# **Covered Bond Swap Confirmation**

July 29, 2013

To: RBC Covered Bond Guarantor Limited Partnership, acting by its managing general partner,

RBC Covered Bond GP Inc.

155 Wellington Street West, 14th Floor

Toronto, Ontario Canada M5V 3K7

Attn: President

Fax: (416) 974-1368

From: Royal Bank of Canada

Re: Covered Bond Transaction (re €2,000,000,000 1.625% Covered Bonds due August 4,

2020, Series CB11 (Reg S ISIN: XS0956580244, Rule 144A ISIN: XS0956580327, Reg S Common Code: 095658024, Rule 144A Common Code: 095658032) under €23,000,000,000 Royal Bank of Canada Global Covered Bond Programme unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed as to payments by RBC Covered Bond

**Guarantor Limited Partnership**)

And Re: Trade Reference:

Dear Sir or Madam,

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the terms and conditions of the transaction entered into between Royal Bank of Canada ("Party A") and RBC Covered Bond Guarantor Limited Partnership, acting by its managing general partner, RBC Covered Bond GP Inc. ("Party B") on the Trade Date specified below (the "Transaction"). This facsimile constitutes a "Confirmation" as referred to in the Agreement as specified below.

This Confirmation evidences a complete binding agreement between you and us as to the terms of the Transaction to which this Confirmation relates. This Confirmation supplements, forms part of, and is subject to, the ISDA Amended and Restated Covered Bond 2002 Master Agreement dated as of June 24, 2013, as amended restated or supplemented from time to time, between you and us (the "Agreement"). All provisions contained in the Agreement shall govern this Confirmation except as expressly modified below. In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of the Agreement and this Confirmation, this Confirmation will prevail for the purpose of this Transaction. The definitions and provisions contained in the 2006 ISDA Definitions (as published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc.) (the "Definitions") are incorporated into this Confirmation. In the event of any inconsistency between any of the following, the first listed shall govern (i) this Confirmation; (ii) the Amended and Restated Master Definitions and Construction Agreement dated July 25, 2013 between Royal Bank of Canada, RBC Covered Bond Guarantor Limited Partnership, Computershare Trust Company of Canada, RBC Covered Bond GP Inc., 6848320 Canada Inc., Deloitte LLP and each other Person who may from time to time become a party thereto, as amended, restated or supplemented from time to time (the "Master Definitions and Construction Agreement"); and (iii) the Definitions. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the respective meanings given to them in the Master Definitions and Construction Agreement. For the

purposes of the Definitions, references herein to a "Transaction" shall be deemed to be references to a "Swap Transaction".

The terms of the particular Transaction to which this Confirmation relates are as follows:

Trade Date: July 25, 2013.

Effective Date: The later of:

- (a) the Issue Date for Series CB11; and
- (b) the earlier of:
  - (i) the Covered Bond Guarantee Activation Event Date:
  - (ii) a Trigger Event Date; and
  - (iii) an *impending* or *actual insolvency* on the part of the Issuer that constitutes an Issuer Event of Default pursuant to Condition 7.01(f).

Termination Date: The earlier of:

- (a) the Final Maturity Date for (or, if earlier, the date of redemption in whole, but not in part, of) Series CB11 or, if Party B notifies Party A prior to such Final Maturity Date of its inability to pay in full Guaranteed Amounts corresponding to the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11, the final date on which an amount representing the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11 is paid (but in any event, not later than the Extended Due for Payment Date for Series CB11) (the "Scheduled Termination Date"); and
- (b) the date designated therefor by the Bond Trustee and notified to Party A and Party B for purposes of realizing the Security in accordance with the Security Agreement and distributing the proceeds therefrom in accordance with the Post-Enforcement Priority of Payments following the enforcement of the Security pursuant to Condition 7.03 of the Final Terms for Series CB11.

Currency Swap Transaction Exchange

Rate: CAD/EUR: 1.365.

**Party B Amounts** 

Floating Rate Payer: Party B.

Party B Notional Amount: For each Guarantor LP Calculation Period, the product of

(x) the Party A Currency Amount on the first day of such Guarantor LP Calculation Period and (y) the Currency

Swap Transaction Exchange Rate.

Party B Payment Amount:

On each Guarantor LP Payment Date, Party B will pay to Party A the product of:

- (a) the Party B Notional Amount for the Guarantor LP Calculation Period ending on such Guarantor LP Payment Date;
- (b) the Party B Day Count Fraction; and
- (c) the Party B Floating Rate.

Guarantor LP Calculation Period:

Each period from and including a Guarantor LP Payment Date to, but excluding, the next following Guarantor LP Payment Date, provided that (a) the first Guarantor LP Calculation Period begins on, and includes, the Effective Date and (b) the final Guarantor LP Calculation Period shall end on, but exclude, the Scheduled Termination Date.

Party B Day Count Fraction:

Party B Business Day: London, New York and Toronto.

Party B Business Day Convention: Modified Following.

Party B Floating Rate: Party B Floating Rate Option *plus* Party B Spread.

Act/365.

Party B Floating Rate Option: CAD-BA-CDOR.

Designated Maturity: 1 month.

Party B Spread: % per annum.

Reset Date: First Business Day of each Guarantor LP Calculation Period.

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**Party A Amounts** 

Fixed Payer: Party A.

