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March 4, 2011

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Minister of Finance
Ministry of Finance
Government Building 2
United Nations’ Street 5/1
Ulaanbaatar – 210646
Mongolia

Re: Grant No. TF098487-MN
(Strengthening the National Statistical System of Mongolia Project)
Additional Instructions: Disbursement

Dear Excellency:

I refer to the Letter Agreement (the “Agreement”) between the International Development Association (the “World Bank”), acting as administrator of the Trust Fund for Bank-Korea Partnership on Poverty Reduction and Socio-Economic Development, and Mongolia (the “Recipient”) for the above-referenced project, dated March 4, 2011. The Agreement provides that the Association may issue additional instructions regarding the withdrawal of the proceeds of Grant TF098487 (the “Grant”). This letter (the “Disbursement Letter”), as revised from time to time, constitutes the additional instructions.

The attached World Bank Disbursement Guidelines for Projects, dated May 1, 2006, (“Disbursement Guidelines”) (Attachment 1), are an integral part of the Disbursement Letter. The manner in which the provisions in the Disbursement Guidelines apply to the Grant is specified below. Sections and subsections in parentheses below refer to the relevant sections and subsections in the Disbursement Guidelines and, unless otherwise defined in this letter, the capitalized terms used have the meanings ascribed to them in the Disbursement Guidelines.

I. Disbursement Arrangements

(i) Disbursement Methods (section 2). The following Disbursement Methods may be used under the Grant:

• Reimbursement
• Advance
• Direct Payment

(ii) Disbursement Deadline Date (subsection 3.7). The Disbursement Deadline Date is four months after the Closing Date specified in the Grant Agreement. Any changes to this date will be notified by the World Bank.
(iii) Disbursement Conditions (subsection 3.8). Please refer to the conditions specified in the Agreement.

II. Withdrawal of Grant Proceeds

(i) Authorized Signatures (subsection 3.1).
A letter in the Form attached (Attachment 2) should be furnished to the World Bank at the address indicated below providing the name(s) and specimen signature(s) of the official(s) authorized to sign Applications:

The World Bank
5F, MCS Plaza Building
Seoul Street-4
Ulaanbaatar 210644
Mongolia
Attention: Country Director, Mongolia

(ii) Applications (subsections 3.2 - 3.3). Please provide completed and signed (a) applications for withdrawal, together with supporting documents, to the address indicated below:

The World Bank
5F, MCS Plaza Building
Seoul Street-4
Ulaanbaatar 210644
Mongolia
Attention: Loan Department

(iii) Electronic Delivery (subsection 3.4). The Recipient may deliver Applications to the World Bank through the World Bank’s Client Connection, web-based portal, by completing Form 2380, which is accessible through Client Connection (http://clientconnection.worldbank.org). Officials of the Recipient may deliver Applications electronically on behalf of the Recipient if they: (a) have been designated in writing by the Recipient, pursuant to the terms of subparagraph (i) of this Section, to sign and deliver Applications by electronic means and to receive secure identification devices (“Tokens”) from the World Bank, (b) are registered as users of Client Connection, and (c) have received from the World Bank Tokens for such purpose. This constitutes an additional means of delivering Applications to the World Bank. The Recipient may continue to exercise the option of preparing and delivering Applications in paper format. The World Bank reserves the right, and may in its sole discretion, temporarily or permanently, to disallow the electronic delivery of Applications by the Recipient.

(iv) Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens to Process Applications. By designating authorized signatories to accept Tokens and by choosing to deliver the Applications electronically, the Recipient confirms its agreement to abide by and to cause the authorized signatories to abide by the Terms and Conditions of Use of Secure Identification Device in connection with Use of Electronic Means to Process Applications for Withdrawal and Supporting Documentation (“Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens”) provided in Attachment
3. The Recipient also represents and warrants to the World Bank (and such representations and warranties, including without limitation, the representations and warranties contained in the Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens, shall be relied upon by the World Bank) that the Recipient shall deliver the Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens to each authorized signatory and shall cause each authorized signatory to be bound by those terms and conditions.

(v) Minimum Value of Applications (subsection 3.5). The Minimum Value of Applications is USD 5,000.

(vi) Advances (sections 5 and 6).

