ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (1/14)

Obligations Concerned:

Article 17.6.1 (a), with respect to production and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the territory of Viet Nam
Article 17.6.1 (b)

Entity:

All state-owned enterprises and designated monopolies

Scope of Non-conforming Activities:

With respect to Article 17.6.1 (a), Viet Nam may provide any financing necessary to the restructuring¹ of the Entity, provided that the financing does not cause:

- i. a significant increase in the market share of a good produced and sold by the Entity in the relevant market in the territory of Viet Nam; or
- ii. a significant price-undercutting of a good produced and sold by the Entity as compared with the price in the same market of a like good produced and sold by an enterprise that is a covered investment of another Party, or a significant price suppression, price depression or lost sales in the same market.

With respect to Article 17.6.1 (a) and (b), Viet Nam may provide the Entity with assistance in the form of a one-time purchase of non-performing loans or unused assets at market value and financing of the government to settle excessive employees, provided that the assistance is non-recurrent, cannot be repeated and is given for purposes of equitisation².

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Except any financing related to the equitisation of an enterprise

² For the purpose of this entry, "equitisation" means the transformation of an enterprise which is 100% state-owned into an joint stock company

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (2/14)

Obligations Article 17.4.1 (a) and Article 17.4.2 (a)

Concerned: Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a) with respect to production and

sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the

territory of Viet Nam

Entity: All state-owned enterprises and designated monopolies

Scope of Non-Conforming Activities: With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a) and Article 17.4.2 (a), as a means of ensuring economic stability or providing public goods as defined in laws and regulations, Viet Nam may, pursuant to laws or regulations, require a state-owned enterprise or a designated monopoly: (i) to sell or purchase goods at a regulated price, quantity or other terms and conditions; and (ii) produce or sell a good to the public, as defined in laws and regulations, within the territory of Viet Nam.

With respect to Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide the Entity with non-commercial assistance to cover the reasonable costs, including any contributions to employee welfare funds, as a result of the implementation of such measure(s).

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (3/14)

Obligations

Article 17.4.1 (a) and Article 17.4.2 (a)

Concerned:

Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a) with respect to production and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the territory

of Viet Nam

Entity:

All state-owned enterprises and designated monopolies

Scope of conforming Activities:

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With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a) and Article 17.4.2 (a), as a means of promoting and facilitating the economic development of remote and mountainous areas, borderlands and offshore areas, areas under extremely difficult socio-economic conditions or areas where the standard of living is abnormally low or where there is serious underemployment, Viet Nam may require or direct the Entity to take into account factors other than commercial considerations in its purchase of goods pursuant to a government measure.

With respect to Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide the Entity with compensation for the implementation of such measure.

ANNEX IV

Schedule of Viet Nam (4/14)

Obligations Article 17.4.1 (a) and (b) **Concerned:** Article 17.4.2 (a) and (b)

Entity: All state-owned enterprises and designated monopolies

Scope of No Conforming Activities:

With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a) and (b) and Article 17.4.2 (a) and (b), as a means of promoting and facilitating the development of small and medium enterprises as defined by laws and regulations³, Viet Nam may require or direct the Entity to:

(i) take into account factors other than commercial considerations; and/or (ii) accord preferential treatment to small and medium enterprises that are investments of Vietnamese investors in the territory of Viet Nam,

in its purchase of a good or service from small and medium enterprises pursuant to a government measure.

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³ For greater certainty, the term "small and medium enterprise" for Viet Nam is consistent with entry 7 in Annex II

ANNEX IV

Schedule of Viet Nam (5/14)

Obligations Article 17.4.1 (a) **Concerned:** Article 17.4.2 (a)

Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a) with respect to production and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the territory of Viet Nam

Entity: Vietnam Oil and Gas Group (PETROVIETNAM) and its subsidiaries⁴ and

successors

Scope of Nonconforming Activities: With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a) and Article 17.4.2 (a), the Entity, pursuant to a governmental measure, may be required to take into account factors other than commercial considerations with respect to sales of a good and may accord preferential treatment in its purchases of a good or service supplied by enterprises that are investments of Vietnamese investors in the territory of Viet Nam in the following activities: oil and gas exploration, prospecting and exploitation, flight operation services.

