ON LAUNDERING, SEARCH, SEIZURE AND CONFISCATION OF THE PROCEEDS FROM CRIME, CONCLUDED AT STRASBOURG ON 8 NOVEMBER 1990¹, SIGNED AT LONDON ON 15 SEPTEMBER 1993² TO THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES AND ARUBA

No. 1

The Royal Netherlands Embassy in London to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London

12 November 2003

No. LON-PA/121103/YD/2

The Royal Netherlands Embassy presents its compliments to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and has the honour to refer to the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to supplement and facilitate the Operation of the Convention of the Council of Europe on Laundering, Search, Seizure and Confiscation of the Proceeds from Crime, concluded at Strasbourg on 8 November 1990, signed at London on 15 September 1993 (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement").

The Embassy has the honour to propose that, in accordance with Article XII of the Agreement, the application of that Agreement be extended to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

If the above proposal is acceptable to the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Embassy has the honour to propose that this Note and the reply of the Ministry to that effect shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on the date thirty days from the date of the reply.

The Royal Netherlands Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office the assurances of its highest consideration.

Royal Netherlands Embassy
London SW7 5DP

¹ Treaty Series No. 45 (1994) Cm 2655

² Treaty Series No. 59 (1993) Cm 2337

No. 2

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office in London to the Royal Netherlands Embassy

*London
6 July 2006*

Note No. DICD/001/2006

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office presents its compliments to the Royal Netherlands Embassy and has the honour to refer to the latter's Note No. LON-PA/121103/YDT/2 of 12 November 2003, which reads as follows.

[As in No. 1]

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office has the honour to confirm that the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland accepts the proposal outlined in the Embassy's Note and that the Embassy's Note and this reply shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments which shall enter into force on the date thirty days from the date of this reply, namely the 7 August 2006

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Royal Netherlands Embassy the assurances of its highest consideration.

Foreign and Commonwealth Office
London SW1A 2AH
6 July 2006

