



Millennium Challenge Corporation

Reducing Poverty Through Growth

October 12, 2004

The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr.
Ranking Minority Member
Committee on Foreign Relations
United States Senate
439 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Biden, Jr.:

Pursuant to Section 610(a) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, this letter is provided to you to initiate the 15-day consultation period prior to the start of Compact negotiations with an eligible country. The Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) will in the near future be ready to begin Compact negotiations with Madagascar. Members of MCC's staff are available to meet with you, at your convenience, to discuss these planned negotiations.

If you or your staff would like to arrange a meeting, please contact Cassandra Jastrow at (202) 521-3855. We look forward to working with you as we begin our first Compact negotiations with MCA eligible countries.

Sincerely,

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Chief Executive Officer



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The Honorable Robert C. Byrd
Ranking Minority Member
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
S-125 A United States Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Byrd:

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The Honorable Jim Kolbe
Chairman
Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs
United States House of Representatives
HB-26 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Kolbe:

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The Honorable Tom Lantos
Ranking Minority Member
Committee on International Relations
United States House of Representatives
B-360 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Lantos:

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The Honorable Patrick J. Leahy
Ranking Minority Member
Subcommittee on Foreign Operations
United States Senate
123 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Leahy:

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The Honorable Nita M. Lowery
Ranking Minority Member
Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs
United States House of Representatives
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congresswoman Lowery:

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The Honorable Richard G. Lugar
Chairman
Committee on Foreign Relations
United States Senate
450 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Lugar:

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The Honorable Mitch McConnell
Chairman
Subcommittee on Foreign Operations
United States Senate
142 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman McConnell:

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The Honorable David Obey
Ranking Minority Member
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Thad Cochran
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
S-128 United States Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Cochran:

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
H-218 United States Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Lewis:

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The Honorable Henry J. Hyde
Chairman
Committee on International Relations
United States House of Representatives
2170 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Hyde:

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