Party A Currency Amount: In respect of each Swap Provider Calculation Period, an

amount in euros equal to the Party A Notional Amount minus the aggregate of each Party A Interim Exchange Amount paid on or prior to the first day of such Swap

Provider Calculation Period.

Swap Provider Calculation Period: Each period from and including a Swap Provider Payment

Date to, but excluding, the next following applicable Swap Provider Payment Date, except that (a) the initial Swap Provider Calculation Period will commence on, and include, the Effective Date and (b) the final Swap Provider Calculation Period will end on, but exclude, the Scheduled

Termination Date.

Swap Provider Payment Date: August 4 of each year commencing August 4, 2014, each

day that a portion of the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11 is payable, and the 4<sup>th</sup> day of each month after the Final Maturity Date for Series CB11, up to and

including the Scheduled Termination Date.

Party A Notional Amount: EUR2,000,000,000.

Party A Payment Amount: On each Swap Provider Payment Date on or prior to the Final Maturity Date for Series CB11, Party A will pay to

Party B the product of:

(a) the Party A Currency Amount for the Swap Provider Calculation Period ending on, but excluding, such Swap Provider Payment Date;

(b) the Party A Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction; and

(c) the Party A Fixed Rate.

On each Swap Provider Payment Date after the Final Maturity Date for Series CB11, Party A will pay to Party B the product of:

(a) the Party A Currency Amount for the Swap Provider Calculation Period ending on, but excluding, such Swap Provider Payment Date;

(b) the Party A Floating Rate Day Count Fraction; and

(c) the Party A Floating Rate.

Party A Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction: Actual/Actual (ICMA).

Party A Fixed Rate: 1.625% per annum.

Party A Floating Rate: Party A Floating Rate Option plus Party A Spread.

Party A Floating Rate Option: EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters.

Designated Maturity: 1 month.

Party A Spread: % per annum.

Reset Date: First Business Day of each Swap Provider Calculation

Period.

Party A Floating Rate Day Count

Fraction:

Actual/360.

Party A Business Days: London, TARGET Settlement Day and Toronto.

Party A Business Day Convention: Following Business Day Convention (unadjusted) until and

on the Final Maturity Date and thereafter Modified

Following Business Day Convention (adjusted).

**Interim Exchanges** 

Interim Exchange Date: If Party B notifies Party A that the payment of any or all of

the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11 shall be deferred until the Extended Due for Payment Date pursuant to Condition 6.01 of the Final Terms for Series CB11, then

each Interest Payment Date for Series CB11 falling after the Final Maturity Date up to (and including) the relevant Extended Due for Payment Date for which Party B has provided at least three Business Days' prior notice of the related Party B Interim Exchange Amount.

Party A Interim Exchange Amount: With

With respect to an Interim Exchange Date, the amount in euros notified by Party B to Party A as being the portion of the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11 that Party B shall pay pursuant to Condition 6.01 of the Final Terms for Series CB11.

Party B Interim Exchange Amount:

With respect to an Interim Exchange Date, the Party A Interim Exchange Amount for such Interim Exchange Date converted into Canadian Dollars at the Currency Swap Transaction Exchange Rate.

# **Final Exchanges**

Final Exchange Date: If Party B is required to pay a Final Redemption Amount

for Series CB11 on any day pursuant to Condition 7.02 of the Final Terms of Series CB11 and provides at least three Business Days' prior notice thereof to Party A, then the day

so specified in such notice.

Party A Final Exchange Amount: The amount in euros notified by Party B to Party A as

being the Final Redemption Amount for Series CB11 plus accrued but unpaid interest and any other amount due under Series CB11 (other than additional amounts payable under Condition 8 of the Final Terms for Series CB11) that Party B shall pay pursuant to Condition 7.02 of the Final

Terms for Series CB11.

Party B Final Exchange Amount: The Party A Final Exchange Amount converted into

Canadian Dollars at the Currency Swap Transaction

Exchange Rate.

## **Other Provisions**

Calculation Agent: Party A.

#### **Account Details**

# Account for payments to Party A in CAD:

Bank: Royal Bank of Canada

SWIFT: ROYCCAT2

Beneficiary account: Royal Bank of Canada, Toronto

Beneficiary account number:

Beneficiary SWIFT ID: ROYCCAT31MM

or such other account as Party A may direct from time to time.

### Account for payments to Party B in euros:

Such account as Party B may direct from time to time.

# **Contact Details for notices**

Party A Royal Bank of Canada

155 Wellington Street West, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor

Toronto, Ontario Canada M5V 3K7

Attention: Managing Director, Capital & Term

Funding, Corporate Treasury

Facsimile No.: (416) 974-1368.

Party B RBC Covered Bond Guarantor Limited Partnership

c/o RBC Covered Bond GP Inc.

155 Wellington Street West, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor

Toronto, Ontario Canada M5V 3K7

Attention: President

Facsimile No: (416) 974-1368.

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#### Confirmation

Please confirm that the foregoing correctly sets forth the terms of our agreement by executing a copy of this Confirmation and returning it to us. We are delighted to have executed this Transaction with you and look forward to working with you again.

Time of trading is available upon request.

Yours sincerely,

# ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

By: Name:

Title:

**Executive Vice-President and Treasurer** 

Confirmed as of the date first written above:

RBC COVERED BOND GUARANTOR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, by its managing general partner, RBC Covered Bond GP Inc.

By:

Name: David Power

Title: Date:

President July 29, 2013