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IMPORTANT NOTICE

This Information Memorandum (together with any supplementary information memorandum and information incorporated herein by reference, the “Information Memorandum”) contains summary information provided by Finnvera plc (the “Issuer”) and the Republic of Finland (the “Guarantor”) in connection with a euro-commercial paper programme (the “Programme”) under which the Issuer may issue and have outstanding at any time euro-commercial paper notes (the “Notes”) up to a maximum aggregate amount of €3,000,000,000 or its equivalent in alternative currencies. Under the Programme, the Issuer may issue Notes outside the United States pursuant to Regulation S (“Regulation S”) of the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”) which will have the benefit of a guarantee undertaking dated 9 September 2021 and entered into by the Guarantor (the “Guarantee”). The Issuer has, pursuant to a dealer agreement dated 9 September 2021 (the “Dealer Agreement”), appointed Barclays Bank Ireland PLC as arranger for the Programme (the “Arranger”), appointed Bank of America Europe DAC, Barclays Bank Ireland PLC, Citigroup Global Markets Europe AG and Citigroup Global Markets Limited as dealers for the Notes (together with any further dealers appointed under the Programme from time to time pursuant to the Dealer Agreement, the “Dealers”) and authorised and requested the Dealers to circulate the Information Memorandum in connection with the Programme on their behalf to purchasers or potential purchasers of the Notes.

THE NOTES AND THE GUARANTEE HAVE NOT BEEN AND WILL NOT BE REGISTERED UNDER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 AS AMENDED (THE “SECURITIES ACT”) OR ANY U.S. STATE SECURITIES LAWS AND MAY NOT BE OFFERED, SOLD OR DELIVERED WITHIN THE UNITED STATES UNLESS AN EXEMPTION FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT IS AVAILABLE AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE OF THE UNITED STATES AND ANY OTHER JURISDICTION.

The Notes and the Guarantee have not been approved or disapproved by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or any other securities commission or other regulatory authority in the United States, nor have the foregoing authorities approved this Information Memorandum or confirmed the accuracy or determined the adequacy of the information contained in this Information Memorandum. Any representation to the contrary is unlawful.

The Issuer has confirmed to the Arranger and the Dealers that the information contained or incorporated by reference in the Information Memorandum is true and accurate in all material respects and not misleading in any material respect and that there are no other facts the omission of which makes the Information Memorandum as a whole or any such information contained or incorporated by reference therein misleading in any material respect.

None of the Issuer, the Guarantor, the Arranger or the Dealers accept any responsibility, express or implied, for updating the Information Memorandum and neither the delivery of the Information Memorandum nor any offer or sale made on the basis of the information in the Information Memorandum shall under any circumstances create any implication that the Information Memorandum is accurate at any time subsequent to the date thereof with respect to the Issuer or the Guarantor or that there has been no change in the business, financial condition or affairs of the Issuer or the Guarantor since the date thereof.

No person is authorised by the Issuer or the Guarantor to give any information or to make any representation not contained in the Information Memorandum and any information or representation not contained therein must not be relied upon as having been authorised.

Neither the Arranger nor any Dealer has independently verified the information contained in the Information Memorandum. Accordingly, no representation or warranty or undertaking (express or implied) is made, and no responsibility or liability is accepted by the Arranger or the Dealers as to the authenticity, origin, validity, accuracy or completeness of, or any errors in or omissions from, any information or statement contained in the Information Memorandum or in or from any accompanying or subsequent material or presentation.

The information contained in the Information Memorandum is not and should not be construed as a recommendation by the Arranger, the Dealers, the Issuer or the Guarantor that any recipient should purchase Notes. Each such recipient must make and shall be deemed to have made its own independent assessment and investigation of the financial condition, affairs and creditworthiness of the Issuer and the Guarantor and of the Programme as it may deem necessary and must base any investment decision upon such independent assessment and investigation and not on the Information Memorandum.

Neither the Arranger nor any Dealer undertakes to review the business or financial condition or affairs of the Issuer or the Guarantor during the life of the Programme, nor undertakes to advise any recipient of the Information Memorandum of any information or change in such information coming to the Arranger's or any Dealer's attention.

Neither the Arranger nor any of the Dealers accepts any liability in relation to this Information Memorandum or its distribution by any other person. This Information Memorandum does not, and is not intended to, constitute an offer or invitation to any person to purchase Notes. The distribution of this Information Memorandum and the offering for sale of Notes or any interest in such Notes or any rights in respect of such Notes, in certain jurisdictions, may be restricted by law. Persons obtaining this Information Memorandum or any Notes or any interest in such Notes or any rights in respect of such Notes are required by the Issuer, the Guarantor, the Arranger and the Dealers to inform themselves about and to observe any such restrictions. In particular, but without limitation, such persons are required to comply with the restrictions on offers or sales of Notes and on distribution of this Information Memorandum and other information in relation to the Notes, the Issuer and the Guarantor set out under "Selling Restrictions" below.

No application will be made at any time to list the Notes on any stock exchange. A communication of an invitation or inducement to engage in investment activity (within the meaning of Section 21 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (the "FSMA")) received in connection with the issue or sale of any Notes will only be made in circumstances in which Section 21(1) of the FSMA does not apply to the Issuer or the Guarantor.

Singapore SFA Product Classification – In connection with Section 309B of the Securities and Futures Act (Chapter 289) of Singapore (the "SFA"), unless otherwise specified before an offer of Notes, the Issuer has determined, and hereby notifies all relevant persons (as defined in Section 309A(1) of the SFA), that the Notes are "prescribed capital markets products" (as defined in the Securities and Futures (Capital Markets Products) Regulation 2018 of Singapore).

MiFID II /UK MiFIR Product Governance – Solely by virtue of appointment as Arranger or Dealer, as applicable, on this Programme, neither the Arranger nor the Dealers nor any of their respective affiliates will be a "manufacturer" for the purpose of EU Delegated Directive 2017/593 and/or the FCA Handbook Product Intervention and Product Governance Sourcebook.

Tax

No comment is made, and no advice is given by the Issuer, the Guarantor, the Arranger or any Dealer in respect of taxation matters relating to the Notes and each investor is advised to consult its own professional adviser.