- Type of Designated Account(s) (subsection 5.3): Segregated
- Currency of Designated Account(s) (subsection 5.4): United States Dollars (USD).
- Financial Institution at which the Designated Account(s) Will Be Opened (subsection 5.5): A commercial bank acceptable to the Bank.
- Ceiling (subsection 6.1): USD 65,000.

III. Reporting on Use of Grant Proceeds

(i) Supporting Documentation (section 4). Supporting documentation should be provided with each application for withdrawal as set out below:

- For requests for Reimbursement:
  - Records evidencing eligible expenditures (e.g., copies of receipts, supplier invoices) for payments against contracts that are subject to the World Bank’s prior review in the form attached (Attachment 5); and
  - Statement of Expenditures in the form attached (Attachment 4) for all other expenditures / contracts.

- For reporting eligible expenditures paid from the Designated Account:
  - Records evidencing eligible expenditures (e.g., copies of receipts, supplier invoices) for payments against contracts that are subject to the World Bank’s prior review in the form attached (Attachment 5);
  - Statement of Expenditures in the form attached (Attachment 4) for all other expenditures / contracts; and
  - A designated account reconciliation (Attachment 6) and related bank statement.

- For requests for Direct Payment: Records evidencing eligible expenditures, e.g., copies of receipts, supplier invoices

IV. Other Instructions

The Designated Account (DA) will be managed by the Project Coordination Team (PCT), part of the National Statistical Office (NSO). Funds may be advanced to an Operating Account (OA) which will be in Mongolian Tugrug, managed by the PCT, and limited in size to USD 5,000 equivalent. The uses of the funds advanced to the OA will be reconciled and reported on a monthly basis. The outstanding amount advanced to the OA will be reported as a separate item in the DA reconciliation (Attachment 6).

V. Other Important Information

For additional information on disbursement arrangements, please refer to the Disbursement Handbook available on the World Bank’s public website at http://www.worldbank.org and its secure website “Client Connection” at https://clientconnection.worldbank.org. Print copies are available upon request. From the Client Connection website, you will be able to download Applications, monitor the near real-time status of the Grant, and retrieve related policy, financial, and procurement information.

If you have not already done so, the World Bank recommends that you register as a user of the Client Connection website (https://clientconnection.worldbank.org). From this website you will be able to download Applications, monitor the near real-time status of the Grant, and retrieve related policy, financial, and procurement information. For more information about the website and registration arrangements, please contact the World Bank by email at <clientconnection@worldbank.org>.

If you have any queries in relation to the above, please contact Robert O’Leary, Senior Finance Officer at loa-eap@worldbank.org using the above reference.

Yours sincerely,

/s/ Elaine Sun

Elaine Sun
Acting Country Director, Mongolia
East Asia and Pacific Region
Attachments:
1. World Bank Disbursement Guidelines for Projects, dated May 1, 2006
2. Form for Authorized Signatures
4. Form of Statement of Expenditures
5. Form of Payments Against Contracts Subject to the Bank’s Prior Review
6. Form of Designated Account Reconciliation Statement
The World Bank
5F, MCS Plaza Building
Seoul Street-4
Ulaanbaatar 210644
Mongolia

Attention: [Country Director]

Dear [Country Director]:

Re: Grant No. TF098487-MN
(Strengthening the National Statistical System of Mongolia Project)

I refer to the Grant Agreement (the "Agreement") between the International Development Association (the "World Bank"), acting as administrator of the Trust Fund for Bank-Korea Partnership on Poverty Reduction and Socio-Economic Development, and Mongolia (the "Recipient"), dated ______, providing the above Grant. For the purposes of Section 3.04 (b) of the Standard Conditions, as defined in the Agreement, any [one] of the persons whose authenticated specimen signatures appear below is authorized on behalf of the Recipient to sign applications for withdrawal [and applications for a special commitment] under this Grant.

For the purpose of delivering Applications to the World Bank, [each] of the persons whose authenticated specimen signatures appear below is authorized on behalf of the Recipient, acting [individually] [jointly], to deliver Applications, and evidence in support thereof on the terms and conditions specified by the World Bank.

[This confirms that the Recipient is authorizing such persons to accept Tokens and to deliver the Applications and supporting documents to the World Bank by electronic means.]

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1 Instruction to the Recipient when sending this letter to the World Bank: Stipulate if more than one person needs to sign Applications, and how many or which positions, and if any thresholds apply. Please delete this footnote in final letter that is sent to the World Bank.

