

Performance Security (Bank Guarantee)

To: *[name and address of IOM Office]*

WHEREAS *[name and address of Contractor]* (hereinafter called “the Contractor”) has undertaken, in pursuance of Contract No. *[number]* dated *[date]* to execute *[name of Contract and brief description of Works, Services, or Goods]* (hereinafter called “the Contract”);

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the Contractor shall furnish you with a Performance Security by a recognized bank for the sum specified therein as security for compliance with its obligations in accordance with the Contract (the “Performance Security”);

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the Contractor such a Performance Security;

NOW THEREFORE we hereby affirm that we are the Guarantor and responsible to you, on behalf of the Contractor, up to a total of *[amount of Guarantee]* *[amount in words]* (“*Guarantee Amount*”), such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price (as defined in the Contract) is payable, and we undertake to pay you, immediately upon your first written demand and without cavil or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of the *Guarantee Amount* as aforesaid without your needing to prove or to show grounds or reasons for your demand for the sum specified therein. We further undertake to indemnify you for any cost, loss or liability incurred by you as a result of our failure to comply with the terms of this Performance Security.

We hereby waive the necessity of your demanding the said debt from the Contractor or from any other party before presenting us with the demand. We further confirm you do not need to proceed against or enforce any other rights or security or claim payment from any person before claiming under this Performance Security.

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract or of the Works, Services or Goods (each as defined in the Contract) to be performed thereunder or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between you and the Contractor shall in any way release us from any liability under this Performance Security, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition, or modification.

This Performance Security shall be valid until *[For Construction Contracts include the following, provided it is aligned with the signed Contract: “the date of Provisional Acceptance as per the Construction Contract”; If a performance security is required for other procurement contracts, insert the date by which the vendor should complete all the services or provide all the goods, as indicated in the contract]*. Any claims hereunder must be submitted to us not later than the said expiry date, after which date this Performance Security automatically becomes null and void.

Nothing in or relating to this Performance Security shall be deemed a waiver, express or implied, of any of the privileges and immunities of the International Organization for Migration as an intergovernmental organization.

Signature and seal of the Guarantor _____

Name and position of signatory _____

Name of Bank _____

Address _____

Date _____