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THE FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

To Ethiopian Road Authority

Addis Ababa

Subject: Issuance of Environmental Clearance for Jima-Chida Road Project

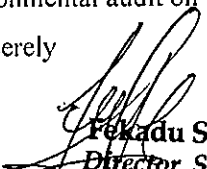
The Ministry of Transport (MoT) of Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has evaluated the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment as well as Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) report of the Jima-Chida road project in accordance with Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) proclamation No. 299/2002 and the requirements provided under the relevant technical guidelines.

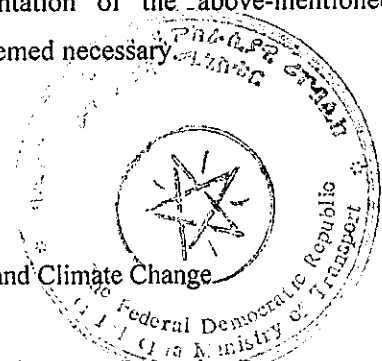
Therefore, the MoT has evaluated the report and approved the implementation of the Jima-Chida road project with the precondition that the Ethiopian Road Authority will:

- Monitor implementation of the project in order to evaluate compliance with all the particulars mentioned under the EMP
- Ensure the taking of measures by the Ethiopian Road Authority to undertake any corrective measures as deemed appropriate;
- Address in the event when any unforeseen fact of serious implication is realized after the issuance of this clearance, and the proponent will oblige accordingly; and,
- Submit a quarterly report on its performance to the MoT and other concerned stakeholders.

The MoT will ensure the implementation of the above-mentioned measures by carrying out environmental audit on the project as deemed necessary.

Sincerely


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