

STANDARD TERMS

IMPORTER TRADE FINANCE FACILITIES

1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

1.1 **Interpretation:** Unless the context requires otherwise, words in this Agreement which are capitalised are words with specific meanings as set out in clause 1.2 below or in the Facility Agreement (in relation to a Facility) and any reference in the Agreement to:

- (a) "**you**" means each person named in the Facility Agreement as the customer. If there are more than one, it means each person jointly and individually (unless the context requires otherwise), and includes their successors and permitted assignees. "**Your**" has a corresponding meaning;
- (b) one person being "**controlled**" by another means that the other person (whether directly or indirectly and whether by the ownership (legally or beneficially) of capital, the possession of voting power, contract or otherwise): (i) has the power to appoint and/or remove the majority of the members of the governing body of that person or a member or members of the governing body of that person who is or are in a position to cast, or control the casting of, more than one half of the maximum number of votes that might be cast at a meeting of the governing body of that person, or (ii) otherwise controls, or has power to control, the management and policies of that person, and "**control**" shall be construed accordingly;
- (c) "**law**" includes common law, and any constitution, decree, judgment, legislation, order, ordinance, regulation, statute, treaty or other legislative measure, in each case of any jurisdiction whatever (and "**lawful**" and "**unlawful**" shall be construed accordingly);
- (d) "**security interest**" includes a "security interest" (as defined in section 17 of the PPSA), a mortgage, encumbrance, lien, pledge, charge (whether fixed or floating), finance lease, deferred purchase, sale and repurchase, flawed asset, sale and leaseback, title retention, assignment by way of security, trust, hypothecation, and any other security agreement or arrangement of whatsoever nature (however described) that in substance secures payment or performance of an obligation without regard to the form of the transaction and the identity of the parties;
- (e) "**we**" or "**ICBCNZ**" means Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (New Zealand) Limited and our successors, assignees and authorised agents. "**Our**" and "**us**" have corresponding meanings;
- (f) an "**Import Credit**", a "**Standby Instrument**", the "**ICC**", the "**ISP**" and the "**UCP**" shall have the meaning given to them in ICBCNZ's Trade Products or Services General Terms and Conditions;
- (g) a person includes any individual company, corporation, firm, club, partnership, limited partnership, joint venture, association of persons (corporate or not), organisation, trust, state or Regulatory Authority (in each case, whether or not having separate legal personality);
- (h) a clause, schedule or annexure is a reference a clause, schedule or annexure to this Agreement;
- (i) a plural includes the singular and vice versa, and a word indicating a gender includes each other gender;
- (j) any document includes that document as amended, supplemented or replaced from time to time;
- (k) any statute or a provision of a statute includes that statute or provision as amended, modified, substituted or re-enacted from time to time and any regulations and other instruments issued or made under that statute from time to time;
- (l) a time of the day is to New Zealand time;

- (m) us giving you notice means public notice, press release, notices in our branches or on our website (www.icbcnz.com), mail to the address you have advised to us, or such other method as we see fit; and
- (n) our website means www.icbcnz.com.

1.2 Defined Terms:

"Affiliate" means, in relation to any person, any entity controlled, directly or indirectly, by the person, any entity that controls, directly or indirectly, the person or any entity directly or indirectly under common control with the person.

"Agreement" means this agreement between you and us which comprises the Facility Agreement and these Standard Terms.

"Approved Currency" means the Base Currency and, if applicable any Optional Currency, in each case as specified in the Facility Agreement.

"AUD" means the lawful currency of Australia.

"Authorised Officer" means: (i) in respect of you, any director, or any person from time to time that you nominate as your Authorised Officer by notice to us, accompanied by certified copies of signatures of all new persons so appointed (and in respect of which we have not received notice of revocation of the appointment), and (ii) in respect of us, any of our officers.

"Base Currency Equivalent" means: (i) in relation to an amount in the Base Currency, that amount, and (ii) in relation to any amount in an Optional Currency, the amount of the Base Currency which we could purchase with the amount of that Optional Currency at our spot rate of exchange for purchasing the Base Currency with that Optional Currency in the Relevant Interbank Market for the Base Currency in accordance with our standard procedures at the relevant time for currency conversion.

