Re: Guatemala: Japan Social Development Fund Grant for Capacity Building for Indigenous People and Local NGOs in the Western Altiplano. First Amendment to the JSDF Grant No. TF055809

Dear Minister Balsells and Secretary Slowing,

Please refer to the JSDF Grant Agreement dated October 19, 2006 (the “Agreement”) entered into between the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the “Bank”), and the Republic of Guatemala (the “Recipient”), for the Project referred to above. Terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Agreement.

Pursuant to the request contained in your letter dated April 22, 2010, requesting the Bank to increase the disbursement ceiling, we are pleased to inform you that the Bank agrees to amend the terms of the Agreement as follows:

1. Paragraph 1(c) of Attachment II to the Grant Agreement is hereby amended to read as follows:

“(c) the term “Authorized Allocation” means the amount of two hundred thousand United State Dollars (US$200,000) to be withdrawn from the Grant account and deposited into the Special Account pursuant to paragraph 3(a) of this Attachment.”

Please confirm your agreement with the foregoing amendment by signing and dating this letter in the spaces provided below. This amendment letter shall be executed in two counterparts, each of which shall be an original. The provisions of this Amendment will become effective as of
the date of countersignature, upon receipt by the Bank of one fully executed original of this Amendment Letter.

Very truly yours,

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

By /s/ Laura Frigenti
Director
Central America Country Management Unit
Latin America and the Caribbean Region

AGREED:
REPUBLIC OF GUATEMALA

By: /s/ Edgar Alfredo Balsells Conde
Authorized Representative

Name: Edgar Alfredo Balsells Conde

Title: Minister of Public Finance

Date: September 10, 2010

AGREED:
SECRETARIAT OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMMING OF THE PRESIDENCY

By: /s/ Karin Slowing Umaña
Authorized Representative

Name: Karin Slowing Umaña

Title: Secretary

Date: August 18, 2010