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Ms Cheryl L. Anderson Mission Director USAID / Southern Africa P O Box 43 **GROENKLOOF** 0027

Dear Ms Anderson,

I have the honour to refer to your letter of March 9, 2015, the full text of which is as follows:

"Dear Honorable Minister Nene,

The purpose of this letter of exchange is to propose an increase of the Total Planned USAID Contribution under the Agreement by \$1,118,300,000 U.S. Dollars and to extend the Completion Date of the Agreement by three (3) years.

Pending your acceptance, the Agreement, as previously amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

A. Article 3 (Contribution of the Parties), Section 3.1 (USAID Contribution),

Subsection 3.1 (b) (Total Estimated USAID Contribution) is hereby amended by deleting

"Three Billion Sixty – Eight Million Nine Hundred Thirty –Nine Thousand Nine Hundred

Seventy – Nine United States (U.S) Dollars (\$ 3,068,939,979) and substituting in lieu thereof Four Billion One Hundred Eighty – Seven Million Two Hundred Thirty – Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy – Nine U.S Dollars (\$4,187,239,979).

B. Article 4 (Completion Date), Subsection (a) is amended by deleting "October 1, 2015 and substituting in lieu thereof "September 30, 2018".

Except as specifically amended or modified herein the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with all of its terms.

Should you agree to accept the items above, please send USAID a letter confirming your acceptance. Upon receipt of your letter the subject Assistance Agreement will be deemed amended in accordance with the above as of the date of you letter.

Please accept, Honorable Minister, my highest consideration."



I have the honour to accept, on behalf of the Government of the Republic of South Africa the proposals embodied in your letter, as quoted above, and to confirm that the said letter and this reply shall constitute an amendment to the aforementioned Assistance Agreement between the Government of the Republic of South Africa and the United States of America, which shall enter into force on the date of this letter.

Please accept the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely

NHLANHLA M NENE, MP MINISTER OF FINANCE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA Date: 30 /9/2015

