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Le Contre-Amiral Mohamed LAGHMARI

Inspecteur de la Marine Royale Marocaine Etat-Major de la Marine Royale Rabat, Morocco

Dear Contre-Amiral LAGHMARI,

MARINE ROYALE VISIT TO AUSTRALIA

Further to my letter of 18 February 2011, I am very pleased that you are able accept our invitation to visit Australia to inspect Armidale Class Patrol Boats and associated facilities, including the shipyard of the vessels' builder Austal. We will arrange a program for the week commencing 16 May 2011 which I understand will be a mutually suitable time for you to undertake the visit.

Mr Oussama Alawi of the Australian Trade Commission office in Rabat will coordinate details of the visit with your staff. In the meantime, if I can be of assistance with regard to any matters associated with this visit please let me know.

Yours sincerely

Mr Terry WHELAN

Head

Defence Export Unit

24 March 2011