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NOTE BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL

INVITATION TO NATIONAL AUTHORITIES OF STATES PARTIES TO FAMILIARISE THEMSELVES WITH THE NEWLY PROCURED ITEMS OF APPROVED EQUIPMENT

- 1. The Technical Secretariat (hereinafter "the Secretariat") wishes to inform States Parties that it has procured a number of additional items of inspection equipment that conform to the operational requirements and technical specifications approved by the Conference of the States Parties at its Fifteenth Session (C-I/DEC.71*, dated 30 November 2010).¹ To meet its operational needs, the Secretariat intends to start using these items 30 days after the date of issuance of this Note. Details on the items of equipment and their suppliers are listed in the Annex.
- 2. The Director-General wishes to draw the attention of the States Parties to the aforementioned decision (subparagraph (d) of Annex 1 to C-I/DEC.71*):
 - "(d) In order to satisfy the ISP² and to enable it to familiarise itself with all the operational characteristics concerned, the National Authority of each State Party should have access to each item of equipment contained in the list of approved equipment and how it is to be used in a sufficient amount of time prior to its use on the territory of the ISP. In case any State Party finds that it is denied such access to any item of equipment approved for inspection purposes, it has the right to deny permission for that item of equipment to be used on its national territory. The Director-General is requested to establish an appropriate mechanism to assist the National Authorities in their familiarisation with the approved equipment and its use."
- 3. The Director-General accordingly invites National Authorities interested in familiarising themselves with the newly procured equipment and how it is used to contact Mr Marc Van Dyck, Head of the Operations and Planning Branch of the Secretariat, at +31 (0)70 416 3361, in order to make the appropriate arrangements.

Annex: List of Newly Procured Equipment and Supplier Details

¹ C-I/DEC.71* = List of Approved Inspection Equipment with Operational Requirements and Technical Specifications.

² ISP = Inspected State Party.

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LIST OF NEWLY PROCURED EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIER DETAILS

TABLE 1: NEWLY PROCURED EQUIPMENT

Eq Line Nui (As L	Equipment Category, Line Number, and Generic Name of the Equipment (As Listed in C-I/DEC.71*)	Keference Document with Approved Changes to the Technical Specifications	Description of the New Equipment	Type/Model of the New Equipment	Supplier	Remarks
			Analytical	Analytical equipment		
8 Samp	Sample-transport kit	N/A	Sample transport container	t container CBRNe transport packaging	SAAB AB (publ)	New item added to this line
			Health-and-sa	lealth-and-safety equipment		
24 Cold-	24 Cold-weather gear	N/A	Undergarment	HH Lifa undergarment	Helly Hansen Benelux	New items added to this line
			Cold-weather socks	HH Fakse socks	B.V.	

TABLE 2: SUPPLIER DETAILS

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