Note
on the financial auditor mandate extension by one year

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  - accounting and financial advisory services
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  -performance improvement
  -business risk management
  - IT risk management and consulting
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  -international tax services
  -transactions tax advisory services
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Taking into account the above considerations, proposal is to sustain in the Ordinary General Shareholders Meeting to extend the contract concluded with Ernst &Young for an additional period of one year, with an audit fee of 46,000 USD.

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