Interpretation

In the Information Memorandum, references to “euros” and “€” are to the lawful currency introduced at the start of the third stage of European Economic and Monetary Union pursuant to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, as amended from time to time; references to “Sterling” and “£” are to pounds sterling; references to “U.S. Dollars” and “U.S.\$” are to United States dollars; references to “JPY” and “¥” are to Japanese Yen; references to “CHF” are to Swiss francs; references to “AUD” are to Australian dollars; references to “CAD” are to Canadian dollars; references to “NZD” are to New Zealand dollars and references to “HKD” are to Hong Kong dollars.

Where the Information Memorandum refers to the provisions of any other document, such reference should not be relied upon and the document must be referred to for its full effect.

A reference in the Information Memorandum to an agreement or document entered into in connection with the Programme shall be to such agreement or document as amended, novated, restated, superseded or supplemented from time to time.

Documents Incorporated By Reference

The most recently published audited financial statements of the Issuer and any subsequently published interim financial statements (whether audited or unaudited) of the Issuer (including the notes and auditors’ report in respect thereof) shall be deemed to be incorporated in, and to form part of, this Information Memorandum.

Any statement contained in a document incorporated by reference into this Information Memorandum or contained in any supplementary information memorandum or in any document incorporated by reference therein shall, to the extent applicable (whether expressly, by implication or otherwise), be deemed to modify or supersede earlier statements contained in this Information Memorandum or in a document which is incorporated by reference in this Information Memorandum. Any statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Information Memorandum.

Except as provided above, no other information, including information on the web site of the Issuer is incorporated by reference into this Information Memorandum.

Each Dealer will, following receipt of such documentation from the Issuer, provide to each person to whom a copy of this Information Memorandum has been delivered, upon request of such person, a copy of any or all the documents incorporated herein by reference unless such documents have been modified or superseded as specified above. Written requests for such documents should be directed to the relevant Dealer at its office as set out at the end of this Information Memorandum.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Issuer:	Finnvera plc
Issuer's Legal Identifier (LEI):	Entity 743700T69OBBJO7TCA15
Guarantor:	The Republic of Finland
Guarantor's LEI:	743700M6Y2OQRVSBRD14
Arranger:	Barclays Bank Ireland PLC
Dealers:	Bank of America Europe DAC Barclays Bank Ireland PLC Citigroup Global Markets Europe AG Citigroup Global Markets Limited
Issue and Paying Agent:	Citibank, N.A., London Branch
Maximum Amount of the Programme:	The outstanding principal amount of the Notes will not exceed €3,000,000,000 (or its equivalent in other currencies) at any time. The maximum amount of the Programme may be increased from time to time in accordance with the Dealer Agreement.
Guarantee:	The Notes have the benefit of the Guarantee.
Ratings:	The Programme has been assigned ratings by and Notes issued under the Programme have been assigned ratings by Moody's Deutschland GmbH and Fitch Ratings – a branch of Fitch Ratings Ireland Limited. A rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to suspension, reduction or withdrawal at any time by the relevant rating agency.
Form of the Notes:	The Notes will be in bearer form. The Notes will initially be in global form (" <u>Global Notes</u> "). A Global Note will be exchangeable into definitive notes (" <u>Definitive Notes</u> ") only in the circumstances set out in that Global Note.
Delivery:	Global Notes will be deposited with a common depository for Euroclear Bank SA/NV (" <u>Euroclear</u> ") and Clearstream Banking S.A. (" <u>Clearstream, Luxembourg</u> ") or with any other clearing system. Account holders will, in respect of Global Notes, have the benefit of a Deed of Covenant dated 9 September 2021 (the " <u>Deed of Covenant</u> "), copies of which may be inspected during normal business hours at the specified office of the Issue and Paying Agent. Definitive Notes (if any are printed) will be available in London for collection or for delivery to Euroclear, Clearstream, Luxembourg or any other recognised clearing system.
Currencies:	Notes may be denominated in euros, U.S. Dollars, Sterling, JPY, CHF, AUD, CAD, NZD, HKD or any other

currency subject to compliance with any applicable legal and regulatory requirements.

Term of Notes:	The tenor of the Notes shall be not less than one day or more than 364 days from and including the date of issue, to (but excluding) the maturity date, subject to compliance with any applicable legal and regulatory requirements.
Denomination of the Notes:	Notes may have any denomination, subject to compliance with any applicable legal and regulatory requirements. The initial minimum denominations for Notes are U.S.\$500,000, €500,000, £100,000, ¥100,000,000, CHF500,000, AUD1,000,000, CAD500,000, NZD1,000,000 and HKD2,000,000. The minimum denominations of Notes denominated in other currencies will be in accordance with any applicable legal and regulatory requirements. Minimum denominations may be changed from time to time.
Listing:	The Notes will not be listed on any stock exchange.
Yield Basis:	The Notes may be issued at a discount or at a premium or may bear fixed or floating rate interest.
Redemption:	The Notes will be redeemed as specified in the Notes.
Status of the Notes:	The Issuer's obligations under the Notes will rank at least <i>pari passu</i> with all present and future unsecured and unsubordinated obligations of the Issuer other than obligations mandatorily preferred by law applying to companies generally.
Status of the Guarantee:	Notes will be unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by the Guarantor, on an unsecured and unsubordinated basis. Payments under the Guarantee will be made only in respect of payments of principal and interest under the Notes. Noteholders will have to seek other redress in respect of any costs associated with enforcement of the Guarantee. Noteholders should be aware that the Guarantee is, as of the date of this Information Memorandum, duly valid in respect of Notes which are issued no later than 31 December 2026.
Selling Restrictions:	Offers and sales of Notes and the distribution of this Information Memorandum and other information relating to the Issuer, the Guarantor and the Notes are subject to certain restrictions, details of which are set out under " <u>Selling Restrictions</u> " below.
Taxes:	All payments in respect of the Notes and the Guarantee shall be made without withholding or deduction for or on account of any taxes imposed by the Republic of Finland, unless such withholding or deduction is required by law. If such withholding or deduction is required by law, the Issuer or the Guarantor, as the case may be, shall, subject to certain exceptions, be required to pay such additional

amounts as shall result in receipt by the holder of such amounts as would have been received by it had no such withholding or deduction been required.

