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To Whom it May Concern:

We hereby acknowledge that, *Center for Community Regeneration and Development (CCREAD)*, has benefited from a grant from the World Bank totaling XAF 9,091,000 to fund a project entitled "*Promoting the effective participation of local communities in sustainable school governance*". The project was one of 15 projects receiving funding from a 2011 Cameroon Development Marketplace competition.

The Development Marketplace is a competitive and transparent financing concept developed by the World Bank Institute in 1998 and implemented for the first time in Cameroon in 2011. In Cameroon, the competition selected innovative ideas aiming at strengthening community participation for better local governance in the sectors of education, health and forest resource management. The World Bank received proposals from 230 Civil Society Organization, of which 15 proposals were selected by an international and independent jury for funding

The project "*Promoting the effective participation of local communities in sustainable school governance*" is one of the successful projects of the 2011 Cameroon Development Marketplace according to supervision field visits and final evaluation. The project mobilized the local community to get involved in sustainable school governance and resources management to reducing corruption. The project also ensured the participation of local communities in the South West region in school management through capacity-building and establishment of control systems.

Throughout the duration of the project, CCREAD proved its capacity to conceive, implement and manage a project, and follow donors' administrative and financial rules and regulations.



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