

Art. 2 - The order herein shall be published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Tunisia.

Tunis, 28 July 2010.

*The Minister of Trade and Handicrafts*

**Ridha Ben Mosbah**

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*The Prime Minister*

**Mohamed Ghannouchi**

<b>MINISTRY OF TRADE AND HANDICRAFTS</b>
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**Order of the Minister of Trade and Handicrafts dated 28 July 2010, granting systematically to some franchise agreements, the authorization referred to in article 6 of law n° 91-64 dated 29 July 1991, relating to competition and prices.**

The Minister of Trade and Handicrafts,

Having regard to law n° 91-64 dated 29 July 1991, relating to competition and prices, as amended and completed by subsequent texts and notably law n° 2005-60 dated 18 July 2005 and notably articles 5 and 6,

Having regard to law n° 92-117 dated 17 December 1992, relating to the consumer protection,

Having regard to law n° 2009-69 dated 12 August 2009, relating to the distribution trade and notably articles 14 to 17,

Having regard to decree n° 2001-2965 dated 20 December 2001, fixing the attributions of the Ministry of Trade,

Having regard to decree n° 2010-1501 dated 21 June 2010, fixing the compulsory minimal clauses of the franchise agreements as well the minimal data of the joint information document and notably article 5,

Having regard to the opinion of the Competition Council.

Orders the following :

Article one- In application to the provisions of article 6 of the law relating to competition and prices mentioned above, the franchise agreements in the sectors referred to the annex to the order herein, benefit from systematic exemption from the general prohibition of arrangements and practices referred to in article 5 of the same law.