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**STICHTING ASTRONOMISCH
ONDERZOEK IN NEDERLAND-
ASTRON**

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BY COURIER SERVICE WITH ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT

Dear Sirs,

Subject: **Amendment n° 1 to Grant Agreement No. 227290 "RadioNet-FP7"**
Your letter requesting amendment dated 05/02/2010 (our ref. A/105702) as modified and/or complemented by your letters dated 27/01/2010 (our ref. A/103830) and 29/03/2010 (our ref. A/115740) and your e-mails dated 15/04/2010 (our ref A/121654), 17/05/2010 (our ref. A/123109 and A/123273), 20/05/2010 (our ref. A/124052 and A/124113), 27/05/2010 (our ref. Ares (2010)285711) and 28/05/2010 (our ref. Ares (2010)289482)

With reference to the above, this is to inform you that the Commission agrees to your request, to modify the grant agreement as follows:

Addition of one beneficiary

The following entity is added as beneficiary with effect from the date specified in the following table:

SHANGHAI ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATORY - CHINESE ACADEMY OF SCIENCES (new beneficiary N° 28, PIC N° 995731967), established in NANDÁN ROAD, SHANGHAI, 200030, China (People's Republic of), represented by Mr. Xiaoyu Hong, Director, or his authorised representative (beneficiary 28, PIC 995731967).	01/01/2010
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Article 1.1 of the *grant agreement* is modified accordingly

Universal transfer of rights and obligations from TEKNILLINEN KORKEAKOULU to AALTO-KORKEAKOULUSAATIO

Therefore, TEKNILLINEN KORKEAKOULU has modified its legal details as follows:

AALTO-KORKEAKOULUSAATIO (AALTO, new beneficiary N° 27, PIC N° 991256096), established in Otakaari 1, Aalto, Finland, represented by **Prof. Heikki Mannila, Vice President** and/or **Prof. Martti Raevaara, Vice President**, or their authorised representative.

Modification of a special clause

The special clause 9 set out in Article 7 is modified as follows:

No	Text of Special Clause
9	<p>1. Costs incurred by the following beneficiaries shall not be taken into consideration for determining the financial contribution of the Union:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Korea Astronomy and Space Science Institute- Shangai Astronomical Observatory –Chinese Academy of Sciences. <p>2. Part B of Annex II, with the exception of Articles II.23, II.25.2 and II.25.3 and any other financial and payment provisions contained in the grant agreement do not apply to beneficiaries mentioned in the previous paragraph. These beneficiaries need not submit, in particular, the reports mentioned in Article II.4.1.c) and II.4.4 and are not subject to financial audits and controls referred to in Article II.22.</p> <p>3. When providing services or resources to another beneficiary, these beneficiaries shall be considered as third parties for the purpose of the application of Article II.3 paragraphs c) and d).</p>

Change of Commission's address

The address specified in Article 8.2 of the grant agreement is modified as follows:
For the Commission: **RTD-INFRA-GA@ec.europa.eu**

Modification of Annex I - Description of Work

Annex I - Description of Work is modified.

The revised Annex I, dated 27/05/2010, attached to this letter replaces any former version.

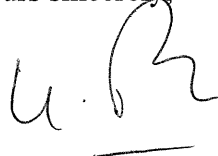
All other provisions of the *grant agreement* and its annexes remain unchanged.

This amendment comes into force upon the date of signature of this letter by the Commission and with effect as follows:

- The addition of *SHANGHAI ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATORY - CHINESE ACADEMY OF SCIENCES* and the modification of special clause 9 will have effect from 01/01/2010, as requested in your letter¹.
- The change of the Commission's address will have effect from the date of the signature of this letter by the Commission.
- The modification of Annex I - Description of Work will have effect from 01/01/2010, as requested in your email of 28/05/2010 (our ref. Ares (2010)289482)².
- The universal transfer of rights and obligations *from TEKNILLINEN KORKEAKOULU to AALTO-KORKEAKOULUSAATIO* will have effect from 01/01/2010, as mentioned in our participants' database PDM-URF³.

Please acknowledge receipt and inform the other beneficiaries of the content of this letter.

Yours sincerely,



Hervé PERO

CC: E. RIGHI-STEELE, B. NOROOZI

¹ Referred to in the subject line of this letter.

² Referred to in the subject line of this letter.

³ And as corroborated by the supporting documents submitted by the responsible LEAR, related to the universal transfer of rights and obligations uploaded therein.