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Dear Mr Sun Dawei

I have the honour to refer to the *Agreement between the Government of New Zealand and the Government of the People's Republic of China on Cooperation in the field of Conformity Assessment in Relation to Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Components (EEE MRA)* annexed to the *Free Trade Agreement between the Government of New Zealand and the Government of the People's Republic of China* (the "Agreement") signed in Beijing on 7 April 2008.

I am pleased to confirm, on behalf of the New Zealand Ministry of Economic Development, the following understandings reached in connection with the English language version of the EEE MRA:

Schedules A.1 and A.2 of Implementing Arrangement 1 of the EEE MRA will be amended as set out in annexes to this note. Annex A sets out the amendments to Schedule A.1 (to New Zealand). Annex B sets out the amendments to Schedule A.2 (to China).

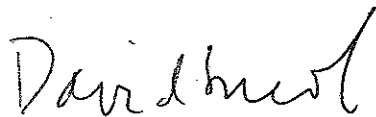
The objectives of the amendments are:

1. to implement the addition of three new products to the Schedules;
2. to update references of standards; and
3. to correct minor technical and typographical errors found in the current Schedules.

I have the further honour to notify that New Zealand has completed the domestic procedures necessary to give effect to these amendments in accordance with Section 24 (2) of the Implementing Arrangement 1 of the EEE MRA.

In accordance with Section 24(2) of Implementing Arrangement 1 of the EEE MRA, this letter and your letter in reply confirming that the Chinese domestic procedures necessary to give effect to these amendments have been completed (together 'the Arrangement') will bring the amendments into effect on the date on which New Zealand receives your reply.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Smol". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

David Smol
Chief Executive
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