"Business Day" means any day other than a Saturday or Sunday on which we are open for normal banking business in Auckland and (in relation to any date for payment or purchase of funds), also means a day on which banks are open for general business in the principal financial centre for the relevant currency of those funds.

"Costs" means any costs, charges, fees, commissions, indemnities, Taxes, damages, losses, expenses (including legal fees and expenses on a full indemnity basis and goods and services and similar Taxes thereon), claims, liabilities (absolute or contingent), fines and penalties and includes loss of profit and costs incurred in liquidating or redeploying deposits or other funds.

"Cost of Funds" means, in relation to an amount due and owing to us under this Agreement, the cost to us reasonably determined by us and expressed as an interest rate per annum of that amount being outstanding or remaining unpaid to us for the Interest Period.

"Default Event" means the occurrence of any one of the following: (i) you do not pay any amount owing to us (whether under a Trade Finance Document or any other agreement between us) by the due date, (ii) you breach any of your representations and warranties or fail to comply with any of your obligations under any Trade Finance Document or any other agreement between us, (iii) you (or any other person who has given a security interest or guarantee in our favour to support your obligations under any Trade Finance Document) become Insolvent, (iv) there is (in our opinion) the occurrence of a Material Adverse Change, (v) we reasonably believe you or another person has acted fraudulently in connection with any Trade Finance Document or any other agreement between us, or (vi) it is or is likely to become unlawful in any jurisdiction for either you or us to perform the obligations under any Trade Finance Document.

"Drawing" means, in relation to a Facility, each drawing made, to be made or deemed made by you under that Facility (and in relation to clause 7.2, includes each Instrument issued by us);

"Drawdown Notice" means the drawdown notice given by you to us to request for a Drawing;

"EURO" means the lawful single currency of the Participating Member States of the European Union.

"Facility" means a facility provided by us to you under this Agreement.

"Facility Agreement" means our Facility Agreement offering a Facility to you and includes any subsequent letter from us varying the terms of that Facility which has been accepted by you.

"HKD" means the lawful currency of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China.

"ICBCNZ Nominated Account" means our account specified in the Facility Agreement.

"Increased Costs" means: (i) a reduction in the rate of return from a Facility or on our overall capital (including, without limitation, as a result of any reduction in the rate of return on capital as more capital is required to be allocated), (ii) an additional or increased cost, or (iii) a reduction of any amount due and payable under any Trade Finance Document, which is incurred or suffered by us or any of our Affiliates to the extent that it is attributable to us having entered into our commitment or funding or performing our obligations under any Trade Finance Document.

"Indirect Tax" means any goods and services tax, consumption tax, value added tax or any tax of a similar nature.

"Insolvent" means in relation to any person: (i) an order is made or a petition is presented or a resolution is passed for the administration, winding-up or dissolution of that person, (ii) a receiver, administrator, statutory manager or other official or creditors' representative is appointed in respect of that person or any assets of that person, (iii) that person becomes insolvent, is unable to pay its debts when they fall due, or is presumed unable to pay its debts in accordance with any applicable law, (iv) that person ceases or threatens to cease to carry on all or a substantial part of its business, (v) the holder of any security interest takes possession of the whole or (in our opinion) any material part of the property or assets of that person, (vi) that person enters into a compromise or arrangement with, or assignment for the benefit of, any of its members or creditors, (vii) that person is declared at risk pursuant to the Corporations (Investigation and Management) Act 1989, (viii) that person or any associated person (as that term is defined in the Corporations (Investigation and Management) Act 1989) becomes subject to a recommendation made by the Financial Markets Authority to the Minister of the Crown who is responsible for administration of that Act, supporting the appointment of a statutory manager pursuant to that Act, (ix) that person has committed an act of bankruptcy, (x) that person suspends or stops or threatens to suspend or stop payments generally or a moratorium is agreed or declared in respect of or affecting all or (in our opinion) any material part of the indebtedness of that person, or (xi) any analogous event occurs in any jurisdiction.

