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Dear Participant in the Tractor Codes,

As you have been informed by the OECD Procurements Board, the OECD Tractor Codes will engage a new Coordinating Centre (CC), as of 1 January 2010. The new CC will be ENAMA, and the team will be headed by Dr. Carlo Carnevali.

I would like to thank all three institutions that tendered for the Contract for 2010-2012. The quality of the applications was very high and much effort had gone into preparing the required documentation. I would like to congratulate ENAMA on winning the tender and we look forward to working closely and constructively in the coming years. Also, I would like to say a special thank you to CEMAGREF for all the work it has achieved as CC for OECD over many years.

In order to ensure a smooth transition of the work, the OECD Secretariat will meet with CEMAGREF and ENAMA in the coming weeks to discuss the current situation with respect to the test reports, as well as any outstanding files for completion. We will also inform you of the address, e-mails, etc. for the new CC, as soon as possible.

As the current contract with OECD runs until 31 December 2009, CEMAGREF will continue to work with you and process the test reports that it receives.

I trust that, as we move forward, we can continue to rely on your good cooperation and constructive contributions to the work of the OECD Tractor Codes.

Thank you.

With best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Ryan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Michael Ryan
Head, Codes & Schemes