Supplemental Contribution Amendment to the Contribution Agreement between the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development concerning the Global Partnership for Education Fund (MTO No. 069020)

Dear Mr. Fife:

1. We refer to the Contribution Agreement between the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (which assumed the rights and obligations of the Contributor from the Royal Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs) (the “Contributor”) and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the “Bank”), acting as trustee (the “Trustee”) of the Global Partnership for Education Fund (MTO No. 069020) (the “Trust Fund”) dated December 7, 2011, as amended (the “Contribution Agreement”).

2. We are pleased to acknowledge, on behalf of the Bank, the intention of the Contributor to make, subject to legislative appropriations, a supplemental contribution to the Trust Fund in the amount of two billion fifty-seven million five hundred and eighty-six thousand Norwegian Kroner (NOK 2,057,586,000) (the “Contribution”). It is acknowledged that the Contributor shall not be required to provide any amount in excess of the Contribution.

3. The Contributor shall deposit the Supplemental Contribution in accordance with the following schedule and in the currency specified in paragraph 2 above into such bank account designated by the Trustee (each amount deposited hereinafter referred to as an “Installment”) upon submission of a payment request by the Trustee:

   (A) By December 31, 2018 – NOK 677,586,000
   (B) By December 31, 2019 – NOK 690,000,000
   (C) By December 31, 2020 – NOK 690,000,000

4. The Contribution is being provided in Installments on the basis of financial needs of the Trust Fund. If, on the basis of the speed of the implementation of the activities and availability of funds in the Trust Fund, it is determined that it is necessary to either bring Installments forward or delay them, the Trustee and the Contributor will discuss and agree to revise the Installment schedule, as confirmed by the Trustee to the Contributor in writing.

5. When making a deposit, the Contributor shall instruct its corresponding bank to include in its payment details information (remittance advice) field of its SWIFT payment message, information indicating: the amount paid, that the payment is made by the Contributor for MTO No. 069020 (the Global Partnership for Education Fund), and the date of the deposit.
6. All other terms of the Contribution Agreement shall remain the same.

7. The Bank will disclose this supplemental contribution amendment (the “Supplemental Contribution Amendment”) and related information on this Trust Fund in accordance with the World Bank Policy on Access to Information. By entering into this Supplemental Contribution Amendment, the Contributor consents to disclosure of this Supplemental Contribution Amendment and related information on this Trust Fund.

8. Please confirm your agreement with the foregoing, on behalf of the Contributor, by signing, dating, and returning to us one of the enclosed originals of this Supplemental Contribution Amendment. Upon receipt by the Bank of the original of this Supplemental Contribution Amendment countersigned by you, this Supplemental Contribution Amendment will become effective as of the date of the countersignature.

Sincerely,

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
as Trustee of the Global Partnership for Education Fund

[Signature]
Dirk Reimermann
Director
Trust Funds and Partner Relations
Development Finance

AGREED:

NORWEGIAN AGENCY FOR DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION

By: [Signature] Date: 23/08/2018
Paul Fife
Director
Department of Education and Global Health