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Subject: No-cost extension amendment request – Amendment: MDGF-1930 – “*Engaging Tunisian Youth to Achieve the MDGs*”
Youth, Employment and Migration - Thematic Window

I. Approval Status

Further to the approved memo dated 25 January 2012 granting an initial no-cost extension until 07 May 2013 for the Joint Programme “*Engaging Tunisian Youth to Achieve the MDGs*”, we are pleased to inform you that, as per your request, the MDG-F Secretariat has amended the no-cost extension Memo to grant an additional extension of fifteen (15) days to enable the adequate closure of the joint programme. Thus, the new end date of the Joint Programme is 22 May 2013.

Please note that this is a one-time only amendment intended to allow the Joint Programme to complete its final activities. At this end date, the programme should be operationally closed, so that no new financial commitments are made, only outstanding payments. Any unspent funds within the agreed timeframe (22 May 2013) will have to be reimbursed to the MDG-F.

II. Monitoring and Reporting

Please be reminded that each Joint Programme is responsible for preparing the Final Narrative Report and upload it on the Multi-Partner Trust Fund Gateway no later than one (1) month after operational closure.

We would highly appreciate it if you could forward this memo to all participating UN agencies to the Joint Programme, and each participating UN agency should forward the memo to their corresponding HQs. Further information on the closure of programmes is available on the revised “MDG-F Joint Implementation Guidelines” uploaded on the MDG-F website (www.mdgfund.org).

With best wishes.

cc.:

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