2 Instruction to the Recipient: Stipulate if more than one person needs to jointly sign Applications, if so, please indicate the actual number. Please delete this footnote in final letter that is sent to the World Bank.

3 Instruction to the Recipient: Use this bracket if any one of the authorized persons may sign, if this is not applicable, please delete. Please delete this footnote in final letter that is sent to the World Bank.

4 Instruction to the Recipient: Use this bracket only if several individuals must jointly sign each Application, if this is not applicable, please delete. Please delete this footnote in final letter that is sent to the World Bank.
full recognition that the World Bank shall rely upon such representations and warranties, including without limitation, the representations and warranties contained in the Terms and Conditions of Use of Secure Identification Devices in connection with Use of Electronic Means to Process Applications and Supporting Documentation ("Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens"), the Recipient represents and warrants to the World Bank that it will deliver to each such person a copy of the Terms and Conditions of Use of Tokens and will cause such persons to abide by those terms and conditions.]

This Authorization replaces and supersedes any Authorization currently in the World Bank records with respect to this Agreement.

[Name], [position]  Specimen Signature: __________________

[Name], [position]  Specimen Signature: __________________

[Name], [position]  Specimen Signature: __________________

Yours truly,

/ signed /

[Position]
Terms and Conditions of Use of Secure Identification Devices in connection with Use of Electronic Means to Process Applications and Supporting Documentation

January 20, 2010

The World Bank (Bank)\(^6\) will provide secure identification devices (Tokens) to permit the Recipient\(^7\) to deliver applications for withdrawal and applications for special commitments under the Agreement(s) and supporting documentation (such applications and supporting documentation together referred to in these Terms and Conditions of Use as Applications) to the Bank electronically, on the terms and conditions of use specified herein.

A. Identification of Users.

1. The Recipient will be required to identify in a completed Authorized Signatory Letter (ASL) duly delivered to and received by the Bank each person who will be authorized to deliver Applications. The Bank will provide Tokens to each person identified in the ASL (Signatory), as provided below. The Recipient shall also immediately notify the Bank if a Signatory is no longer authorized by the Recipient to act as a Signatory.

2. Each Signatory must register as a user on the Bank’s Client Connection (CC) website (https://clientconnection.worldbank.org) prior to delivery of Tokens. Registration on CC will require that the Signatory establish a CC password (CC Password). The Signatory shall not reveal his/her CC Password to anyone or store or record the CC Password in written or other form. Upon registration as a CC user, the Signatory will be assigned a unique identifying account name.

B. Distribution, Initialization and Return of Tokens.

1. The Bank will physically deliver a Token to each Signatory in a manner to be determined by and satisfactory to the Bank.

2. At the time of delivery of a Token to a Signatory, the Signatory will receive a copy of these Terms and Conditions of Use for purposes of initializing the Token.

3. The Bank will verify that the Token, Temporary Password and Terms and Conditions of Use have been duly delivered to and received by the CC User.

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\(^6\) "Bank" includes IBRD and IDA.
\(^7\) "Borrower" includes the borrower of an IBRD loan, IDA credit, or Project Preparation Facility advance and the recipient of a grant.
4. Promptly upon receipt of the Token and Terms and Conditions of Use, the Signatory will access CC using his/her account name and CC Password and register his/her Token and set a personal identification number (PIN) to be used in connection with the use of his/her Token, after which the Token will be initialized for use by the Signatory exclusively for purposes of delivering Applications. Upon initialization of the Token, the Signatory will be a “Token User”. The Bank will maintain in its database a user account (Account) for each Token User for purposes of managing the Token of the Token User. Neither the Recipient nor the Token User will have any access to the Account.

5. Prior to first use of the Token by the Token User for delivering Applications, the Recipient shall ensure that the Token User has received training materials provided by the Bank in use of the Token.

6. Tokens shall be promptly returned to the Bank upon request of the Bank.

C. Management of Tokens.

1. Tokens will remain the property of the Bank.

2. Use of the Token is strictly limited to use in the delivery of Applications by the Token User in the manner prescribed by the Bank in the Agreement(s) and these Terms and Conditions. Any other use of the Token is prohibited.

3. The Bank assumes no responsibility or liability whatsoever for any misuse of the Token by the Token User, other representatives of the Recipient, or third parties.

