

To whom it may concern

Edinburgh Global Partnerships (EGP) is a registered Scottish charity that facilitates community-initiated and led, sustainable development projects. Myself and other volunteers from EGP worked together with Karonga Women's Rice Group (KAWORIG) over the past year, both from afar and based in Karonga, to construct a rice warehouse that now houses a sustainable women's rice cooperative.

The process involved the transfer of funds, which meant that we had to place great trust in Newton Mhango, Francisco Mkanani and other members of KAWORIG. The process was carried out free of any problems, and it is with great confidence that I can attest to the character of the leadership of KAWORIG and all those involved. When I left the project sight in August I was confident that the cooperative would thrive and the regular updates I have received in the weeks following have not changed that.

It was a pleasure working with KAWORIG and I wish them much continued success going forward. Please feel free to contact me if you should have any queries.

Warm regards

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