Cooperation Agreement
between
Competition Council of the Republic of Moldova
and
Estonian Competition Authority

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The Competition Council of the Republic of Moldova (CC), located at bul. Stefan cel Mare si Sfint, 73, MD 2001 Chisinau, Republic of Moldova, represented by Mrs. Viorica Cărare, acting in capacity of the President,

and

The Estonian Competition Authority (ECA), located at Auna 6, 10317 Tallinn, Estonia, represented by Mr. Märt Ots, acting in capacity of the Director General, hereinafter individually referred to as **the Party** and collectively referred to as **the Parties**,

Have agreed on the present Cooperation Agreement (hereinafter: **the Agreement**) on the following.

I. Objective

The purpose of the Agreement is to stimulate the professional cooperation between the above mentioned Parties in order to promote the information and experience exchange.

II Cooperation aspects

- 1. The basic forms of cooperation of the Parties are as follows:
 - exchange of legal regulations and non-confidential materials;
 - meetings of the representatives of the Parties on various levels;
 - methodological assistance, exchange of expert studies and consultations with experts;
 - involvement of specialists in training events in order to exchange experience and practice.
- 2. Where possible and necessary the Parties shall assist each other in the field of information and advice on the legislation of the Parties.
- 3. Provision of information shall be carried out in accordance with the legislation of the country of origin of the Party providing the information.
- 4. The Party who will send their representatives to bilateral or multilateral events, including consultations, symposia, conferences and seminars, shall cover its travel, catering and accommodation costs.

II. Final Provisions

1. Interpretation and (or) application of this Agreement shall be settled by negotiations.

2. This Agreement shall enter into force upon signing, and will be valid for an

indefinite period.

3. The Agreement shall terminate six months after the date on which either Party receives a written notification from the other Party of its wish to terminate the Agreement.

4. Termination of this Agreement shall not affect the programs and projects, which implementation began under the Agreement before the termination date and has

not yet expired.

This Cooperation Agreement is signed today, on 07th May 2014 in Chisinau in two identical counterparts and both are considered as originals, one for each of the Parties.

President

Director General

Competition Council of the Republic of Moldova

Estonian Competition Authority

VIORICA CĂRARE

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