



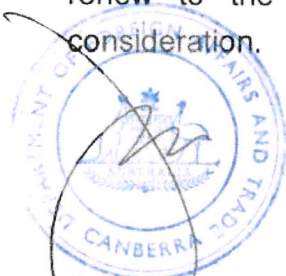
N° 101/11/ILB

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade presents its compliments to the Royal Norwegian Embassy in Canberra and has the honour to refer to the *Convention between Australia and the Kingdom of Norway for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with Respect to Taxes on Income and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion* signed in Canberra on 8 August 2006 ("the Convention").

The Department has the honour to propose, in accordance with subparagraph 2(d) of Article 29 of the Convention, that Article 27 of the Convention will have effect from 1 July 2011.

If the above is acceptable to the Royal Norwegian Embassy, the Department has the further honour to propose that this Note together with your Note in reply constitute confirmation of the effective date in accordance with subparagraph 2(d) of Article 29 of the Convention.

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Royal Norwegian Embassy the assurances of its highest consideration.



Canberra

17 May 2011

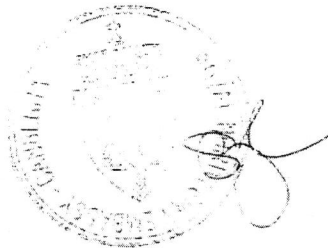


ROYAL NORWEGIAN EMBASSY

The Royal Norwegian Embassy presents its compliments to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade and has the honour to refer to the latter's Note N°101/11/ILB of 17 May 2011 and to the *Convention between Australia and the Kingdom of Norway for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with Respect to Taxes on Income and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion* signed in Canberra on 8 August 2006 ("the Convention").

The Embassy has the honour to accept the proposal, in accordance with subparagraph 2(d) of Article 29 of the Convention, that Article 27 of the Convention will have effect from 1 July 2011 and that this Note together with your Note constitute confirmation of the effective date in accordance with subparagraph 2(d) of Article 29 of the Convention.

The Royal Norwegian Embassy avails itself of the opportunity to renew to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade the assurances of its highest consideration.



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