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The Government of Canada and the Government of the Republic of Burundi,

wishing to strengthen the existing cordial relations between their countries and their peoples, and

desiring to foster development cooperation between them in conformity with the economic and social development objectives of the Government of the Republic of Burundi,

have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE I

The Government of Canada and the Government of the Republic of Burundi shall under this Agreement promote a program of development cooperation between the two countries, consisting of the following components:

- the sending of appraisal and evaluation missions to Burundi to study and analyze development projects;
- (b) the granting of fellowships to nationals of Burundi for studies and professional training in Canada, Burundi or a third country;
- (C) the assignment of experts, advisers and other specialists to Burundi;
- (d) the provision of equipment, materials, goods and services required for the successful execution of development projects in Burundi;
- the development and carrying out of studies and projects allowing the attainment of the objectives outlined in this Agreement;
- (f) the implementation of development projects by Canadian non-governmental institutions and organizations, including educational institutions at all levels;

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- (g) the implementation of cooperation projects or activities by associating Canadian private firms with partners in the private and public sectors of Burundi;
- (h) the encouragement and promotion of relations between firms, institutions and persons of the two countries; and
- any other form of assistance which may be mutually agreed upon.

ARTICLE II

The Government of the Republic of Burundi shall submit requests to the Government of Canada through the Ambassador of Canada accredited to the Government of the Republic of Burundi, and the Government of Canada shall submit responses and proposals to the Government of the Republic of Burundi through the Ambassador of Burundi to Canada or by any other means which may be mutually agreed upon.

ARTICLE III

- In support of the objectives of this Agreement, the Government of Canada and the Government of the Republic of Burundi may enter into subsidiary arrangements in respect of specific projects involving one or several components of the program described in Article I, with the exception of those referred to in paragraphs f) and g).
- 2. The projects referred to in paragraphs f) and g) of Article I shall be covered by a subsidiary arrangement between the Government of the Republic of Burundi and the recipient of the contribution of the Government of Canada.
- Unless otherwise indicated, subsidiary arrangements regarding contributions of the Government of Canada shall be considered administrative arrangements.
- 4. Subsidiary arrangements shall make specific reference to this Agreement and the terms of this Agreement shall, unless otherwise indicated, apply to such arrangements.
- 5. The projects referred to in paragraphs f) and g) of Article I shall be covered by contribution arrangements between the Government of Canada, acting through the

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Canadian International Development Agency, and the Canadian non-governmental organizations or institutions or firms concerned.

6. Subsidiary arrangements concerning projects jointly financed by the Government of Canada and an intermediary organization may, with the consent of the Governments of Canada and of the Republic of Burundi, be entered into through such an organization as the administrator of funds provided by Canada in the manner and under the conditions required by such organization.

ARTICLE IV

Unless otherwise indicated, the Government of Canada shall assume the responsibilities described in Annex "A", and the Government of the Republic of Burundi shall assume those described in Annex "B" in respect of any project referred to in this Agreement. Annexes "A" and "B" shall be an integral part of this Agreement.

ARTICLE V

The Government of the Republic of Burundí shall ensure that the development assistance contribution cannot be used to pay taxes, fees, customs duties or other levies and charges imposed directly or indirectly by the Government of the Republic of Burundi on any goods, materials, equipment, vehicles and services purchased or acquired for, or related to, the execution of any project being carried out in Burundi.

ARTICLE VI

For the purposes of this Agreement:

- "Canadian firms" means firms and non-governmental organizations or institutions in Canada or in a country other than Burundi engaged in a project;
- (b) "Canadian personnel" means Canadians or citizens of any country other than Burundi, or non-permanent residents of Burundi, who are working on a project in Burundi;

(C) "dependent" means