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Sub: 'Integrated Community Based Center for Children and Protection and Swim Safe Facilities Project (1st phase)''

Ref: 1. Letter received from Bloomberg Philanthropies dated: 4 February 2021

2. Economic Relations Division (ERD) letter: 09.00.0000.041.14.004.20.60, Date: 30/05/2021

With reference to the above letter, the undersigned is directed to inform that the Ministry of Women and Children Affairs (MoWCA) has agreed to implement the project titled, 'Integrated Community Based Center for Children and Protection and Swim Safe Facilities Project (1st phase)'. Following the procedure the Development Project Proposal (DPP) has already been developed and sent to the Planning Commission for approval. As per the Rules of Business of the Government of Bangladesh, Economic Relations Division (ERD) would give assurance of foreign financing during approval of the project.

- 02. To facilitate the process, ERD vide their letter under reference-2 has requested MoWCA to develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between MoWCA and Bloomberg Philanthropies which would be signed by ERD and Bloomberg Philanthropies later.
- 03. Under this circumstances, it would be highly appreciated, if you could send the draft Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to be signed between ERD and Bloomberg Philanthropies.

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3) Director, Bangladesh Shishu Academy, Old High Court Area, Dhaka.

4) PS to Secretary, Ministry of Women and Children Affairs, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.