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Satama – Sandegue Road Rehabilitation Project, Cote d’Ivoire: Lenders ESIA Non-Technical Summary for Disclosure

As the Exporters seeking financing for the delivery of the Satama – Sandegue Road Rehabilitation Project, Cote d’Ivoire, we are pleased to present the Non-Technical Summary (NTS) of a ‘Lenders’ Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) that has been prepared to adhere to the environmental and social standards of potential lenders¹.

However, we acknowledge that there are several gaps in the ESIA supporting the NTS as follows:

- Biodiversity – in particular a complete screening for critical habitat, mapping & quantification of natural & modified habitat and elaboration of how mitigation will be delivered;
- Quantification of ‘scope 3’ greenhouse gas emissions for the rehabilitation works;
- Elaboration of likely noise impacts and mitigation during operation;

Furthermore, the ESIA is to be accompanied by the following:

- A Framework Environmental and Social Management Plan;
- A Land Acquisition and Resettlement Framework;
- A Stakeholder Engagement Plan inclusive of a grievance redress mechanism.

¹ These standards include the OECD’s Recommendation of the Council on Common Approaches for Officially Supported Export Credits and Environmental and Social Due Diligence (typically referred to as the OECD Common Approaches) (2016); the Equator Principles (version 3 of 2013); the International Finance Corporation (IFC)’s Environmental and Social Performance Standards (PSs) (2012) and relevant World Bank Group Environmental Health and Safety Guidelines, including the General EHS Guidelines and EHS Guidelines for Construction Materials Extraction.

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As stated in the NTS, Razel-Bec UK Ltd (on behalf of the Joint Venture Razel-Bec UK Ltd / JC&P Ivory Coast Ltd) are committed to addressing these gaps to Lenders satisfaction via a series of supplementary documents to be provided to Lenders prior to securing financing for this Project.

Yours Sincerely,



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