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Dear Mr Andrews,

We have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows:

*"I have the honour to refer to the Hong Kong, China - New Zealand Closer Economic Partnership Agreement ("Agreement").*

*I have the further honour to refer to Implementing Arrangement 1 to Annexes I, II, III and IV to Chapter 12 (Government Procurement) of the Agreement dated 5 May 2022 and would like to propose the updates set out in the Appendix to this letter to modify Hong Kong, China's List of Entities in Section A and Covered Goods and Services in Section B and New Zealand's List of Entities in Section A respectively under the List of Entities and Covered Goods and Services in Annex I to Chapter 12 (Government Procurement) of the Agreement.*

*If the above is acceptable to the Government of Hong Kong, China, I have the honour to propose that this letter and your letter of confirmation in reply will constitute an agreement pursuant to Implementing Arrangement 1 to Annexes I, II, III and IV to Chapter 12 (Government Procurement) of the Agreement dated 5 May 2022, which will enter into effect on 1 July 2024."*

We have the further honour to confirm that the foregoing is acceptable to Hong Kong, China, and that your letter and this letter in reply will constitute an agreement pursuant to Implementing Arrangement 1 to Annexes I, II, III and IV to Chapter 12 (Government Procurement) of the Hong Kong, China - New Zealand Closer Economic Partnership Agreement dated 5 May 2022, which will enter into effect on 1 July 2024.

Yours sincerely,

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