Data Access Agreement

for

use of SAT-AIS Data

provided by EMSA

The European Maritime Safety Agency, hereinafter referred to as "EMSA", represented by Executive Director,

and

The European Union military operation in the Southern Central Mediterranean, hereinafter referred to as "EUNAVFOR MED", represented by EU Navfor Med Operation Commander,

Henceforth referred to as "Party" or collectively as "The Parties",

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1 - PREAMBLE

1. On 18 May 2015 Council Decision (CFSP) 2015/778 established the European Union military operation in the Southern Central Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED). Article 8.3 thereof states that EUNAVFOR MED shall, as appropriate, conclude arrangements with other Union agencies and bodies.

2. The mandate of the European Maritime Safety Agency as amended by Regulation (EU) No 100/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2013 2013/100/EU has clarified EMSA's role in providing earth observation and ship positioning data in support of actions against intentional unlawful acts and anti-piracy. The Agency is willing to provide information and services similar to those delivered to EUNAVFOR ATALANTA.

3. It was recognised that Satellite-AIS data for the Mediterranean Sea is a useful dataset strengthening the maritime picture for the operation.

Article 2 - OBJECTIVE

The overall objective of this Data Access Agreement is to define the conditions for the use of SAT-AIS data provided by EMSA for the purpose of the EUNAVFOR MED operation.

Article 3 - EMSA RESPONSIBILITIES

EMSA undertakes to provide SAT-AIS data for the Mediterranean Sea. The SAT-AIS data that will be provided is received by EMSA from exactEarth (ee) as a result of the ESA-EMSA SAT-AIS initiative and, as such, EMSA does not have any control on the quality of the SAT-AIS data messages provided by
2. For EUNAVFOR MED:

Technical part:

    e-mail:

Administrative part:

    e-mail:

3. Changes to the details of the contact persons will be notified to the other party by e-mail.

Signed in two originals, one for each signatory party:

For EMSA

EMSA Executive Director

Lisbon, 20/07/2015

For EUNAVFOR MED

Rome, 24 July 2015