



NOTE BY THE TECHNICAL SECRETARIAT

**AMENDMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS TO THE FACILITY AGREEMENT
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF SPAIN REGARDING ON-SITE INSPECTIONS
AT A SCHEDULE 1 FACILITY FOR PROTECTIVE PURPOSES**

1. At its Thirty-Sixth Session, the Executive Council (hereinafter “the Council”) approved the negotiated text of the facility agreement between the Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons (OPCW) and the Government of Spain regarding inspections at a Schedule 1 facility for protective purposes located in Spain (EC-36/DEC.14, dated 23 April 2004).
2. In order to reflect changes in the name of the facility and administrative updates regarding inspection-related documentation, amendments and modifications to the facility agreement are required.
3. Following the procedure set out in paragraph 1 of Section 13 of the facility agreement, the Government of Spain and the Technical Secretariat have agreed on these amendments. A draft decision on this matter will be submitted to the Council for consideration and approval at its Eighty-Sixth Session.
4. Pursuant to paragraph 2 of Section 13 of the facility agreement, modifications to the attachments of the facility agreement, other than Attachment 1 and Part B of Attachment 5, may be agreed upon at any time between a representative of the OPCW and a representative of Spain, provided that both are specifically authorised to do so. The Director-General hereby informs the Council of modifications agreed by the parties to the facility agreement.
5. The above-mentioned amendments, modifications and updates to the facility agreement are reflected (in red-lining, for ease of reference) in the revised version of the facility agreement (EC-86/R/DEC/CRP.1, dated 6 September 2017).

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