Ref: WB-CD/289/07/25/2013

His Excellency Aidan O'Hara
Ambassador
Embassy of Ireland
Addis Ababa
Ethiopia

Administration Agreement between the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Ireland, hereinafter referred to as the Irish Aid (the “Donor”), represented by the Embassy of Ireland in Addis Ababa, and the International Development Association (IDA) concerning the Multi-donor Trust Fund for the Ethiopia Protection of Basic Services Social Accountability Program (Trust Fund No. TF071654)

Amendment No. 3 to the Administration Agreement

Dear Mr. O'Hara:

We refer to the Administration Agreement (“Agreement”), dated July 21, 2011, as amended to date, between the Tánaiste and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Ireland, hereinafter referred to as the Irish Aid (“Donor”) and the International Development Association (“IDA” or the “Bank”), acting as an administrator of grant funds provided under the Multi-donor Trust Fund (“Trust Fund”) for the Ethiopia Protection of Basic Services Social Accountability Program. We also refer to a recent discussion between the Donor and the Bank for the Donor’s additional contribution of EUR 2,000,000 for the MDTF activities.

In order to receive the above mentioned additional contribution from the Donor, we propose to amend paragraph 1 of the Agreement as follows:

“1. We are pleased to acknowledge on behalf of the International Development Association (“IDA” or the “Bank”) that Irish Aid (the “Donor”) will make available as a grant the sum of four million thirty thousand seven hundred thirty eight Euro (€4,030,738) (the “Contribution”) for the Multi-donor Trust Fund for the Ethiopia Protection of Basic Services Social Accountability Program (the “Trust Fund”) in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Other donors are also expected to contribute to the Trust Fund on the terms and conditions specified in the Annexes to this Agreement.

The Donor will provide the Contribution in accordance with the schedule below:

(i) First payment : EUR 1,000,000 (already received)
(ii) Second payment : EUR 800,000 (already received)
(iii) Third payment : EUR 230,738 (already received)
(iv) Fourth payment : EUR 2,000,000 (to be received)."

Total : EUR 4,030,738

All other provisions of the Agreement, except amended herein, shall remain in full force and effect.
Please confirm your agreement with the foregoing by signing, dating and returning to us the enclosed copy of this letter. Upon receipt by the Bank of the copy of this letter countersigned by you, this amendment will become effective as of the date of the countersignature.

Very truly yours,

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

By

Guang Z. Chen
Country Director for Ethiopia
Africa Region

ACCEPTED:

IRISH AID:

By: [Signature]
Name: His Excellency Aidan O'Hara
Title: Ambassador

Date: 30 July 2013