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Amendment to the Trust Fund Administration Agreement between the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and the International Development Association concerning the Middle East and North Africa (MNA) Region-wide Technical Assistance Multi-Donor Trust Fund (TF No.071840)  

1. We refer to the Trust Fund Administration Agreement between the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (the “Donor”) and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) and the International Development Association (IDA), (collectively, the “Bank”) regarding the Middle East and North Africa (MNA) Region-wide Technical Assistance Multi-Donor Trust Fund (TF No.071840) (the “Trust Fund”) effective May 03, 2012, as amended to date (the “Administration Agreement”).  

2. The Bank acknowledges that the Donor agrees to provide a supplemental contribution in the amount of not exceeding ten million Norwegian Kroners (NOK 10,000,000) (the “Additional Contribution”) for the Middle East and North Africa (MNA) Region-wide Technical Assistance Multi-Donor Trust Fund (TF No. 071840) (the “Trust Fund”), in accordance with the terms of this Amendment.  

3. The Donor shall deposit the Additional Contribution in accordance with the schedule below in the currency specified in section 2 above into such bank account designated by the Bank promptly following effectiveness of this Amendment and submission of a payment request by the Bank based on the financial needs of the Trust Fund. Disbursements after the current budget year are subject to parliamentary appropriations:  

(a) Promptly following countersignature of this Amendment NOK 6,000,000.  
(b) By December 15, 2014, NOK 4,000,000.  

The disbursement may only cover expenditures incurred up to a year after disbursement.  

4. When making a deposit, the Donor shall instruct its bank to include in its deposit details information (remittance advice) field of its SWIFT deposit message, information indicating: the amount deposited, that the deposit is made by the Donor for No.TF071840 (the Middle East and North Africa (MNA) Region-wide Technical Assistance Multi-Donor Trust Fund), and the date of the deposit (the “Deposit Instructions”). In addition, the Donor shall provide a copy of the Deposit Instructions to the Bank’s Accounting
Trust Funds Division by e-mail sent to tfremitadvice@worldbank.org or by fax sent to (202) 614-1315.

5. Immediately upon receipt of the Additional Contribution funds, the Bank will convert such funds into United States dollars.

6. This Amendment shall constitute an Amendment to the Administration Agreement between the Bank and the Donor.

7. All other terms of the Administration Agreement shall remain the same.

8. The Bank shall disclose this Amendment in accordance with the Bank’s Policy on Access to Information. By entering into this Amendment, the Donor consents to such disclosure.

9. By signing the Amendment below, the Parties accept the foregoing and confirm that they are authorized to enter into this Amendment and act in accordance with these terms and conditions. Two originals shall be signed and dated by both Parties, one returned to the Bank and one retained by the Donor. Upon possession by the Bank of this fully signed Amendment, this Amendment shall become effective as of the date of the last signature. The Bank will promptly notify the Donor when the Amendment becomes effective.

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