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# Sweden and Thailand

Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand on law enforcement cooperation in combating organized crime, illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs, psychotropic substances and precursors, trafficking in human beings, acts of terrorism and other serious crimes. Stockholm, 4 March 2013

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## **AGREEMENT**

#### between

## THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF SWEDEN

#### and

## THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND

on

# Law Enforcement Cooperation in Combating Organized Crime, Illicit Trafficking in Narcotic Drugs, Psychotropic Substances and Precursors, Trafficking in Human Beings, Acts of Terrorism and Other Serious Crimes

The Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and The Government of the Kingdom of Thailand hereinafter referred to as "the Parties",

Deeming it important to strengthen and develop law enforcement cooperation in combating crime,

Considering that such cooperation should take place in as effective a manner as possible, while taking due account of the requirements of legal certainty,

Being guided by principles of mutual respect for sovereignty, equality, reciprocity and mutual benefit, as well as respect for human rights and the rule of law,

Noting with concern the links between international terrorism and trans-national organised crime,

Have agreed as follows:

#### Article 1

- 1. The Parties shall cooperate, in accordance with their respective national laws and regulations in combating crimes, regardless of the principle of dual criminality, whose prevention, detection, investigation and solution require joint measures by the competent authorities of both Parties, such as organized crime, illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs, psychotropic substances and precursors, trafficking in human beings, cyber crime, money laundering, acts of terrorism, including financing of terrorism, and other serious crimes.
- 2. The Parties shall through diplomatic channels communicate to each other the competent authorities for the implementation of this Agreement.

#### Article 2

- 1. Forms of cooperation between the Parties shall include the exchange of information and other measures that are consonant with the objectives of this Agreement (Article 1) and with the undertakings of the Parties under other international agreements and within the framework of their respective laws and regulations.
- 2. The competent authorities of the Parties may in addition cooperate by means of exchanges of experience and specialists, and by furnishing one another with legal information, information on law enforcement work, organizational issues, police ethics and information regarding the crime situation and trends in crime in their States.
- 3. This Agreement shall not affect issues relating to the provision of mutual legal assistance in criminal matters, judicial cooperation or extradition, which shall be subject to separated agreements and/or arrangements between the Parties.

#### Article 3

1. Requests for information or other measures in conformity with this agreement shall be made in writing by the competent authorities conveyed in accordance with Article 1, Paragraph 2 of the present Agreement. Such requests shall be made directly between the