



# Description of the share buy-back program following the decision of the Board of Directors on September 26, 2013 to implement a share buy-back program in accordance with the authorization given by the general meeting of shareholders held on May 23, 2013

Amsterdam, November 21, 2013 – The present document constitutes the description of the share buy-back program authorized by the general meeting of shareholders of Gemalto N.V. ("Gemalto") (Euronext NL0000400653 GTO) held on May 23, 2013 and which the Board of Directors decided to implement on September 26, 2013. The present document has been established in accordance with article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 2273/2003 of 22 December 2003 and articles 241-1 and seq. of the General Regulation of the French *Autorité des marchés financiers*.

### Description of the share buy-back program

Issuer: Gemalto, a company incorporated under Dutch law whose shares are listed on the compartment A of the regulated market NYSE Euronext Paris and the regulated market NYSE Euronext Amsterdam (together "Euronext").

Securities: Gemalto shares (ISIN code NL0000400653).

Date of the general meeting of shareholders having authorized the share buy-back program:

The share buy-back program has been authorized by the general meeting of shareholders of Gemalto on May 23, 2013. The implementation of the program has been decided by the Board of Directors on September 26, 2013.

Allotment by objective of the 1,898,710 shares held by Gemalto as of the close of the Euronext trading session on November 15, 2013:

- 111,006 shares with the objective to provide liquidity;
- 1,006,678 shares with the objective to grant shares to employees;
- 781,026 shares with the objective to fund external growth.

Maximum percentage of the share capital, maximum number and characteristics of the securities that Gemalto proposes to buy-back:

- The securities that Gemalto proposes to buy-back are exclusively ordinary shares.
- The Board of Directors of Gemalto, pursuant to a delegation of powers granted by the general meeting of shareholders on May 23, 2013, authorized the acquisition of up to 10% of the issued share capital.
- For information purposes only, on the basis of the 88,015,844 Gemalto shares issued as of today and the 1,898,710 shares held by Gemalto as of the close of the Euronext trading session on November 15, 2013, Gemalto may acquire up to 6,902,874 shares.

Maximum acquisition price per share: the lesser of (i) €125 (one hundred and twenty five euros), (ii) the higher of the price of the last independent trade and the highest current independent bid on Euronext at the time of the buy-back, (iii) 110% of the average closing share price per share in Gemalto on the trading venues of Euronext of the country in which the purchase is carried out during the five trading days preceding the date on which the shares concerned are acquired by or on behalf of Gemalto.

Minimum acquisition price per share: the nominal value of the Gemalto share, i.e. €1 per share.

## Objectives of the program:

- (i) Implementation of a program to provide liquidity, such objective being carried out by an investment services provider pursuant to a liquidity agreement complying with (i) the Regulation on Accepted Market Practices WFT (*Regeling gebruikelijke marktpraktijken WFT*), and (ii) the charter of ethics approved by the French *Autorité des marchés financiers*; and
- (ii) Granting of Gemalto shares to employees under the terms and arrangements provided by law, including under the Gemalto Global Equity Incentive Plan and the Gemalto Global Equity Share Purchase Plan; and
- (iii) Cancellation of the shares acquired for the purpose of reduction of Gemalto's issued share capital, under the terms and arrangements provided by law, Gemalto's articles of association and by the resolutions adopted by the general meeting of shareholders; and
- (iv) Funding of external growth through payment for acquisitions in Gemalto shares, to the extent permitted by Dutch law and other applicable laws, and Gemalto's articles of association; and
- (v) Coverage of financial instruments issued by Gemalto giving access, by any means, immediately or in the future, to Gemalto shares, as well as to carry out all hedging as a result of the

obligations of Gemalto related to such financial instruments, and particularly debt financial instruments exchangeable into equity instruments.

Duration of the program: as from November 24, 2013, until November 22, 2014 (included), being specified that the share buy-back program which started on November 18, 2012 will continue to be effective until November 23, 2013 (included).

Gemalto did not use any derivatives during the previous share buy-back program and does not own any opening positions in derivatives on November 21, 2013.

	Opening positions on November 21, 2013			
	Opening positions at purchase		Opening positions at sale	
	Calls purchased	Future purchase	Calls sold	Future sale
Number of shares	-	_	-	_
Average maximum expiration date	-	-	-	-
Average exercise price (in €)	_	_	_	_

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We are at the heart of the rapidly evolving digital society. Billions of people worldwide increasingly want the freedom to communicate, travel, shop, bank, entertain and work – anytime, everywhere – in ways that are enjoyable and safe. Gemalto delivers on their expanding needs for personal mobile services, payment security, authenticated cloud access, identity and privacy protection, eHealthcare and eGovernment efficiency, convenient ticketing and dependable machine-to-machine (M2M) applications. We develop secure embedded software and secure products which we design and personalize. Our platforms and services manage these products, the confidential data they contain and the trusted enduser services made possible.

Our innovations enable our clients to offer trusted and convenient digital services to billions of individuals. Gemalto thrives with the growing number of people using its solutions to interact with the digital and wireless world.

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