Governing Law:

The Notes and any non-contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with them will be governed by and construed in accordance with English law.

The Guarantee and any non-contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with it will be governed by and construed in accordance with Finnish law.

DESCRIPTION OF THE ISSUER

Finnvera plc ("Finnvera") is a specialised financing company, which supplements the financial services offered by the private sector. Finnvera was established under the Finnish Act on Arrangements for the Establishment of a State-Owned Specialised Financing Company (442/1998) and commenced operations on 1 January 1999.

Finnvera's operations are regulated by several acts of Parliament. In accordance with the Finnish Act on the State-Owned Specialised Financing Company (443/1998), the purpose of Finnvera and its consolidated subsidiaries is to provide financing services to promote and develop business, particularly that of small and medium-sized enterprises ("SMEs") and of midcap entities (being entities larger than SMEs, and with an annual turnover of up to EUR300 million) ("Midcap"), and to promote and develop exports and internationalisation of enterprises. The Republic of Finland (the "State") is the sole shareholder of Finnvera and the Enterprise and Innovation Department of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment monitors and supervises Finnvera and sets annual goals for its operations.

Finnvera provides financing for various stages during the life of an enterprise, to support its start-up and its domestic and international operations. Finnvera provides financing for export and ship credits through its subsidiary, Finnish Export Credit Ltd ("FEC"). FEC also administers on behalf of the State an interest equalisation scheme for officially supported export and ship credits. Interest equalisation enables a financial institution to provide the buyer of Finnish capital goods or services a fixed rate of credit in accordance with the terms of the OECD Arrangement on Officially Supported Export Credits by providing a matching interest rate hedge for the financial institution.

By providing these financing services, Finnvera promotes SME and Midcap operations, export projects and internationalisation of enterprises, and the implementation of the government's regional policy goals. Finnvera directs its activities to correct market failures in the supply of financing services, and therefore it does not compete with the private sector.

Although the State compensates Finnvera for part of the credit and guarantee losses incurred in SME and Midcap financing, in the legislation a long-term goal of economic self-sustainability has been set for Finnvera's operations.

SELLING RESTRICTIONS

1. **General**

Each Dealer has represented and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent and agree) that it will observe all applicable laws and regulations in any jurisdiction in which it may offer, sell, or deliver Notes and it will not directly or indirectly offer, sell, resell, re-offer or deliver Notes or distribute the Information Memorandum, circular, advertisement or other offering material in any country or jurisdiction except under circumstances that will result, to the best of its knowledge and belief, in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

2. **United States of America**

The Notes and the Guarantee have not been and will not be registered under the Securities Act and may not be offered or sold within the United States except in accordance with Regulation S. Each Dealer has represented and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent and agree) that it has not offered or sold, and will not offer or sell, any Notes and the Guarantee constituting part of its allotment within the United States except in accordance with Rule 903 of Regulation S. Accordingly, each Dealer has represented and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent and agree) that neither it, nor any of its affiliates nor any persons acting on its or their behalf have engaged or will engage in any directed selling efforts with respect to any Notes and the Guarantee.

Terms used above have the meanings given to them by Regulation S.

3. **The United Kingdom**

Each Dealer has represented and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent and agree) that:

(A)

- (1) it is a person whose ordinary activities involve it in acquiring, holding, managing or disposing of investments (as principal or agent) for the purposes of its business; and
- (2) it has not offered or sold and will not offer or sell any Notes other than to persons whose ordinary activities involve them in acquiring, holding, managing or disposing of investments (as principal or as agent) for the purposes of their businesses or who it is reasonable to expect will acquire, hold, manage or dispose of investments (as principal or agent) for the purposes of their businesses where the issue of the Notes would otherwise constitute a contravention of section 19 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (the "FSMA") by the Issuer or the Guarantor;

(B)

it has only communicated or caused to be communicated and will only communicate or cause to be communicated an invitation or inducement to engage in investment activity (within the meaning of section 21 of the FSMA) received by it in connection with the issue or sale of any Notes in circumstances in which section 21(1) of the FSMA does not apply to the Issuer or the Guarantor; and

(C)

it has complied and will comply with all applicable provisions of the FSMA with respect to anything done by it in relation to such Notes in, from or otherwise involving the United Kingdom.

4. Japan

The Notes have not been and will not be registered under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act of Japan (Act No. 25 of 1948, as amended; (the “FIEA”). Accordingly, each Dealer has represented and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent and agree) that it has not, directly or indirectly, offered or sold and will not, directly or indirectly, offer or sell any Notes in Japan or to, or for the benefit of, any resident of Japan (which term as used herein means any person resident in Japan, including any corporation or other entity organised under the laws of Japan) or to others for re-offering or resale, directly or indirectly, in Japan or to, or for the benefit of, a resident of Japan, except pursuant to an exemption from the registration requirements of, and otherwise in compliance with, the FIEA and other applicable laws, regulations and ministerial guidelines of Japan.

5. Singapore

Each Dealer has acknowledged that this Information Memorandum has not been registered as a prospectus with the Monetary Authority of Singapore (the “MAS”).

Accordingly, each Dealer has represented, warranted and agreed (and each further Dealer appointed under the Programme will be required to represent, warrant and agree) that it has not offered or sold any Notes or caused the Notes to be made the subject of an invitation for subscription or purchase and will not offer or sell any Notes or cause the Notes to be made the subject of an invitation for subscription or purchase, and has not circulated or distributed, nor will it circulate or distribute, this Information Memorandum or any other document or material in connection with the offer or sale, or invitation for subscription or purchase, of the Notes, whether directly or indirectly, to any person in Singapore other than (i) to an institutional investor (as defined in Section 4A of the Securities and Futures Act (Chapter 289) of Singapore, as modified or amended from time to time (the “SFA”)) pursuant to Section 274 of the SFA, (ii) to a relevant person (as defined in Section 275(2) of the SFA) pursuant to Section 275(1) of the SFA, or any person pursuant to Section 275(1A) of the SFA, and in accordance with the conditions specified in Section 275 of the SFA, or (iii) otherwise pursuant to, and in accordance with the conditions of, any other applicable provision of the SFA.