"Instrument" means an Import Credit or a Standby Instrument (as applicable);

"Interbank Rate" means:

- (a) for: (i) AUD, the average bid rate on the page designated as BBSY on the Reuters Monitor Money Rates Services, (ii) EURO, the percentage rate per annum determined by the Banking Federation of the European Union displayed on the appropriate page of the Reuters screen, (iii) HKD, the average rate displayed on the Reuters page HIBOR, (iv) NZD, bank bill reference rate (bid) administered by the New Zealand Financial Markets Association (or any other person who takes over administration of such rate), and (v) USD and any other currency, the London interbank offered rate administered by ICE Benchmark Administration Limited (or any other person who takes over administration of such rate), for the relevant currency displayed on the pages LIBOR01 or LIBOR02 of the Reuters screen (or any replacement Reuters page which displays that rate) (each a **"Screen Rate"**); or
- (b) if: (i) no Screen Rate is available for the relevant currency and no new page is specified under the relevant Screen Rate, or (ii) the basis on which the agreed Screen Rate page is calculated or displayed is changed and in our opinion it ceases to reflect our cost of funding to the same extent as at the date of this Agreement, the arithmetic mean of the rates (rounded upwards to four decimal places) as supplied to us at our request quoted by the Reference Banks to leading banks in the Relevant Interbank Market as of the Specified Time for the offering of deposits in the relevant currency and for a period comparable to the Interest Period; and
- (c) if, in our opinion, the rate in paragraph (b) cannot be determined, the Cost of Funds.

"Interest Period" means in relation to a Drawing, the relevant period selected by you in the Drawdown Notice, provided that:

- (a) an Interest Period (expressed in months or years) which commences on a day for which there is no numerically corresponding day in the month when that Interest Period expires is to end on the last Business Day of that month;
- (b) if an Interest Period would otherwise end on a day which is not a Business Day, that Interest Period is to be extended to end on the next Business Day, unless the result of that extension would be to carry the Interest Period over into the next calendar month, in which event it is to expire on the immediately preceding Business Day;
- (c) if an Interest Period would extend beyond the applicable Expiry Date for the Facility (if any) to which the Drawing relates, it shall be shortened so that it ends on the relevant Expiry Date.

"Interest Payment Date" means, either the first day or the last day of the relevant Interest Period for a Drawing (as advised by us).

"Material Adverse Change" means, in our opinion, a material adverse change in relation to: (i) your business, operation, property or condition (financial or otherwise), (ii) your ability or willingness to perform and comply with your obligations under the Trade Finance Documents to which you are a party, (iii) our ability to recover any amount payable by any other party to us under the Trade Finance Documents or to enforce performance of any other party's obligations to us under the Trade Finance Documents, or (iv) the validity, enforceability or priority of the whole or any part of any Trade Finance Document or any of our rights or remedies under a Trade Finance Document.

"NZD" means the lawful currency of New Zealand.

"Outstanding Amount" means, at any time, the aggregate principal amount of all outstanding Drawings at that time, and in relation to a Facility, means the aggregate principal amount of all outstanding Drawings at that time in relation to that Facility (and in relation to clause 7.2, also includes the maximum liability specified in each Instrument as being payable by us on your behalf).

"Outstanding Moneys" means, at any time, the sum of: (a) the Outstanding Amount and/or the amount owing to us in respect of any Instrument, (b) all interest (including Customer Overdue Fee), fees and Costs owing by you to us under the Trade Finance Documents and (c) all other moneys owing by you to us under the Trade Finance Documents, in each case at that time, and in relation to a Facility, means the aggregate of all such amounts owing by you to us under the Trade Finance Documents at that time in relation to that Facility;

"Overdue Amount" means each amount (including fees) payable by you to us under this Agreement which is not paid when due.

"Participating Member States of the European Union" means any member state of the European Communities that adopts or has adopted the EUR as its lawful currency in accordance with legislation of the European Union relating to European Monetary Union.

"PPSA" means the Personal Property Securities Act 1999.

"Reference Banks" means, in relation to an Interbank Rate, 3 leading banks selected by us who generally quote rates in the Relevant Interbank Market.

"Relevant Interbank Market" means in relation to AUD, the Australian bank bill market, EURO, the European interbank market, HKD, the Hong Kong interbank market, NZD, the New Zealand bank bill market, RMB, Chinese interbank market and in relation to USD and any other currency, the London interbank market.

