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**THE MINISTER**

**To**

**M. Andreas Drews**

**ABS Capacity Development Initiative**

**Subject:** *Letter of Appreciation*

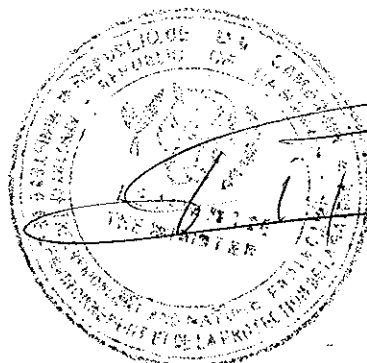
*Re: Organization of the 6<sup>th</sup> Pan African ABS Workshop  
30 Jan -3<sup>rd</sup> Feb, 2012. Limbe Cameroon*

With reference to the 6<sup>th</sup> Pan African Workshop on Access and Benefit Sharing recently organized in Limbe Cameroon through the collaborative efforts of our institutions, MINEPDED, COMIFAC and the ABS Initiative,

I have the honour, on behalf of the Government and the People of the Republic of Cameroon to express our appreciation for the sponsorship, the quality of the technical input and your personal endeavours that significantly contributed to the successful outcomes of the 6<sup>th</sup> Pan African regional workshop on ABS.

The success of the meeting will provide great impetus for Africa and the countries in the region to develop and implement appropriate ABS frameworks relevant in ensuring that benefits from accessing Africa's genetic resources are shared equitably and provide for the effective realization of the goals of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

I look forward to greater collaborative efforts as we move on in this process.



*HELE PLOTTE*