Where the Notes are subscribed or purchased under Section 275 of the SFA by a relevant person which is:

- (A) a corporation (which is not an accredited investor (as defined in Section 4A of the SFA)) the sole business of which is to hold investments and the entire share capital of which is owned by one or more individuals, each of whom is an accredited investor; or
- (B) a trust (where the trustee is not an accredited investor) whose sole purpose is to hold investments and each beneficiary of the trust is an individual who is an accredited investor,

securities or securities-based derivatives contracts (each term as defined in Section 2(1) of the SFA) of that corporation or the beneficiaries’ rights and interest (howsoever described) in that trust shall not be transferred within six months after that corporation or that trust has acquired the Notes pursuant to an offer made under Section 275 of the SFA except:

- (1) to an institutional investor or to a relevant person, or to any person arising from an offer referred to in Section 275(1A) or Section 276(4)(i)(B) of the SFA;
- (2) where no consideration is or will be given for the transfer;
- (3) where the transfer is by operation of law;

- (4) as specified in Section 276(7) of the SFA; or
- (5) as specified in Regulation 37A of the Securities and Futures (Offers of Investments) (Securities and Securities-based Derivatives Contracts) Regulations 2018.

FORMS OF NOTES

PART 1 FORM OF GLOBAL NOTE

FINNVERA PLC

(Incorporated as a public limited liability company in the Republic of Finland)

Issuer LEI: 743700T69OBBJO7TCA15

€3,000,000,000 Euro-Commercial Paper Programme

guaranteed by

THE REPUBLIC OF FINLAND

Guarantor LEI: 743700M6Y2OQRVSRD14

ISIN: _____

Issue Date: _____

Specified Currency: _____

Reference Rate: _____ month
LIBOR²/EURIBOR/OTHER³: _____

Reference Rate Screen Page:⁴ _____

Relevant Time:⁵ _____

Fixed Interest Rate:⁶ _____ % per annum

Calculation Agent:⁷ _____

Maturity Date:¹ _____

Nominal Amount: _____
(words and figures if a Sterling
denominated Note)

Interest Payment Date(s): _____

Interest Determination Date:⁵ _____

Day Count Fraction: ⁵ _____

Margin: ⁵ _____ %

1. For value received, Finnvera plc (the “Issuer”) promises to pay to the bearer of this Global Note on the Maturity Date the Nominal Amount, together with interest thereon at the rate and at the times (if any) specified herein.

All such payments shall be made in accordance with an issue and paying agency agreement dated 9 September 2021 (as amended, restated or supplemented from time to time, the “Agency Agreement”) between the Issuer, the Guarantor and the issue and paying agent referred to therein, a copy of which is available for inspection at the office of Citibank, N.A., London Branch (the “Agent”) at Citigroup Centre, 33 Canada Square, London E14 5LB and subject to and in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth below. All such payments shall be made upon presentation and surrender of this Global Note at the office of the Agent referred to above by transfer to an account denominated in the Specified Currency maintained by the bearer with (i) a bank in the principal financial centre in the country of the Specified Currency, or (ii) if this Global Note is denominated or payable in

¹ Not to be more than 364 days from (and including) the Issue Date.

² LIBOR is due to be discontinued by the end of 2021 and should not be used for notes with maturities that fall after 31 December 2021.

³ Complete/delete as appropriate.

⁴ Complete for floating rate interest bearing Notes only if a Reference Rate other than LIBOR or EURIBOR is specified. If the specified Reference Rate is LIBOR or EURIBOR, leave blank as these provisions are covered in paragraph 12.

⁵ Complete for floating rate interest bearing Notes only.

⁶ Complete for fixed rate interest bearing Notes only.

⁷ Complete for all floating rate interest bearing Notes.

euro by transfer to a euro account (or any other account to which euro may be credited or transferred) maintained by the payee with, a bank in the principal financial centre of any member state of the European Union.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, presentation and surrender of this Global Note shall be made outside the United States and no amount shall be paid by transfer to an account in the United States, or mailed to an address in the United States. In the case of a Global Note denominated in U.S. dollars, payments shall be made by transfer to an account denominated in U.S. Dollars in the principal financial centre of any country outside of the United States that the Issuer or Agent so chooses.

2. This Global Note is issued in representation of an issue of Notes in the aggregate Nominal Amount.
3. All payments in respect of this Global Note by or on behalf of the Issuer shall be made without set-off, counterclaim, fees, liabilities or similar deductions and free and clear of, and without deduction or withholding for or on account of, taxes, levies, duties, assessments or charges of any nature now or hereafter imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed by or on behalf of the Republic of Finland or any political subdivision or taxing authority thereof ("Taxes"), unless the withholding or deduction of Taxes is required by law. In that event, the Issuer shall, to the extent permitted by applicable law or regulation, pay such additional amounts as shall be necessary in order that the net amounts received by the bearer of this Global Note after such deduction or withholding shall equal the amount which would have been receivable hereunder in the absence of such deduction or withholding, except that no such additional amounts shall be payable where this Global Note is presented for payment:
 - (a) by or on behalf of a holder which is liable to such Taxes by reason of its having some connection with the jurisdiction imposing the Taxes other than the mere holding of this Global Note; or
 - (b) more than 15 days after the Maturity Date or, if applicable, the relevant Interest Payment Date or (in either case) the date on which payment hereof is duly provided for, whichever occurs later, except to the extent that the holder would have been entitled to such additional amounts if it had presented this Global Note on the last day of such period of 15 days.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Issuer shall be permitted to withhold or deduct any amounts required by the rules of U.S. Internal Revenue Code Sections 1471 through 1474 (or any amended or successor provisions), pursuant to any inter-governmental agreement, or implementing legislation adopted by another jurisdiction in connection with these provisions, or pursuant to any agreement with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service ("FATCA withholding") as a result of a holder, beneficial owner or an intermediary that is not an agent of the Issuer not being entitled to receive payments free of FATCA withholding. The Issuer will have no obligation to pay additional amounts or otherwise indemnify an investor for any such FATCA withholding deducted or withheld by the Issuer, the paying agent or any other party.