"Regulatory Authority" means local or foreign governments and their instrumentalities.

"RMB" means the lawful currency of the People's Republic of China.

"Sales Contract" means, in relation to a Facility, the contract for the supply or provision of goods or services to you, the payment or performance of which will be satisfied or guaranteed by a Drawing or Instrument issued under the relevant Facility.

"**Specified Time**" means for (i) AUD, 10:30 a.m. (Australian Eastern Standard Time) and NZD, 11:00 a.m. (Auckland Time), on the first day of the Interest Period, (ii) EURO, 11:00 a.m. (Brussels Time) 2 TARGET Days before the first day of the Interest Period, and (iii) HKD, 11:00 a.m. (Hong Kong Time), USD and any other currency 11:00 a.m. (London Time) 2 Business Days before the first day of the Interest Period.

"**Standard Terms**" means these Importer Trade Finance Facilities Standard Terms.

"**TARGET2**" means Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross Settlement Express Transfer payment system which utilises a single shared platform and which was launched on 19 November 2007.

"**TARGET Day**" means any day on which TARGET2 is open for the settlement of payments in EURO.

"**Tax**" means any present or future tax, levy, impost, duty, charge, fee, deduction or withholding of any nature and whatever called (including interest, penalties, fines and charges in respect of the Tax) imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed by any Regulatory Authority, on whomsoever imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed.

"**Trade Finance Documents**" means this Agreement (and each ancillary document issued thereunder the form of which is attached to this Agreement) and each other document that you and we agree is a Trade Finance Document and includes each security interest provided to us from time to time in connection with this Agreement.

"**USD**" means the lawful currency of the United States of America.

2. FACILITY AVAILABILITY

- 2.1 We are not obliged to make a Facility available to you, unless: (i) we are satisfied (in form and substance) that all conditions precedent to the availability of the Facility have been met, (ii) we are satisfied that no Default Event has occurred and is continuing or in our opinion is likely to occur, (iii) we are satisfied that the representations and warranties made by you in this Agreement are true and correct at the date of the relevant request by you to use a Facility and the date upon which we comply with that request, (iv) the Base Currency Equivalent of the aggregate amounts outstanding under the Facility at any time will not exceed the Facility Limit (if any), (v) the Facility utilisation date is at least one Business Day prior to the Expiry Date (or termination date) for the Facility, and (vi) we have received all of the interest, fees and Costs incurred by us (and payable by you) in establishing and continuing the Facility.
- 2.2 If the Facility Agreement specifies that a Facility is uncommitted, you are not obliged to utilise a Facility and we are not obliged to accept any request from you to utilise a Facility (notwithstanding satisfaction of any condition precedent in respect of a Facility).
- 2.3 If a Facility Agreement specifies that a Facility is a revolving facility, then amounts repaid or prepaid to or received or recovered by us will be available for reuse in accordance with this Agreement up to the Expiry Date (if any) for that Facility. We may agree to extend the Expiry Date (if any) for a Facility by written agreement entered into with you before the then current Expiry Date and each such extended expiry date shall be the "Expiry Date" for that Facility.
- 2.4 If a Facility is uncommitted and has not been terminated earlier, either you or we can give the other 30 days notice in writing terminating this Agreement.

3. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 3.1 You represent and warrant to us now and throughout the term of this Agreement that:
- (a) (if you are a company or another body corporate) you are a legal entity validly existing under the laws of your incorporation or registration, capable of suing and being sued and have all the power to own your assets and to carry on your business as it is now being conducted;
 - (b) you have the power, and all necessary action (including passing all resolutions) has been taken, to authorise you to enter into, execute and deliver, and exercise your rights and perform your obligations under, the Trade Finance Documents to which you are a party;

