

# Final Terms dated 20 June 2008

### **CADES**

(CAISSE D'AMORTISSEMENT DE LA DETTE SOCIALE)
Issue of USD 2,000,000,000 4.00 per cent. Notes due 2011 (the "Notes")
under the Euro 30,000,000,000 Debt Issuance Programme
of CADES (the "Issuer")

SERIES NO: 253 TRANCHE NO: 1

Issue Price: 99.764 per cent.

JOINT LEAD MANAGERS

CREDIT SUISSE GOLDMAN SACHS INTERNATIONAL NOMURA INTERNATIONAL

## PART A - CONTRACTUAL TERMS

Terms used herein shall be deemed to be defined as such for the purposes of the Conditions set forth in the base prospectus which received from the *Autorité des marchés financiers* ("AMF") visa n°08-104 on 22 May 2008 (the "Base Prospectus") which constitutes a base prospectus for the purposes of the Prospectus Directive (Directive 2003/71/EC) (the "Prospectus Directive"). This document constitutes the Final Terms of the Notes described herein for the purposes of Article 5.4 of the Prospectus Directive and must be read in conjunction with such Base Prospectus. Full information on the Issuer and the offer of the Notes is only available on the basis of the combination of these Final Terms and the Base Prospectus. The Base Prospectus is available for viewing on the AMF website and copies may be obtained from the Issuer.

1. Issuer: Caisse d'amortissement de la dette sociale

(i) Series Number: 253

(ii)Tranche Number:

3. Specified Currency or

Currencies: United States dollars ("USD")

Aggregate Nominal Amount:

(i) Series: USD 2,000,000,000

(ii) Tranche: USD 2,000,000,000

5. Issue Price: 99.764 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount

6. Specified Denomination: USD 1,000

7. (i) Issue Date: 23 June 2008

(ii) Interest Commencement

Date: 23 June 2008

8. Maturity Date: 15 July 2011

9. Interest Basis: 4.00 per cent. Fixed Rate

10. Redemption/Payment Basis: Redemption at par

11. Change of Interest or

Redemption/Payment Basis: Not Applicable

12. Put/Call Options: Not Applicable

13. (i) Status of the Notes: Senior

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(ii) Date of Board approval for issuance of Notes obtained:

Resolution of the Board of Directors (*Conseil d'administration*) of the Issuer dated 23 November 2005 authorising the Issuer's borrowing programme and delegating all powers to issue notes to its *Président* and approval of the Issuer's borrowing programme by the Minister of the Economy, Finance and Industry dated 20 March 2006.

14. Method of distribution:

Syndicated

### PROVISIONS RELATING TO INTEREST (IF ANY) PAYABLE

15. Fixed Rate Note Provisions

Applicable

(i) Rate of Interest:

4.00 per cent. per annum payable annually in arrear

(ii) Interest Payment Date:

15 July in each year commencing on 15 July 2009. There will be a long first coupon in respect of the period from, and including, the Interest Commencement Date to, but excluding, 15 July 2009.

(iii) Fixed Coupon Amount:

USD 40.00 per USD 1,000 in nominal amount

(iv) Broken Amount(s):

USD 42.44 per USD 1,000 in nominal amount

payable on 15 July 2009 (long first coupon)

(v) Day Count Fraction:

30/360

(vi) Determination Dates:

Not Applicable

(vii) Other terms relating to the method of calculating interest for Fixed Rate

Notes:

Not Applicable

16. Floating Rate Note Provisions

Not Applicable

17. Zero Coupon Note Provisions

Not Applicable

 Index-Linked Interest Note/other variable-linked interest Note Provisions

Not Applicable

19. Dual Currency Note Provisions

Not Applicable

### PROVISIONS RELATING TO REDEMPTION

20. Call Option

Not Applicable

21. Put Option

Not Applicable

22. Final Redemption Amount of

each Note

Nominal amount

23. Early Redemption Amount

Not Applicable

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTES

24. Form of Notes:

**Dematerialised Notes** 

(i) Form of Dematerialised

Notes:

Bearer form (au porteur)

(ii) Registration Agent:

Not Applicable

(iii) Temporary Global

Certificate:

Not Applicable

(iv) Applicable TEFRA

exemption:

Not Applicable

25. Financial Centre(s) or other special provisions relating to

Payment Dates:

TARGET, New York, Paris and London

26. Talons for future Coupons or Receipts to be attached to Definitive Notes (and dates on which such Talons mature):

No

27. Details relating to Partly Paid Notes: amount of each payment comprising the Issue Price and date on which each payment is to be made and consequences (if any) of failure to pay, including any right of the Issuer to forfeit the Notes and interest due on late payment:

Not Applicable

28. Details relating to Instalment Notes: amount of each instalment, date on which each payment is to be made:

Not Applicable

29. Redenomination, renominalisation and

reconventioning provisions:

Not Applicable

30. Consolidation provisions:

Not Applicable

31. Masse:

Applicable

The initial representative of the Masse is:

Tanguy Morel One Cabot Square London, E14 4QJ United Kingdom

The alternate representative of the Masse will be:

Ivan Fillon

One Cabot Square London, E14 4QJ United Kingdom

The acting representative shall receive no

remuneration.