The preferences to a good or service described above are accorded pursuant to Viet Nam's entry 31 in its Schedule to Annex I. For greater certainty, Viet Nam has not scheduled against Articles 17.4.1 (b) and 17.4.2 (b) for these preferences by virtue of Article 17.2.11.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-commercial assistance to the Entity in order to carry out a project in the oil and gas, hydrocarbon and hydrocarbon derivative and related industries with the objectives of regional or socio - economic development within the territory of Viet Nam.

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⁴A list of subsidiaries of PETROVIETNAM can be found at <u>www.pvn.vn</u>

ANNEX IV

Schedule of Viet Nam (6/14)

Obligations Article 17.4.1 (a) **Concerned:** Article 17.4.2 (a)

Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a) with respect to production and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the territory of Viet Nam

Entity: Vietnam Electricity (EVN) and its subsidiaries and successors⁵;

Any existing or future state-owned enterprise that engages in power

generation, including nuclear power or any types of renewable energy;

Scope of Nonconforming Activities: With respect to Articles 17.4.1 (a) and 17.4.2 (a), pursuant to a government measure, the Entity must ensure the development of a sustainable power system, fulfill the requirements to provide safe, stable and efficient power supply at regulated prices and other terms and conditions and may accord differential treatment in its purchase of a good or service in the areas of power generation by hydropower, nuclear power and security-related power generators, transmission and distribution of all types of electricity, power and alternative or substitute of electricity.

The preferences to a good or service described above are accorded pursuant to Viet Nam's entry 22 in its Schedule to Annex I and entry 21 in its Schedule to Annex II. For greater certainty, Viet Nam has not scheduled against Articles 17.4.1 (b) and 17.4.2 (b) for these preferences by virtue of Article 17.2.11.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide loans or loan guarantees to the Entity for the purpose of establishing power generation facilities with the objectives of regional or socio-economic development.

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⁵A list of subsidiaries of Vietnam Electricity can be found at www.evn.com.vn

ANNEX IV

Schedule of Viet Nam (7/14)

Obligations Concerned:

Article 17.4.1 (a), with respect to the sale of a good

Article 17.6.1 (a) and Article 17.6.2 (a) with respect to production and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in the territory of Viet Nam

Entity: Vietnam National Coal - Minerals Holding Corporation Limited (Vinacomin)

and its subsidiaries and successors in the mining sector

Scope of Nonconforming Activities: With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a), the Entity may sell coal or any minerals in the territory of Viet Nam on terms and conditions other than those based on commercial considerations, pursuant to laws and regulations.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-commercial assistance to the Entity for the maintenance of its existing activities in remote areas or areas of strategic importance in its production of coal and minerals in the territory of Viet Nam, provided the assistance does not cause: i) a significant increase in the market share of a good produced and sold by the Entity in the relevant market in the territory of Viet Nam; or ii) a significant price-undercutting of a good produced and sold by the Entity as compared with the price in the same market in the territory of Viet Nam of a like good produced and sold by an enterprise that is a covered investment of another Party, or a significant price suppression, price depression or lost sales in the same market.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (8/14)

Obligations Article 17.4 **Concerned:** Article 17.6

Entity: State Capital Investment Corporation (SCIC) and its subsidiaries and

successors

Scope of Non- Asset management, investment and related activities, using financial

conforming as

assets of Viet Nam

Activities:

This entry will cease to have effect once SCIC becomes a full member of the International Forum of Sovereign Wealth Funds or within 5 years after the entry into force of this Agreement, whichever comes first.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (9/14)

Obligations Articles 17.4.1 (a) and (c) **Concerned:** Articles 17.6.1 (b) and (c)

Entity: - Vietnam National Financial Switching JSC., (Banknetvn);

- Debt and Asset Trading Corporation (DATC);

- Vietnam Development Bank (VDB); Vietnam Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (Agribank) and its subsidiaries;

- Social policy funding entities, co-operative banks, and any development

financial institutions;