- (c) your obligations under the Trade Finance Documents to which you are a party are legal, valid, binding and enforceable against you subject to equitable principles and laws affecting creditors' rights generally;
- (d) your entry into, exercise of your rights and performance of your obligations under, the Trade Finance Documents to which you are party do not and will not contravene any law any applicable law or regulation, any of your constitutive documents or any agreement to which you are a party or which is binding on any of your assets;
- (e) you have taken all necessary action (including obtaining consents and other requirements) required to be taken to authorise your entry into, exercise of your rights and performance of your obligations under, the Trade Finance Documents to which you are party and such authorisations and consents are in full force and effect;
- (f) there has been no Material Adverse Change;
- (g) you are not Insolvent;
- (h) there is no change in control of you from that subsisting at the date of this Agreement;
- (i) all information given to us, including financial information provided by you, or someone on your behalf, in connection with the Trade Finance Documents is true and complete and accurate in all material respects and you do not know of any material facts or circumstances which have not been disclosed to us which could affect our decision to provide any Facility to you;
- (j) you are not in breach of your obligations under any applicable law or regulation; and
- (k) no Default Event has occurred and is continuing.

4. TRUSTEES

4.1 If you have entered into this Agreement as a trustee, this clause will apply.

4.2 You represent and warrant to us now and throughout the term of this Agreement that:

- (a) the person or persons named in the Facility Agreement as trustees of the trust are the only trustees of the trust and have been validly appointed and have the power and authority to hold the trust assets and carry on the trust's business;
- (b) the trustees have the power under the trust deed and have been duly authorised to enter into the Trade Finance Documents to which they are party;
- (c) the trustees have the right to be fully indemnified out of the trust assets in priority to the beneficiaries in respect of all obligations under the Trade Finance Documents to which they are party and we are entitled to be subrogated to that right in respect of the trustees' obligations under the Trade Finance Documents;
- (d) the trust assets are sufficient to satisfy all obligations in which you have a right of indemnity (including under the Trade Finance Documents);
- (e) no action has been taken or proposed to wind-up, terminate or liquidate the trust; and
- (f) you are not in default under or in breach of the trust deed.

4.3 At our request, you must exercise your right of indemnity against the trust assets or any beneficiary for our benefit. This right is in addition to all other rights we have under the Trade Finance Documents.

4.4 If you do not have any interest or right in the assets of the trust (including as beneficiary), other than as a trustee, then your liability to us under the Trade Finance Documents will be limited to the trust assets unless we cannot recover any amount owing from the trust assets because any warranty set out above is not correct, or because of dishonest, wilful default or misconduct by you in respect of any Trade Finance Document. In this case, the limitation of liability above will not apply and you will be liable to us from your

personal assets for the amount that we would have been able to recover from trust assets if the dishonesty, wilful default or misconduct did not apply.

5. INFORMATION

You will notify us promptly upon becoming aware of, and must promptly upon request by us provide all information available to you in relation to, any of the following: (i) any representation or warranty made by you to us in this Agreement proves to have been incorrect, untrue, incomplete or misleading, and (ii) any material default or material breach of or under the Sales Contract (and the steps, if any, being taken to remedy it).

6. INTEREST AND FEES

- 6.1 You must pay interest on those parts of a Facility for which an interest rate is specified in the Facility Agreement. Interest must be paid on such days as specified for the relevant Facility in the Facility Agreement.
- 6.2 You must pay us the fees and charges referred to in the Facility Agreement in the amounts and at the times set out in the Facility Agreement. All fees payable by you to us are non-refundable.
- 6.3 You will pay us a Customer Overdue Fee on each Overdue Amount. The Customer Overdue Fee will be calculated from the due date for payment of the Overdue Amount to the date upon which the Overdue Amount is paid, divided into successive periods, each of which (other than the first) shall start on the last day of the preceding period and the duration of each of which shall be selected by us.
- 6.4 Interest accrues daily on the principal amount outstanding under the relevant Facility, and if a fee is referable to a period fees accrue it is calculated, on the basis of actual number of days elapsed and a year of 360 or 365 days (depending on the relevant currency), as determined conclusively by us.

