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PUBLIC NOTICE

Subject: Disclosure of the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) for Coca Cola Factory to Red Light Intersection (2.1 km) Road Project - LIBRAMP

Through financial assistance from the World Bank, the Government of Liberia is to embark on the rehabilitation and maintenance of the Coca Cola Factory to Red Light Intersection (2.1km) Road corridor under the Liberia Road Asset Management Project (LIBRAMP). The Road Contract is contracted to Chongqing International Construction Cooperation.

The project has four components. Civil work under component I entail the construction of combination of **dual** and **single** carriage roads within the 75ft RoW on either side of the center of the road. However, in order to minimize impacts on livelihoods of petty traders, the GoL has adopted a road design modification in the section of the road where petty traders are active.

The dual carriage road will be constructed in the section of the road starting from Ab Tolbert intersection to Coca Cola Factory and from AB Tolbert to Red-Light intersection with 75ft RoW on both sides from the centerline of the existing Road.

The single carriage road will be constructed in the section of the road between AB Tolbert road and Somalia Drive with the 50ft carriageway - leaving the remaining 25ft of the RoW for petty trader to carry on their livelihood activities. The project will construct fence, with multiple passages in various locations, separating the 50ft carriageway from the 25ft road reserved for petty traders.

Civil works under Component I is expected to impact private and public properties, businesses, tenants, landlords and vulnerable people who are residing within the 2.1km of the road corridor. A Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) has been prepared and put in place in order to mitigate social and economic risks associated with component I impacts on Project Affected Persons (PAPs). As a precondition to cite clearing and as part of impact mitigation measure, the project will compensate and assist PAPs: a) for losses of structures, b) for losses of income, c) with relocation and disturbance allowances and, d) with document processing fees as stated in the RAP and as agreed with each PAP.

All affected structures and other properties owners are asked to present proof of ownership such as copy of attestations, valid identification card, passport or voter registration card and two recent passport sized photos or other relevant documents to the Infrastructure Implementation Unit, Ministry of Public Works to

establish ownership. No compensation payment will be made until proper ownership of affected properties is established.

PAPs who have received their full compensation payments are expected to clear the impact cite, voluntarily, on October 15, 2018, after a grace period of two months. The 2.1km corridor is expected to be handed over to Chongqing International Construction Cooperation on October 22, 2018. Construction is planned to start in November, 2018

PAPs who have dispute(s) or disagreement(s) with compensation payments and other related matters should file their complaints to the Project Level GRM. In circumstances where dispute(s) is/are not resolved at project level GRM, the case can be taken to the IIU/MPW GRM. In circumstances where dispute(s) is/are not resolved at project and IIU/MPW levels, PAP(s) can lodge their complaints to the World Bank Office in Monrovia. Complaints by PAPs should be filed to their respective GRMs five days form the day the dispute aroused. PAPs are advised to follow the procedures and steps while filing complaints.

The location of the project level GRM is at Paynesville City Municipality. The location of the IIU/MPW GRM is at UN Drive in Monrovia. The World Bank office is located at Congo Town in Monrovia

The Full RAP is uploaded on the website of the World Bank, IIU (<http://www.iiu-mpw.org>) & MPW (<http://www.mpw.gov.lr>) for information of all interested people and stakeholders. The execution of the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) before commencement of civil work is a mandatory requirement of the World Bank's policy on Involuntary Resettlement (OP/BP 4.12), and this is agreed with the GoL.

Information/Inquiry

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