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By e-mail

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Ref: PRL/retroamend/15

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Dear [REDACTED]

Amendment to Retrocession Agreement with Pool Reinsurance Limited

Contract for the provision of legal services by Pinsent Masons LLP as Solicitor to HM Treasury as Client pursuant to the Legal Services Framework Agreement (RM 919) dated 01/02/13 between the Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Government Procurement Service as the Authority (1) and the Solicitor as the Supplier (2)

1. We refer to the above Legal Services Framework Agreement (the "Framework Agreement"). For the purposes of this Letter of Appointment:
 - capitalised terms and expressions used in this Letter of Appointment have the same meanings given to them in or pursuant to the Call-Off Terms attached to this Letter of Appointment unless the context otherwise requires;
 - references to Appendices are references to the appendices to this Letter of Appointment; and
 - the Appendices shall form part of this Letter of Appointment.
2. This Letter of Appointment constitutes an Order for the provision by you to us of the Contract Services specified in Appendix 1 on the basis of the Framework Prices and save as varied and/or supplemented pursuant to the provisions set out in the Call-Off Terms.
3. The partner at the Solicitor with overall responsibility for the supply of the Contract Services is [REDACTED] who is also the fee earner assigned to the supply of the Contract Services.
4. The Client's Representative for the purpose of the Contract is [REDACTED] and any disputes in relation to the Contract shall be escalated as follows, firstly by contacting [REDACTED] or alternatively [REDACTED] the Deputy Director for the Mutuals, Markets and Insurance Team.

**Appendix 1
(Contract Services)**

Legal Services Lot 5 – Finance and Regulation

Estimated Value of Requirement: Cost capped at £10,000

Services agreed:

- **Review of current retrocession agreements and proposed draft amendments to ensure that the proposed drafting delivers the intended agreed outcomes and to alert HM Treasury to any issues that may need to be addressed in order to best protect the Government's (and ultimately the taxpayer's) interests.**
- **Propose drafting improvements**
- **Legal Advice (at meetings, by telephone or in writing)**
- **Legal "sense check" to take place at two points – first on receipt of the draft amendment from Pool Reinsurance Limited and second before final sign-off of the agreement**