4. The Recipient undertakes to ensure, and represents and warrants to the Bank (such representation and warranty being expressly relied upon by the Bank in delivery of a Token to each Token User) that each Token User is provided, understands and will abide by, these Terms and Conditions of Use, including without limitation the following:

   Security

4.1. The Token User shall not reveal his/her PIN to anyone or store or record the PIN in written or other form.

4.2. The Token User shall not allow anyone else to utilize a Token to deliver an Application to the Bank.

4.3. The Token User shall always logout from CC when not using the system. Failure to logout properly can create a route into the system that is unprotected.

4.4. If the Token User believes a third party has learned his/her PIN or has lost his/her Token he/she shall immediately notify clientconnection@worldbank.org.
4.5. The Recipient shall immediately notify the Bank at clientconnection@worldbank.org of any lost, stolen or compromised Tokens, and take other reasonable steps to ensure such Tokens are disabled immediately.

Care of Tokens

4.6. Tokens contain delicate and sophisticated instrumentation and therefore should be handled with due care, and should not be immersed in liquids, exposed to extreme temperatures, crushed or bent. Also, Tokens should be kept more than five (5) cm from devices that generate electromagnetic radiation (EMR), such as mobile phones, phone-enabled PDAs, smart phones and other similar devices. Tokens should be carried and stored separate from any EMR device. At close range (less than 5 cm), these devices can output high levels of EMR that can interfere with the proper operation of electronic equipment, including the Token.

4.7. Without derogating from these Terms and Conditions of Use, other technical instructions on the proper use and care Tokens are available at http://www.rsa.com.

5. Replacement

5.1. Lost, damaged, compromised (in terms of 4.5, above) or destroyed Tokens will be replaced at the expense of the Recipient.

5.2. The Bank reserves the right, in its sole discretion, not to replace any Token in the case of misuse, or not to reactivate a Token User’s Account

6. Reservation of Right to disable Token

6.1. The Recipient shall reserve the right to revoke the authorization of a Token User to use a Token for any reason.

6.2. The Recipient reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to temporarily or permanently disable a Token, de-activate a Token User’s Account or both.
Statement of Expenditures (SOE)

Payments made during the period from _______ to _______

For expenditures against the contracts not subject to the Bank Prior Review

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<th>Item No.</th>
<th>Category No. (**)</th>
<th>Currency and Total Amount of Contract</th>
<th>Currency and Total Amount of Invoice Covered by Application (Net of Retention)</th>
<th>Eligible % from Schedule 1 of Loan/Credit Agreement</th>
<th>Amount Eligible for Financing (4 x 5)</th>
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**TOTALES**

Supporting documents for this SOE retained at ____________________________

(insert location)

(*) A separate SOE form should be used for retroactive financing

(**) Items should be grouped by category; or alternatively, a separate SOE form may be used for each category
## Payments Made during Reporting Period Against Contracts Subject to the Bank’s Prior Review

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<th>Contract Number</th>
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<th>Contract Date</th>
<th>Contract Amount</th>
<th>Date of WB’s Non Objection to Contract</th>
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DESIGNATED ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION STATEMENT

1. TOTAL ADVANCED BY WORLD BANK (OR COFINANCER) $______________

2. LESS: TOTAL AMOUNT RECOVERED BY WORLD BANK - $______________

3. EQUALS PRESENT OUTSTANDING AMOUNT ADVANCED TO THE SPECIAL ACCOUNT (NUMBER 1 LESS NUMBER 2) = $______________

4. BALANCE OF SPECIAL ACCOUNT PER ATTACHED BANK STATEMENT AS OF DATE $______________

5. PLUS: TOTAL AMOUNT CLAIMED IN THIS APPLICATION NO. + $______________ *

6. PLUS: TOTAL AMOUNT WITHDRAWN AND NOT YET CLAIMED REASON: + $______________ *

7. PLUS: AMOUNTS CLAIMED IN PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS NOT YET CREDITED AT DATE OF BANK STATEMENTS

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| SUBTOTAL OF PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS NOT YET CREDITED + $______________

8. MINUS: INTEREST EARNED - $______________ *

9. TOTAL ADVANCE ACCOUNTED FOR (NO. 4 THROUGH NO. 9) - $______________

10. EXPLANATION OF ANY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TOTALS APPEARING ON LINES 3 AND 9: __________________________________________________________

11. DATE: ___________________ SIGNATURE: ___________________

TITLE: ___________________