



## Certificate of Approval of a Prospectus pursuant to The Prospectus Regulations 2005

To:

COMMISSION BANCAIRE, FINANCIERE ET DES ASSURANCES (BELGIUM)

CZECH NATIONAL BANK (CZECH REPUBLIC)

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AUTORITE DES MARCHES FINANCIERS (FRANCE)

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AUTORITEIT FINANCIELE MARKTEN (AFM) (THE NETHERLANDS)

COMISSAO DO MERCADO DE VALORES MOBILIARIOS (PORTUGAL)

COMISION NACIONAL DEL MERCADO DE VALORES (SPAIN)

FINANSINSPEKTIONEN (SWEDEN)

## From:

The Financial Services Authority

25 The North Colonnade, Canary Wharf, London E14 5HS, United Kingdom

We hereby certify that the Base Prospectus detailed below has been drawn up in accordance with Directive 2003/71/EC or national law transposing the Directive and was approved by the FSA on 10 August 2011.

Name of Issuer:

Royal Bank of Canada

Registered Office/Seat:

Canada

Type of Securities:

U.S.\$40,000,000,000 Programme for the Issuance of Securities

Guarantor (if any):

N/A

Annexes:

V, XI, XII

We have authorised, in accordance with Article 8 of Directive 2003/71/EC or national law transposing Directive 2003/71/EC, the omission of the information on the following grounds: No omission

## Attachments:

- 1. Base Prospectus dated 18 July 2011
- 2. Italian Translation of the Summary
- 3. German Translation of the Summary
- 4. French Translation of the Summary
- 5. Spanish Translation of the Sumary
- 6. Swedish Translation of the Summary
- 7. Dutch Translation of the Summary
- 8. Portuguese Translation of the Summary
- 9. Czech Translation of the Summary
- 10. Hungarian Translation of the Summary

Financial Services Authority

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Signed: 1 V. Hushe