4. If the Maturity Date or, if applicable, the relevant Interest Payment Date is not a Payment Business Day (as defined herein) payment in respect hereof will not be made and credit or transfer instructions shall not be given until the next following Payment Business Day (unless that date falls more than 364 days after the Issue Date, in which case payment shall be made on the immediately preceding Payment Business Day) and neither the bearer of this Global Note nor the holder or beneficial owner of any interest herein or rights in respect hereof shall be entitled to any interest or other sums in respect of such postponed payment.

As used in this Global Note:

“Payment Business Day” means any day other than a Saturday or Sunday which is either (i) if the above-mentioned Specified Currency is any currency other than euro, a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets settle payments and are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the principal financial centre of the country of the relevant Specified Currency (which, if the Specified Currency is Australian dollars or New Zealand dollars, shall be Sydney or Auckland respectively or (ii) if the Specified Currency is euro, a day which is a TARGET Business Day; and

“TARGET Business Day” means a day on which the Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross Settlement Express Transfer (TARGET2) System or any successor thereto, is operating credit or transfer instructions in respect of payments in euro.

Provided that if the Agent determines with the agreement of the Issuer that the market practice in respect of euro denominated internationally offered securities is different from that specified above, the above shall be deemed to be amended so as to comply with such market practice and the Agent shall procure that a notice of such amendment is published in accordance with paragraph 13 not less than 15 days prior to the date on which any payment in euro falls due to be made in such manner as the Agent may determine.

5. The payment obligation of the Issuer represented by this Global Note constitutes and at all times shall constitute a direct and unsecured obligation of the Issuer ranking at least *pari passu* with all present and future unsecured and unsubordinated obligations of the Issuer other than obligations mandatorily preferred by law applying to companies generally.
6. This Global Note is negotiable and, accordingly, title hereto shall pass by delivery and the bearer shall be treated as being absolutely entitled to receive payment upon due presentation hereof free and clear of any equity, set-off or counterclaim on the part of the Issuer against any previous bearer hereof.
7. This Global Note is issued in respect of an issue of Notes of the Issuer and is exchangeable in whole (but not in part only) for duly executed and authenticated bearer Notes in definitive form (whether before, on or, subject as provided below, after the Maturity Date):
 - (a) if one or both of Euroclear Bank SA/NV and Clearstream Banking S.A. or any other relevant clearing system(s) in which this Global Note is held at the relevant time is closed for business for a continuous period of 14 days or more (other than by reason of weekends or public holidays, statutory or otherwise) or if any such clearing system announces an intention to, or does in fact, permanently cease to do business; or
 - (b) if default is made in the payment of any amount payable in respect of this Global Note.

Upon presentation and surrender of this Global Note during normal business hours to the Issuer at the offices of the Agent (or to any other person or at any other office outside the United States as may be designated in writing by the Issuer to the bearer), the Agent shall authenticate and deliver, in exchange for this Global Note, bearer definitive notes denominated in the Specified Currency in an aggregate nominal amount equal to the Nominal Amount of this Global Note.

8. If, upon any such event and following such surrender, definitive Notes are not issued in full exchange for this Global Note before 5.00 p.m. (London time) on the thirtieth day after surrender, this Global Note (including the obligation hereunder to issue definitive notes) will become void and the bearer will have no further rights under this Global Note (but without prejudice to the rights which the bearer or any other person may have under a Deed of

Covenant dated 9 September 2021 (as amended, restated or supplemented as of the date of issue of the Notes) entered into by the Issuer).

9. This Global Note has the benefit of a guarantee undertaking by The Republic of Finland dated 9 September 2021, copies of which are available for inspection during normal business hours at the office of the Agent referred to above.
10. If this is an interest bearing Global Note, then:
 - (a) notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 1 above, if any payment of interest in respect of this Global Note falling due for payment prior to the Maturity Date remains unpaid on the fifteenth day after falling so due, the Nominal Amount shall be payable on such fifteenth day;
 - (b) upon each payment of interest (if any) prior to the Maturity Date in respect of this Global Note, the Schedule hereto shall be duly completed by the Agent to reflect such payment; and
 - (c) if no Interest Payment Dates are specified on this Global Note, the Interest Payment Date shall be the Maturity Date.
11. If this is a fixed rate interest bearing Global Note, interest shall be calculated on the Nominal Amount as follows:
 - (a) interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days or, if this Global Note is denominated in Sterling or Renminbi, 365 days at the Fixed Interest Rate with the resulting figure being rounded to the nearest amount of the Specified Currency which is available as legal tender in the country or countries (in the case of the euro) of the Specified Currency (with halves being rounded upwards); and
 - (b) the period beginning on (and including) the Issue Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Payment Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the next succeeding Interest Payment Date is an “Interest Period” for the purposes of this paragraph.
12. If this is a floating rate interest bearing Global Note, interest shall be calculated on the Nominal Amount as follows:
 - (a) in the case of a Global Note which specifies LIBOR as the Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of LIBOR and the Margin (if any) above or below LIBOR. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days or, if this Global Note is denominated in Sterling, 365 days.

As used in this Global Note:

“LIBOR” shall be equal to the rate defined as “LIBOR-BBA” in respect of the Specified Currency (as defined in the 2006 ISDA Definitions published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., as amended, updated or replaced as at the date of this Global Note, (the “ISDA Definitions”)) as at 11.00 a.m.

(London time) or as near thereto as practicable on the second London Banking Day before the first day of the relevant Interest Period or, if this Global Note is denominated in Sterling, on the first day thereof (a “LIBOR Interest Determination Date”), as if the Reset Date (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the first day of such Interest Period and the Designated Maturity (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the number of months specified on the face of this Global Note in relation to the Reference Rate; and

“London Banking Day” shall mean a day on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in London;

- (b) in the case of a Global Note which specifies EURIBOR as the Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of EURIBOR and the Margin (if any) above or below EURIBOR. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days.

