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**LOAN NUMBER 7773-BR** 

# **Guarantee Agreement**

(Rio de Janeiro Sustainable Rural Development Project Projeto de Desenvolvimento Rural Sustentável em Microbacias Hidrográficas-Rio Rural)

between

FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL

and

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

Dated December 14, 2009

#### **LOAN NUMBER 7773-BR**

#### **GUARANTEE AGREEMENT**

AGREEMENT, dated December 14, 2009, entered into between the FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL ("Guarantor") and INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT ("Bank") ("Guarantee Agreement") in connection with the Loan Agreement of same date between the Bank and the STATE OF RIO DE JANEIRO ("Borrower") ("Loan Agreement"). The Guarantor and the Bank hereby agree as follows:

### ARTICLE I – GENERAL CONDITIONS; DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01. The General Conditions (as defined in the Appendix to the Loan Agreement) constitute an integral part of this Agreement.

Section 1.02. Unless the context requires otherwise, the capitalized terms used in this Agreement have the meanings ascribed to them in the General Conditions or in the Loan Agreement.

## ARTICLE II – GUARANTEE

Section 2.01. The Guarantor hereby unconditionally guarantees, as primary obligor and not as surety merely, the due and punctual payment of all Loan Payments payable by the Borrower pursuant to the Loan Agreement.

# ARTICLE III – REPRESENTATIVE; ADDRESSES

Section 3.01. The Guarantor's Representative is its Minister of Finance.

Section 3.02. The Guarantor's Address is:

Ministério da Fazenda Procuradoria Geral da Fazenda Nacional Esplanada dos Ministérios, Bloco "P" - 8º andar 70048-900 Brasília, DF Brazil

Facsimile: (55-61) 3412-1740

# Section 3.03. The Bank's Address is:

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development 1818 H Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 United States of America

Cable: Telex: Facsimile:

INTBAFRAD 248423 (MCI) or (202) 477-6391 Washington, D.C. 64145 (MCI)

AGREED at Brasilia, Federative Republic of Brazil, as of the day and year first above written.

FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL

By/s/Ana Lucia Gatto de Oliveira

Authorized Representative

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

By/s/Makhtar Diop

Authorized Representative