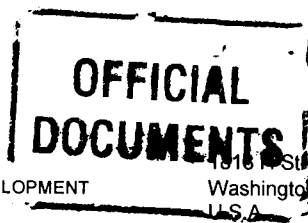


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June 14, 2012

H.E. Nasar Alrubaie
Minister of Labor and Social Affairs
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Palestine Street, Wiziriya
Baghdad, Iraq

***Re: IRAQ - Emergency Social Protection Project (TF056808)
Amendment to Trust Fund Grant Agreement***

Excellency:

1. We refer to the World Bank Iraq Trust Fund Grant Agreement between the Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs of Iraq (the "Recipient") and the International Development Association, acting as administrator of the World Bank Iraq Trust Fund (the "Administrator") dated June 3, 2006, as amended (the "Trust Fund Grant Agreement"). We also refer to your letter dated April 25, 2012 requesting extension of the project Closing Date and reallocation of the proceeds of the Grant. We also refer to our discussion related to procurement decisions review arrangements during our last supervision mission.

2. We are pleased to inform you that the Administrator has acceded to your request. Accordingly, we propose to amend the Trust Fund Grant Agreement as follows:

(a) Part D of Section III of Schedule 2 is amended to read:

"D. Review by the Administrator of Procurement Decisions

The Procurement Plan shall set forth those contracts which shall be subject to the Administrator's Prior Review. All other contracts shall be subject to Post Review by the Administrator."

(b) The table in paragraph 2 of Part A of Section IV of Schedule 2 is revised to reflect the reallocation of the Grant proceeds between the categories of Eligible Expenditures and is set forth as follows:

Category	Amount of Grant Allocation (Expressed in US\$)	Percentage of Expenditures to be Financed
1. Goods	5,400,000	100%
2. Consultants' Services	750,000	100%
3. Training, Workshops and Study Tours	1,050,000	100%

4. Operating Costs	800,000	100%
5. Unallocated	0	
Total	8,000,000	

(c) The Closing Date set forth in paragraph 2 of Part B of Section IV of Schedule 2 is amended to read "April 30, 2013."

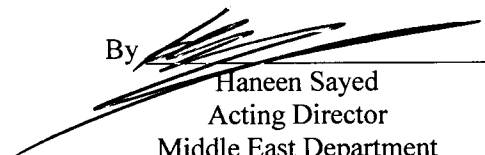
3. Unless the context otherwise requires and except where otherwise defined in this Amendment Letter, all capitalized terms contained herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Trust Fund Grant Agreement.

4. All the terms and conditions of the Trust Fund Grant Agreement that have not been amended hereby shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

5. Please confirm your agreement on behalf of the Recipient with the above amendment by signing, dating and returning to us one of the original copies of this Amendment Letter. Upon receipt by the Administrator of the original Amendment Letter countersigned by you, this Amendment Letter will become effective as of the date of your countersignature.

Sincerely,

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

By 
Haneen Sayed
Acting Director
Middle East Department
Middle East and North Africa Region

AGREED

MINISTRY OF LABOR AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS OF IRAQ

By: 

Name: Nassan Al-Anbaiee

Title: Minister of Labor and Social Affairs

Date: June/25/2012