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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND ANIMAL RESOURCES



MINISTERE DE L'AGRICULTURE ET DES RESSOURCES ANIMALES

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER

Date: 0 5 AUG 2020 N° 1250 11/30 1

Ms. Rolande Pryce Country Manager, World Bank Rwanda

Dear Rolande,

Re: COVID-19 RESPONSE ADDITIONAL FUNDING PROPOSAL

We are pleased to submit Rwanda's proposal for additional funding under the Global Agriculture and Food Security Program (GAFSP). If approved, the proposal would contribute significantly to mitigating COVID-19 impact

Rwanda's GAFSP additional funding proposal seeks to support Sustainable Agricultural Intensification and Food Security Project (SAIP) in easing the severity of COVID-19 impact. SAIP aims at enhancing Agriculture development by ensuring the ultimate result of improving livelihoods and food and nutrition security through increased agriculture productivity, value addition and access to markets in an environmentally sustainable manner.

We thank you in advance for your consideration of our proposal under GAFSP Public Sector Window. We would like to reassure you that your support would remarkably contribute to Rwanda's response for short-to-medium term COVID-19 impact.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Gerardine MUKESHI

Minister of Agriculture and Animal Resources

CC:

- Director General/RAB

- Coordinator SPIU World Bank Funded Projects