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- (c) in the case of a Global Note which specifies any other Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of such Reference Rate and the Margin (if any) above or below such Reference Rate. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the Day Count Fraction specified hereon. As used in this Global Note, the Reference Rate shall be equal to the Reference Rate which appears on the relevant Reference Rate Screen Page as at the Relevant Time on the Interest Determination Date as each such term is specified hereon;
- (d) the Calculation Agent will, as soon as practicable after 11.00 a.m. (London time) on each LIBOR Interest Determination Date or 11.00 a.m. (Brussels time) on each EURIBOR Interest Determination Date or at the Relevant Time on each other specified Interest Determination Date (as the case may be), determine the Rate of Interest and calculate the amount of interest payable (the “Amount of Interest”) for the relevant Interest Period. “Rate of Interest” means the rate which is determined in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 12 (a), (b) or (c) (as the case may be). The Amount of Interest payable per Note shall be calculated by applying the Rate of Interest to the Nominal Amount, multiplying such product by the actual number of days in the Interest Period concerned divided by 360 or, if this Global Note is denominated in Sterling, by 365 or the relevant Day Count Fraction and rounding the resulting figure to the nearest amount of the Specified Currency which is available as legal tender in the country or countries (in the case of the euro) of the Specified Currency (with halves being rounded upwards);
- (e) the period beginning on (and including) the Issue Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Payment Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the next

succeeding Interest Payment Date is called an “Interest Period” for the purposes of this paragraph; and

- (f) the Issuer will procure that a notice specifying the Rate of Interest payable in respect of each Interest Period be published in accordance with paragraph 13 as soon as practicable after the determination of the Rate of Interest.
- 13. Notices to holders will be delivered to the clearing system(s) in which this Global Note is held or, if this Global Note has been exchanged for bearer definitive Notes pursuant to paragraph 7, will be published in a leading English language daily newspaper published in London (which is expected to be the *Financial Times*). Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given on the date of such delivery or publication.
- 14. The determination of an applicable Rate of Interest and/or Amount of Interest by the Calculation Agent for any Interest Period pursuant to paragraph 12 shall (in the absence of manifest error) be final and binding upon the Issuer, the Guarantor and the bearer of this Global Note.
- 15. If the proceeds of this Global Note are accepted in the United Kingdom, the Nominal Amount shall be not less than £100,000 (or the equivalent in any other currency).
- 16. Instructions for payment must be received at the office of the Agent referred to above together with this Global Note as follows:
 - (a) if this Global Note is denominated in Australian dollars, New Zealand dollars, or Japanese Yen, at least two Business Days prior to the relevant payment date;
 - (b) if this Global Note is denominated in United States dollars, Canadian dollars, Swiss francs, euro or Sterling, at least one Business Day prior to the relevant payment date; and
 - (c) in all other cases, at least two Business Days prior to the relevant payment date.

As used in this paragraph, “Business Day” means:

- (1) a day other than a Saturday or Sunday on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in London; and
 - (2) in the case of payments in euro, a TARGET Business Day, and, in all other cases, a day on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the principal financial centre in the country of the Specified Currency.
- 17. This Global Note shall not be validly issued unless manually authenticated by Citibank, N.A., London Branch as issuer and paying agent.
 - 18. This Global Note and any non-contractual obligations arising from or connected with it are governed by, and shall be construed in accordance with, English law.

The English courts have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Global Note and any non-contractual obligations arising from or connected with it (including a dispute regarding the existence, validity or termination of this Global Note). The Issuer agrees, and the bearer of this Global Note shall be deemed to agree, that the English courts are the most appropriate and convenient courts to settle any such dispute and accordingly no such party will argue to the contrary.

The Issuer irrevocably appoints Vistra Limited at Suite 1, 3rd Floor, 11-12 St. James's Square, London SW1Y 4LB, United Kingdom as its agent for service of process in any proceedings before the English courts in connection with this Global Note. If any person appointed as process agent is unable for any reason to act as agent for service of process, the Issuer will appoint another agent, and failing such appointment within 15 days, the bearer shall be entitled to appoint such a person by written notice addressed to the Issuer and delivered to the Issuer or to the Specified Office of the Agent. The Issuer agrees that failure by a process agent to notify it of any process will not invalidate the relevant proceedings. This paragraph 18 does not affect any other method of service allowed by law.

19. No person shall have any right to enforce any provision of this Global Note under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 but this does not affect any right or remedy of any person which exists or is available apart from that Act.

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Signed on behalf of:

FINNVERA PLC

By: _____
(*Authorised Signatory*)

By: _____
(*Authorised Signatory*)

SCHEDULE 1 : PAYMENTS OF INTEREST

The following payments of interest in respect of this Global Note have been made:

FIXED RATE INTEREST PAYMENTS

Date of Payment	Period From	Period To	Amount of Interest Paid	Notation on behalf of Agent

FLOATING RATE INTEREST PAYMENTS

Date of Payment	Period From	Period To	Interest Rate per annum	Amount of Interest Paid	Notation on behalf of Agent

PART 2 : FORM OF DEFINITIVE NOTE

FINNVERA PLC

(Incorporated as a public limited liability company in the Republic of Finland)

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€3,000,000,000 Euro-Commercial Paper Programme

guaranteed by

THE REPUBLIC OF FINLAND

Guarantor LEI: 743700M6Y2OQRVSD14

ISIN: _____

Issue Date: _____

Maturity Date:⁸ _____

Specified Currency: _____

Nominal Amount: _____
(words and figures if a Sterling
denominated Note)

Reference Rate: _____ month
LIBOR⁹/EURIBOR/OTHER¹⁰: _____

Interest Payment Date(s): _____

Reference Rate Screen Page:¹¹ _____

Interest Determination Date:¹² _____

Relevant Time:⁵ _____

Day Count Fraction:⁵ _____

Fixed Interest Rate:¹³ _____ % per
annum

Margin:⁵ _____ %

Calculation Agent:¹⁴ _____

1. For value received, Finnvera plc (the "Issuer") promises to pay to the bearer of this Note on the Maturity Date the Nominal Amount, together with interest thereon at the rate and at the times (if any) specified herein.

All such payments shall be made in accordance with an issue and paying agency agreement dated 9 September 2021 (as amended, restated or supplemented from time to time, the "Agency Agreement") between the Issuer, the Guarantor and the issue and paying agent referred to therein, a copy of which is available for inspection at the office of Citibank, N.A., London Branch (the "Agent") at Citigroup Centre, 33 Canada Square, London E14 5LB and subject to and in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth below. All such payments shall be made upon presentation and surrender of this Note at the office of the Agent referred to above by transfer to an account denominated in the Specified Currency maintained by the bearer with (i) a bank in the principal financial centre in the country of the Specified Currency, or (ii) if this Note is denominated or payable in euro by transfer to a euro account (or any other account to which euro may be credited or transferred) maintained by

⁸ Not to be more than 364 days from (and including) the Issue Date.

