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**Subject:**      **FP7 Grant Agreement N° 283883 NMI3-II**  
(CP-CSA\_FP7-INFRASTRUCTURES-2011-1)

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Dear Sirs,

Please find enclosed the above GA, duly signed on behalf of the Commission, which entered into force on that day.

In accordance with its terms, the official commencement date of the project is the *1<sup>st</sup> February 2012* (referred to as the "*start date*").

You are requested to distribute a copy to each beneficiary.

Further to the previous relevant communication from my service, enclosed herewith, in addition, the hard copies of the Annexes to the Grant Agreement.



Please ensure that you follow the process described in our letter sent to you, together with the draft grant agreement, relevant to the signature of the FORMS A - Accession of beneficiaries to the grant agreement (Annex IV to the Grant Agreement) for all the beneficiaries. Should any beneficiary, fail or refuse to accede to the grant agreement within the previous deadline, the Commission is no longer bound by its offer to the said beneficiary(ies) in conformity with Article 1.3 of the grant agreement. **If not sent already, we will be expecting from you one duly signed Form A - preferably in blue ink - for each beneficiary<sup>1</sup>, within 45 calendar days after the entry into force of the Grant Agreement, i.e. 45 calendar days after its signature by the Commission, to be sent to us to the following address:**

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Finally, within 45 days following the date of entry into force of this GA you should receive the pre-financing foreseen under the terms stipulated therein. **Please ensure that you distribute the *pre-financing* only to the *beneficiaries* who have acceded to the *grant agreement* and after the minimum number of *beneficiaries* required by the *Rules for Participation* as detailed in the call for proposals to which the *project* is related, have acceded to the Grant Agreement.**

I take this opportunity to remind you that the total costs identified in Annex I to the project that are the basis for the estimation of the maximum European Union contribution, are an estimate for the expected eligible costs to be incurred by the beneficiaries under the project. **The European Union contribution, however, will be reimbursed on the basis of actual eligible costs incurred and in accordance with the provisions of Articles II.15 and 16 of the grant agreement.** More information regarding FP7 can be found at [http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/home\\_en.html](http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/home_en.html).

Yours sincerely,



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CC: T. RUSU, B. MICHAUD  
Encl.: EC counter-signed Grant Agreement and Annexes

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<sup>1</sup> If the authorised legal representative indicated in the Form A is not the person having signed it, please indicate in the accompanying letter the reason for this and confirm the legal authorisation of the person having signed.