7. CURRENCIES

- 7.1 Unless another Trade Finance Document provides otherwise, all payments to us under a Trade Finance Document must be made in the same currency as the Drawing or obligation to which it relates.
- 7.2 If a Drawing under the Facility is denominated in an Optional Currency and at any time we determine that the Base Currency Equivalent of the Outstanding Amount under the Facility to which the Drawing relates exceeds the Facility Limit of the relevant Facility (if any) for a period of 3 or more consecutive Business Days, you will, within 2 Business Days of a request from us repay or provide cash cover for, so much of the Outstanding Amount as is necessary to ensure that, after doing so, the Base Currency Equivalent of the Outstanding Amount under the Facility is less than or equal to the applicable Facility Limit. You may provide cash cover by placing an amount on deposit with us in a blocked account and providing us with security and set-off rights acceptable to us.
- 7.3 If we receive an amount in a currency other than the currency of the relevant Drawing or the currency required for the relevant payment under this Agreement, you will be liable for any shortfall arising from the conversion of the amount received by us into the required currency on the date of receipt.
- 7.4 The method to be applied for conversion of one currency to another will be our standard procedures for currency conversion.

8. PAYMENTS GENERALLY

- 8.1 You must make all payments under the Trade Finance Documents: (i) in immediately available, freely transferable funds to the ICBCNZ Nominated Account or any other account as we may notify to you, (ii) exclusive of any tax or similar charges, (iii) without any set-off or counter-claim and free and clear of any withholding or deduction (including, but not limited to, in respect of tax) except as required by law.
- 8.2 If any deduction (including, but not limited to, in respect of tax other than any tax imposed on our overall net income) is made, you must increase the amount of payment due to an amount which, after making such deduction, leaves an amount equal to the payment which would have been due if no deduction had been

required. You must provide us with such evidence as we may require (including certified copies of all relevant receipts) that such deduction or payment has been made to the relevant authority. You indemnify us against any Costs incurred by us arising from your failure to make that withholding or deduction as required.

8.3 If you have an account with us, you irrevocably authorise us to debit the account with any Outstanding Moneys payable by you under a Trade Finance Document. We are not obliged to make the debit and nothing in this clause relieves you of your obligation to pay any amount when it is due under the Trade Finance Document.

8.4 If any sum from you to us falls due for payment on a day which is not a Business Day, such payment shall (unless otherwise provided in this Agreement) be made on the next Business Day, unless the result of that extension would be to carry the payment over into the next calendar month, in which event such payment shall be made on the immediately preceding Business Day and interest (if any) shall be adjusted accordingly.

9. COSTS AND INDEMNITY

9.1 You must promptly on demand pay to us the amount of all Costs incurred by us in connection with: (i) the negotiation, preparation, execution, stamping and registration of any Trade Finance Document, any documents executed pursuant to any Facility, or any financing statement relating to any security interest that you (or a someone on your behalf) grant in our favour, (ii) responding to, evaluating, negotiating or complying with any request by you for any amendment, waiver, consent, release or discharge in connection with any Facility, (iii) the enforcement or preservation of any of our rights under any Trade Finance Document, (iv) carrying out any legal review of, or obtaining legal advice in respect of our rights under, any Trade Finance Document, or (v) an enquiry, notice or order by a Regulatory Authority involving you or any of your officers.

9.2 You must indemnify and reimburse us on demand for any Costs incurred by us as a result of: (i) you breaching any of your representations, warranties, undertakings or obligations under any Trade Finance Document, (ii) us acting or declining to act on your request in respect of a Facility under this Agreement, and (iii) any failure by you to utilise the Facility on the date or in the currency specified in a request.

10. INDIRECT TAX

All payments to be made by you under or in connection with any Trade Finance Document have been calculated without regard to Indirect Tax. If all or part of any such payment is the consideration for a taxable supply or chargeable with Indirect Tax then, when you make the payment you must pay us an additional amount equal to that payment (or part) multiplied by the appropriate rate of Indirect Tax. We will promptly provide to you a tax invoice complying with the relevant law relating to that Indirect Tax.

11. INCREASED COST

You will, within 3 Business Days of a demand by us, pay us the amount of any Increased Costs incurred by us or any of our Affiliates as a result of the introduction of or any change in (or in the interpretation or application of) or compliance with any law or regulation (including any law or regulation regarding capital adequacy, prudential limits, liquidity, reserve assets or Tax), made after the date of this Agreement and calculated by us from the day when we first incurred the Increased Cost.

12. DEFAULT EVENT AND TERMINATION

12.1 Whether a Facility is committed or uncommitted, we shall have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately by notice to you at any time if any Default Event happens.