⁹ LIBOR is due to be discontinued by the end of 2021 and should not be used for notes with maturities that fall after 31 December 2021.

¹⁰ Complete/delete as appropriate.

¹¹ Complete for floating rate interest bearing Notes only if a Reference Rate other than LIBOR or EURIBOR is specified. If the specified Reference Rate is LIBOR or EURIBOR, leave blank as these provisions are covered in paragraph 9.

¹² Complete for floating rate interest bearing Notes only.

¹³ Complete for fixed rate interest bearing Notes only.

¹⁴ Complete for all floating rate interest bearing Notes.

the payee with, a bank in the principal financial centre of any member state of the European Union.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, presentation and surrender of this Note shall be made outside the United States and no amount shall be paid by transfer to an account in the United States, or mailed to an address in the United States. In the case of a Note denominated in U.S. dollars, payments shall be made by transfer to an account denominated in U.S. Dollars in the principal financial centre of any country outside of the United States that the Issuer or Agent so chooses.

2. All payments in respect of this Note by or on behalf of the Issuer shall be made without set-off, counterclaim, fees, liabilities or similar deductions and free and clear of, and without deduction or withholding for or on account of, taxes, levies, duties, assessments or charges of any nature now or hereafter imposed, levied, collected, withheld or assessed by or on behalf of the Republic of Finland or any political subdivision or taxing authority thereof ("Taxes"), unless the withholding or deduction of Taxes is required by law. In that event, the Issuer shall, to the extent permitted by applicable law or regulation, pay such additional amounts as shall be necessary in order that the net amounts received by the bearer of this Note after such deduction or withholding shall equal the amount which would have been receivable hereunder in the absence of such deduction or withholding, except that no such additional amounts shall be payable where this Note is presented for payment:
 - (a) by or on behalf of a holder which is liable to such Taxes by reason of its having some connection with the jurisdiction imposing the Taxes other than the mere holding of this Note; or
 - (b) more than 15 days after the Maturity Date or, if applicable, the relevant Interest Payment Date or (in either case) the date on which payment hereof is duly provided for, whichever occurs later, except to the extent that the holder would have been entitled to such additional amounts if it had presented this Note on the last day of such period of 15 days.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Issuer shall be permitted to withhold or deduct any amounts required by the rules of U.S. Internal Revenue Code Sections 1471 through 1474 (or any amended or successor provisions), pursuant to any inter-governmental agreement, or implementing legislation adopted by another jurisdiction in connection with these provisions, or pursuant to any agreement with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service ("FATCA withholding") as a result of a holder, beneficial owner or an intermediary that is not an agent of the Issuer not being entitled to receive payments free of FATCA withholding. The Issuer will have no obligation to pay additional amounts or otherwise indemnify an investor for any such FATCA withholding deducted or withheld by the Issuer, the paying agent or any other party.

3. If the Maturity Date or, if applicable, the relevant Interest Payment Date is not a Payment Business Day (as defined herein) payment in respect hereof will not be made and credit or transfer instructions shall not be given until the next following Payment Business Day (unless that date falls more than 364 days after the Issue Date, in which case payment shall be made on the immediately preceding Payment Business Day) and neither the bearer of this Note nor the holder or beneficial owner of any interest herein or rights in respect hereof shall be entitled to any interest or other sums in respect of such postponed payment.

As used in this Note:

"Payment Business Day" means any day other than a Saturday or Sunday which is either (i) if the above-mentioned Specified Currency is any currency other than euro, a day on which commercial banks and foreign exchange markets settle payments and are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in

the principal financial centre of the country of the relevant Specified Currency (which, if the Specified Currency is Australian dollars or New Zealand dollars, shall be Sydney or Auckland respectively or (ii) if the Specified Currency is euro, a day which is a TARGET Business Day; and

“TARGET Business Day” means a day on which the Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross Settlement Express Transfer (TARGET2) System or any successor thereto, is operating credit or transfer instructions in respect of payments in euro.

Provided that if the Agent determines with the agreement of the Issuer that the market practice in respect of euro denominated internationally offered securities is different from that specified above, the above shall be deemed to be amended so as to comply with such market practice and the Agent shall procure that a notice of such amendment is published in accordance with paragraph 10 not less than 15 days prior to the date on which any payment in euro falls due to be made in such manner as the Agent may determine.

4. The payment obligation of the Issuer represented by this Note constitutes and at all times shall constitute a direct and unsecured obligation of the Issuer ranking at least *pari passu* with all present and future unsecured and unsubordinated obligations of the Issuer other than obligations mandatorily preferred by law applying to companies generally.
5. This Note is negotiable and, accordingly, title hereto shall pass by delivery and the bearer shall be treated as being absolutely entitled to receive payment upon due presentation hereof free and clear of any equity, set-off or counterclaim on the part of the Issuer against any previous bearer hereof.
6. This Note has the benefit of a guarantee undertaking by The Republic of Finland dated 9 September 2021, copies of which are available for inspection during normal business hours at the office of the Agent referred to above.
7. If this is an interest bearing Note, then:
 - (a) notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 1 above, if any payment of interest in respect of this Note falling due for payment prior to the Maturity Date remains unpaid on the fifteenth day after falling so due, the Nominal Amount shall be payable on such fifteenth day;
 - (b) upon each payment of interest (if any) prior to the Maturity Date in respect of this Note, the Schedule hereto shall be duly completed by the Agent to reflect such payment; and
 - (c) if no Interest Payment Dates are specified on this Note, the Interest Payment Date shall be the Maturity Date.
8. If this is a fixed rate interest bearing Note, interest shall be calculated on the Nominal Amount as follows:
 - (a) interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days or, if this Note is denominated in Sterling or Renminbi, 365 days at the Fixed Interest Rate with the resulting figure being rounded to the nearest amount of the Specified Currency which is available as legal tender in the country or countries (in the case of the euro) of the Specified Currency (with halves being rounded upwards); and

- (b) the period beginning on (and including) the Issue Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Payment Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the next succeeding Interest Payment Date is an "Interest Period" for the purposes of this paragraph.

