

RECORD OF DISCUSSIONS

FOR

**PROJECT FOR PROMOTION OF DISASTER RISK REDUCTION
INVESTMENT TO BUILD SAFE AND RESILIENT MUNICIPALITIES FOR
COASTAL PHENOMENA**

AGREED UPON BETWEEN

**NATIONAL SYSTEM FOR DISASTER PREVENTION, MITIGATION AND
RESPONSE**

OF

NICARAGUA

AND

JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY

Dated 31st October 2023

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Based on the Minutes of Meetings on the Detailed Planning Survey for the Project for Promotion of Disaster Risk Reduction Investment to Build Safe and Resilient Municipalities for Coastal Phenomena (hereinafter referred to as “the Project”) signed on 19th December 2022 between National System for Disaster Prevention, Mitigation and Response of Nicaragua (hereinafter referred to as “the Counterpart”) and the Japan International Cooperation Agency (hereinafter referred to as “JICA”), JICA held a series of discussions with the Counterpart and relevant organizations to develop a detailed plan of the Project.

The purpose of this Record of Discussions (hereinafter referred to as “the R/D”) is to establish a mutual agreement for its implementation by both parties and to agree on the detailed plan of the Project as described in the followings and the Annex 1 and 2, which will be implemented within the framework of the Agreement on Technical Cooperation signed on 30th May 2001 (hereinafter referred to as “the Agreement”) and the Note Verbal exchanged on 19th April 2022 between the Government of Japan and the Government of Nicaragua.

The Counterpart will be responsible for the implementation of the Project in cooperation with JICA, coordinate with other relevant organizations and ensure that the self-reliant operation of the Project is sustained during and after the implementation period in order to contribute toward social and economic development of Nicaragua.

Both parties also agreed that the Project will be implemented in accordance with the “Basic Principles for Technical Cooperation” published in December 2016 (hereinafter referred to as “the BP”), unless other arrangements are agreed in the R/D.

The R/D is delivered at Managua, Nicaragua as of the day and year first above written. The R/D, except Annex 3 to 7 may be amended by a Minutes of Meetings between both parties. The minutes of meetings will be signed by authorized persons of each side who may be different from the signers of the R/D.

Done in duplicate in English and Spanish languages, both are equally authentic. In case of any divergence of interpretation, the English text will prevail.

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- Annex 1 Project Description
- Annex 2 Main Points Discussed
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