32. Other final terms:

Not Applicable

#### DISTRIBUTION

33. (i) If syndicated, names and addresses of Managers and underwriting commitments:

### Joint Lead Managers:

Credit Suisse Securities (Europe) Limited

One Cabot Square London E14 4QJ United Kingdom

Underwriting commitment: USD 666,666,000

### **Goldman Sachs International**

Peterborough Court 133 Fleet Street London EC4A 2BB United Kingdom

Underwriting commitment: USD 666,667,000

## Nomura International plc

Nomura House

1 St Martin's-le-Grand London EC1A 4NP United Kingdom

Underwriting commitment: USD 666,667,000

(ii) Date of Subscription Agreement:

20 June 2008

(iii) Stabilising Manager(s) (if

any):

Credit Suisse Securities (Europe) Limited, Goldman Sachs International and Nomura International plc

34. If non-syndicated, name and address of Dealer:

Not Applicable

35. Total commission and concession:

0.075 per cent. of the Aggregate Nominal Amount

36. Additional selling restrictions:

# United States of America:

TEFRA rules are not applicable.

### Republic of France:

Each of the Joint Lead Managers and the Issuer has represented and agreed that the Notes are being

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issued outside the Republic of France and that, in connection with their initial distribution, it has not offered or sold, and will not offer or sell any Notes to the public in the Republic of France and has not distributed and will not distribute or cause to be distributed in the Republic of France, the Base Prospectus, the Final Terms or any other offering material relating to the Notes except to qualified investors (*investisseurs qualifiés*) in accordance with Articles L.411-1, L.411-2 and D.411-1 to D.411-3 of the French Code monétaire et financier.

### LISTING AND ADMISSION TO TRADING APPLICATION

These Final Terms comprise the final terms required to list and have admitted to trading the issue of Notes described herein pursuant to the Euro 30,000,000,000 Debt Issuance Programme of the Issuer.

#### RESPONSIBILITY

The Issuer accepts responsibility for the information contained in these Final Terms.

Signed on behalf of the Issuer:

By: Patrice RACT MADOUX

Duly authorised

### PART B - OTHER INFORMATION

#### 1. LISTING

(i) Listing: Luxembourg Stock Exchange

(ii) Admission to trading: Application has been made for the Notes to be

admitted to trading on the Luxembourg Stock

Exchange with effect from 24 June 2008.

(iii) Estimate of total expenses related to admission to

trading:

Euro 2,460 (listing fees)

(iv) Regulated markets equivalent markets on which, to the knowledge of the issuer, securities of the same class of the securities to be offered or admitted to trading are already admitted to

trading:

Not Applicable

#### 2. RATINGS

Ratings:

The Programme has been rated:

S & P: AAA Moody's: Aaa Fitch: AAA

#### 3. NOTIFICATION

The Autorité des Marchés Financiers has provided the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier in Luxembourg with a certificate of approval attesting that the Base Prospectus has been drawn up in accordance with the Prospectus Directive.

# 4. INTERESTS OF NATURAL AND LEGAL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE ISSUE

So far as the Issuer is aware, no person involved in the issue of the Notes has an interest material to the offer.

### 5. REASONS FOR THE OFFER, ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AND TOTAL EXPENSES

(i) Reasons for the offer: See "Use of Proceeds" in the Base Prospectus

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(ii) Estimated net proceeds: USD 1,993,780,000

(iii) Estimated total expenses: Euro 26,460

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#### 6. YIELD

Indication of yield: 4.108 per cent. per annum of the Aggregate Nominal

**Amount** 

The yield is calculated at the Issue Date on the basis of the Issue Price. It is not an indication of future

yield.

7. OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

ISIN Code: FR0010634410

Common Code: 037199320

Any clearing system(s) other than Euroclear Bank S.A./N.V. and Clearstream Banking Société Anonyme and the relevant identification

number(s):

Euroclear France S.A.

Delivery: Delivery free of payment

Names and addresses of additional Paying Agent(s) (if

any):

KBL European Private Bankers S.A.

43, boulevard Royal L-2955 Luxembourg

**Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg** 

Names and addresses of

relevant Dealer(s):

See § 33 of Part A.

The aggregate principal amount of Notes issued has been translated into Euro at the rate of USD 1.5495 per Euro 1.00,

producing a sum of:

Euro 1,290,738,948.05

The Luxembourg Listing Agent appointed in respect of the

Notes is:

KBL European Private Bankers S.A.

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