9. If this is a floating rate interest bearing Note, interest shall be calculated on the Nominal Amount as follows:

- (a) in the case of a Note which specifies LIBOR as the Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of LIBOR and the Margin (if any) above or below LIBOR. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days or, if this Note is denominated in Sterling, 365 days.

As used in this Note:

"LIBOR" shall be equal to the rate defined as "LIBOR-BBA" in respect of the Specified Currency (as defined in the 2006 ISDA Definitions published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., as amended, updated or replaced as at the date of this Note, (the "ISDA Definitions")) as at 11.00 a.m. (London time) or as near thereto as practicable on the second London Banking Day before the first day of the relevant Interest Period or, if this Note is denominated in Sterling, on the first day thereof (a "LIBOR Interest Determination Date"), as if the Reset Date (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the first day of such Interest Period and the Designated Maturity (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the number of months specified on the face of this Note in relation to the Reference Rate; and

"London Banking Day" shall mean a day on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in London;

- (b) in the case of a Note which specifies EURIBOR as the Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of EURIBOR and the Margin (if any) above or below EURIBOR. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the actual number of days in such Interest Period and a year of 360 days.

As used in this Note, "EURIBOR" shall be equal to EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) as at 11.00 a.m. (Brussels time) or as near thereto as practicable on the second TARGET Business Day before the first day of the relevant Interest Period (a "EURIBOR Interest Determination Date"), as if the Reset Date (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the first day of such Interest Period and the Designated Maturity (as defined in the ISDA Definitions) was the number of months specified on the face of this Note in relation to the Reference Rate;

- (c) in the case of a Note which specifies any other Reference Rate on its face, the Rate of Interest will be the aggregate of such Reference Rate and the Margin (if any) above or below such Reference Rate. Interest shall be payable on the Nominal Amount in respect of each successive Interest Period (as defined below) from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date only, in arrear on the relevant Interest Payment Date, on the basis of the Day Count Fraction specified hereon. As used in this Note, the

Reference Rate shall be equal to the Reference Rate which appears on the relevant Reference Rate Screen Page as at the Relevant Time on the Interest Determination Date as each such term is specified hereon;

- (d) the Calculation Agent will, as soon as practicable after 11.00 a.m. (London time) on each LIBOR Interest Determination Date or 11.00 a.m. (Brussels time) on each EURIBOR Interest Determination Date or at the Relevant Time on each other specified Interest Determination Date (as the case may be), determine the Rate of Interest and calculate the amount of interest payable (the "Amount of Interest") for the relevant Interest Period. "Rate of Interest" means the rate which is determined in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 9(a), (b) or (c) (as the case may be). The Amount of Interest payable per Note shall be calculated by applying the Rate of Interest to the Nominal Amount, multiplying such product by the actual number of days in the Interest Period concerned divided by 360 or, if this Note is denominated in Sterling, by 365 or the relevant Day Count Fraction and rounding the resulting figure to the nearest amount of the Specified Currency which is available as legal tender in the country or countries (in the case of the euro) of the Specified Currency (with halves being rounded upwards);
 - (e) the period beginning on (and including) the Issue Date and ending on (but excluding) the first Interest Payment Date and each successive period beginning on (and including) an Interest Payment Date and ending on (but excluding) the next succeeding Interest Payment Date is called an "Interest Period" for the purposes of this paragraph; and
 - (f) the Issuer will procure that a notice specifying the Rate of Interest payable in respect of each Interest Period be published in accordance with paragraph 10 as soon as practicable after the determination of the Rate of Interest.
10. Notices to holders will be published in a leading English language daily newspaper published in London (which is expected to be the *Financial Times*). Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given on the date of such publication.
11. The determination of an applicable Rate of Interest and/or Amount of Interest by the Calculation Agent for any Interest Period pursuant to paragraph 9 shall (in the absence of manifest error) be final and binding upon the Issuer, the Guarantor and the bearer of this Note.
12. If the proceeds of this Note are accepted in the United Kingdom, the Nominal Amount shall be not less than £100,000 (or the equivalent in any other currency).
13. Instructions for payment must be received at the office of the Agent referred to above together with this Note as follows:
- (a) if this Note is denominated in Australian dollars, New Zealand dollars, or Japanese Yen, at least two Business Days prior to the relevant payment date;
 - (b) if this Note is denominated in United States dollars, Canadian dollars, Swiss francs, euro or Sterling, at least one Business Day prior to the relevant payment date; and
 - (c) in all other cases, at least two Business Days prior to the relevant payment date.

As used in this paragraph, "Business Day" means:

- (1) a day other than a Saturday or Sunday on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in London; and
 - (2) in the case of payments in euro, a TARGET Business Day, and, in all other cases, a day on which commercial banks are open for general business (including dealings in foreign exchange and foreign currency deposits) in the principal financial centre in the country of the Specified Currency.
14. This Note shall not be validly issued unless manually authenticated by Citibank, N.A., London Branch as issue and paying agent.
15. This Note and any non-contractual obligations arising from or connected with it are governed by, and shall be construed in accordance with, English law.

The English courts have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Note and any non-contractual obligations arising from or connected with it (including a dispute regarding the existence, validity or termination of this Note). The Issuer agrees, and the bearer of this Note shall be deemed to agree, that the English courts are the most appropriate and convenient courts to settle any such dispute and accordingly no such party will argue to the contrary.

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16. No person shall have any right to enforce any provision of this Note under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 but this does not affect any right or remedy of any person which exists or is available apart from that Act.

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Signed on behalf of:

FINNVERA PLC

By: _____
(Authorised Signatory)

By: _____
(Authorised Signatory)

SCHEDULE 2 : PAYMENTS OF INTEREST

The following payments of interest in respect of this Note have been made:

FIXED RATE INTEREST PAYMENTS

Date of Payment	Period From	Period To	Amount of Interest Paid	Notation on behalf of Agent

FLOATING RATE INTEREST PAYMENTS

Date of Payment	Period From	Period To	Interest Rate per annum	Amount of Interest Paid	Notation on behalf of Agent

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