12.2 Upon or at any time after a Default Event (whether or not we exercise our right to terminate this Agreement) we may give written notice to you: (i) declare all or any part of the Outstanding Moneys to be immediately due and payable, whereupon the same shall become so due and payable, (ii) cancelling on that date any unused portion of a Facility Limit for a Facility, (iii) reducing the Facility Limit for a Facility to zero and permanently cancelling it and/or (iv) enforce any of the security interest granted by you in our favour.

13. NOTICES

- 13.1 Any communication to be made in connection with the Trade Finance Documents must be made in writing and may be: (i) given personally, (ii) left at the address last notified, (iii) sent by prepaid post to the address last notified, (iv) sent by fax to the fax number last notified, (v) sent by another form of electronic transmission (if the recipient has agreed to receive the notice by that method of electronic transmission) to the address last notified, or (vi) in any other way permitted by applicable law.
- 13.2 Any communication or document made or delivered under or in connection with the Trade Finance Documents will be effective: (i) if given personally or left at an address, on the date that it is given or left, (ii) if sent by post, in the ordinary course of post but in any event no later than the fifth Business Day after the date of posting, (iii) if sent by fax, when the sending machine indicates it was sent in full without error, (iv) if sent by another agreed form of electronic transmission, at the time when it is delivered to the electronic transmission address and recovered or downloaded from that address by the recipient using a post office protocol, internet message access protocol or similar system, (v) if given by publishing it, at the time it is first published, and (vi) otherwise, when it is received, unless a later time is specified in it.
- 13.3 Any communication or document to be made or delivered to us must be signed by your Authorised Officer, and will be effective only if it is expressly marked for the attention of the department or our officer as we may notify you from time to time and: (i) if it is received after 5.00 pm or on a day that is not a Business Day, on the following Business Day, and (ii) otherwise, when actually made or delivered in accordance with clause 13.2.
- 13.4 A party may notify the other party of any change in its notice details with 2 Business Days' prior notice.

14. ASSIGNMENT

- 14.1 You may not assign, encumber, declare a trust over or otherwise deal with your rights, or transfer any of your obligations, under any Trade Finance Document without our prior written consent.
- 14.2 We may assign, transfer, encumber or otherwise deal with our rights or obligations under any Trade Finance Document without your consent.

15. GENERAL

- 15.1 If, at any time, any provision of a Trade Finance Document is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any respect under any law of any jurisdiction, neither the legality, validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions nor the legality, validity or enforceability of such provision under the law of any other jurisdiction will in any way be affected or impaired.
- 15.2 Each indemnity in a Trade Finance Document is a continuing obligation, separate and independent from your other obligations and will survive the repayment or termination of that Facility.
- 15.3 Each Trade Finance Document (unless required otherwise by a registry or similar office where such document is to be submitted) may be executed in any number of counterparts (including facsimile or scanned PDF counterpart), all of which when taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument, and each of the parties to a Trade Finance Document may execute a Trade Finance Document by signing any such counterpart.
- 15.4 If there is any inconsistency between the Facility Agreement and Standard Terms, the Facility Agreement prevails.

16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION AND PROCESS AGENT

- 16.1 This Agreement is governed by and shall be construed in accordance with New Zealand law.
- 16.2 Any legal action or proceeding arising out of or in connection with this Agreement may be brought in the courts of New Zealand or any other jurisdiction where any of your property may be situated. By signing this Agreement, you: (i) accept for yourself and in respect of your property, generally and unconditionally, the non-exclusive jurisdiction of such courts, (ii) irrevocably waive any rights of immunity which you or your

property may have at any time, (iii) irrevocably waive any objection you may have at any time to any action or proceeding in any such court on the grounds of venue or inconvenient forum, and (iv) consents to service of process in any matter permitted by law.

- 16.3 If you do not have a place of business in New Zealand, you appoint the person specified in the Facility Agreement (if any) to be your authorised agent to accept service of any document required to be served on you in relation to proceedings under or in connection with any Trade Finance Document which are commenced in the courts of New Zealand. You further undertake to notify us promptly of any change of address of a current agent or representative and of the name and address of any substitute agent or representative.