**SECOND AMENDMENT**

TO THE

DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVE GRANT AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA,

ACTING THROUGH THE STATE CHANCELLERY

AND

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

ACTING THROUGH

THE UNITED STATES AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

FOR

MORE EFFECTIVE AND ACCOUNTABLE DEMOCRATIC GOVERNANCE

**USAID Grant Agreement 117-0001-DG-DOAG**

DATE: April 23, 2018

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**DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVE GRANT AGREEMENT FOR**

**MORE EFFECTIVE AND ACCOUNTABLE DEMOCRATIC GOVERNANCE**

BETWEEN

The Government of the Republic of Moldova, acting through the State Chancellery (hereinafter referred to as the “Grantee”)

AND

The Government of the United States of America, acting through the United States Agency for International Development (“USAID”)

1. Purpose of the Amendment

This second amendment (the “Second Amendment”) to the USAID Development Objective Grant Agreement for More Effective and Accountable Democratic Governance, dated September 28, 2016 (as amended, the “Agreement”), is hereby entered into between USAID and the Grantee (together, the “Parties”) in order to add Fourteen Million, Four Hundred and Four Thousand United States (“U.S.”) Dollars ($14,404,000)in incremental Grant funding; and amend the Financial Plan. This incremental addition of funds brings the total funds obligated to date under the Agreement to an amount not to exceed Thirty Two Million, Six Hundred Twenty Seven Thousand and Three Hundred Twenty Four U.S. Dollars ($32,627,324).

2. Financing

Article 3, Section 3.1, paragraph (a), “The Grant,” is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

(a) The Grant. To help achieve the Objective set forth in this Agreement, USAID, pursuant to the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, hereby grants to the Grantee under the terms of the Agreement not to exceed Thirty Two Million, Six Hundred Twenty Seven Thousand and Three Hundred Twenty Four U.S. Dollars ($32,627,324) (the “Grant”).

3. Financial Plan

The Development Objective Grant Agreement 117-0001-DG-DOAG Financial Plan is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with a new Financial Plan, attached hereto as Annex 1.

4. Other Terms and Conditions

Except as amended herein, all other terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect.

In witness whereof, the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Moldova, acting through their respective duly authorized representatives, have caused this Second Amendment of the USAID Development Objective Grant Agreement for More Effective and Accountable Democratic Governance, to be signed and made effective as of this 23 day of April, 2018.

Government of the Republic of MOLDOVA

BY:

NAME: Pavel Filip

TITLE: Prime Minister of the Republic of Moldova

DATE: 4.23.2018

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Government of the united States of America

BY:

NAME: Karen Hilliard

TITLE: USAID Moldova Mission Director

DATE: 4.23.2018

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Annex 1 to the Second Amendment to the Development Objective Grant Agreement (DOAG)

No. 117-0001-DG-DOAG for More Effective and Accountable Democratic Governance

Financial Plan (U.S.$)

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|  | **Previously Obligated**  | **By this Amendment**  | **Total Obligations to Date** |
| **Result 1: Increased Citizen Engagement and Oversight in Governmental Decision Making** | **$6,635,971**  | **$6,451,528** | **$13,087,499** |
|  Program Area: Political Competition & Consensus-Building | $2,893,960  | $3,001,538 | $5,895,498 |
|  Program Area: Civil Society | $3,742,011  | $3,449,990 | $7,192,001 |
| **Result 2: Justice System is More Transparent and Accountable** | **$6,543,443**  | **$1,690,305** | **$8,233,748** |
|  Program Area: Rule of Law & Human Rights | $6,543,443  | $1,690,305 | **$8,233,748** |
| **Result 3: Local Government is More Responsive to Citizens’ Needs** | **$4,633,173** | **$5,523,123** | **$10,156,296** |
|  Program Area: Good Governance | $4,633,173 | $5,523,123 | **$10,156,296** |
| **Program Support** | **$410,737**  | **$739,044** | **$1,149,781** |
| **Total Estimated Budget** | **$18,223,324** | **$14,404,000** | **$32,627,324** |