- a mortgage refinance bank

and their successors

Scope of Nonconforming Activities: With respect to Articles 17.4.1 (a) and (c), pursuant to a government measure, the Entities listed in this entry (except Banknetvn) may take into account factors other than commercial considerations and provide financial services (except insurance and securities) solely to or accord preferential treatment to Vietnamese nationals or enterprises in the territory of Viet Nam. These services are not intended to displace or impede private financing.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (b) and (c), Viet Nam may provide assistance to BanknetVN to provide financial switching services.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (10/14)

Obligations Article 17.4 **Concerned:** Article 17.6

Entity: Any state-owned enterprises owned or controlled by the Ministry of

Defense of Viet Nam or the Ministry of Public Security of Viet Nam, except Viettel Global JSC., and enterprises exclusively engaged in commercial activities not related to national defense, public order or

public security.

Scope of Non- All existing and future activities

conforming **Activities:**

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (11/14)

Obligations Articles 17.4.1 (a) and (c)

Concerned: Articles 17.6.1 (b) and 17.6.2 (b)

Entity: Airport Corporation of Vietnam, Vietnam Airlines Corporation, Vietnam

National Shipping Lines and their subsidiaries and successors;

Scope of Nonconforming Activities: With respect to Articles 17.4.1 (a) and (c), Airport Corporation of Vietnam may provide ground handling services to Vietnamese national airlines at preferential rates, pursuant to a governmental measure.

With respect to Article 17.6.1 (b), Vietnam Airlines Corporation may receive non-commercial assistance in the form of a loan guarantee as part of an international financial arrangement or contract, provided that the assistance does not directly cause: (i) a significant increase in the market share of a service provided by Vietnam Airlines Corporation in the relevant market; or (ii) a significant price-undercutting of a service provided by Vietnam Airlines Corporation as compared with the price in the same market of a like service provided by an enterprise that is a covered investment of another Party, or a significant price suppression, price depression or lost sales in the same market.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (b) and 17.6.2 (b), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-commercial assistance to Vietnam National Shipping Lines pursuant to a restructuring plan with respect to the supply of maritime transportation services.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (12/14)

Obligations Concerned: Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a) with respect to the production

and sale of goods in competition with a covered investment in the

territory of Vietnam

Entity: Shipbuilding Industry Corporation (SBIC) and its subsidiaries

and successors in the shipbuilding and related sectors

Scope of Non-conforming

Activities:

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-

commercial assistance to the Entity pursuant to a restructuring

plan.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (13/14)

Obligations Concerned: Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), with respect to the production

and sale of a good in competition with a covered investment in

the territory of Viet Nam

Entity: Vietnam National Coffee Corporation

Activities:

Scope of Non-conforming With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (a) and 17.6.2 (a), Viet Nam, its

state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-

commercial assistance to the Entity in the production and sale

of coffee in the territory of Viet Nam.

ANNEX IV Schedule of Viet Nam (14/14)

Obligations Concerned: Article 17.4.1 (a)

Articles 17.6.1 (b) and 17.6.2 (b)

Entity: Any state-owned enterprises in the printing, publishing, audio-

visual services, mass communication (press, news-gathering agencies, publishing, radio and television broadcasting, in any

form) and telecom sectors

Scope of Non-conforming Activities:

Any activities of Entity in the mass-communication, printing and publishing sectors;

With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a), the Entity in the telecom sector may sell or purchase goods and services at a regulated price or other terms and conditions pursuant to a government measure.

With respect to Article 17.4.1 (a), any states owned enterprises may take into account factors other than commercial considerations and accord differential treatment to purchase and sale of audio-visual productions and distribution services.

The preferences to a good or service described above are accorded pursuant to Viet Nam's entries 8 and 9 in its Schedule to Annex I, and entries 13, 18 and 20 in its Schedule to Annex II. For greater certainty, Viet Nam has not scheduled against Article 17.4.1 (b) for these preferences by virtue of Article 17.2.11.

With respect to Articles 17.6.1 (b) and 17.6.2 (b), Viet Nam, its state enterprises or state-owned enterprises may provide non-commercial assistance to the Entity with respect to overseas broadcasting of Vietnamese language programming.