

Grant Confirmation

1. This document, dated as of the date of last signature below, is issued under, and constitutes a **Grant Confirmation** as referred to in, the Framework Agreement (effective as of 2 April 2015), as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "Framework Agreement") between the **Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria** (the "Global Fund") and the **International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease** (the "Grantee") for the Program described herein.
2. This Grant Confirmation supplements, forms part of, and is subject to the Framework Agreement. Each capitalized term used but not defined in this Grant Confirmation shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Framework Agreement (including the Global Fund Grant Regulations (2014)). In the event of any inconsistency between this Grant Confirmation and the Framework Agreement (including the Global Fund Grant Regulations (2014)), the provision of this Grant Confirmation shall govern.
3. The Global Fund and the Grantee hereby confirm the following:

3.1	Host Country or Region:	Republic of India
3.2	(Disease) Component:	Tuberculosis
3.3	Program Title:	Axshya - "Enhancing access to quality TB care for vulnerable and marginalised populations through innovative and sustainable interventions, community participation and engagement of all healthcare providers"
3.4	Grant Name:	IDA-T-IUATLD
3.5	GA Number:	833
3.6	Grant Funds:	Up to the amount of US\$23,152,396.00 (Twenty-Three Million One Hundred Fifty-Two Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety-Six US Dollars) or its equivalent in other currencies.
3.7	Implementation Period:	From 01 October 2015 to 31 December 2017

3.8	The Principal Recipient Nominated:	International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease C-6 Qubub institutional area, New Delhi 110 016 Republic of India Attention: Dr. Jamhoih Tonsing Regional Director Telephone: 91 11-4605-4400 Facsimile: 91 11-4605-4430 Email: jtonsing@theunion.org
3.9	Fiscal Year of the Principal Recipient:	01 April to 31 March
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4. The details of the Program, the Program Activities and related implementation arrangements are set forth in Schedule I (Integrated Grant Description). The Grantee shall implement the Program in accordance with the detailed Program budget agreed with the Global Fund and adhere to the provisions of the "Global Fund Guidelines for Grant Budgeting and Annual Financial Reporting" (2014, as amended from time to time), available at the Global Fund's Internet site, throughout the Implementation Period.
5. The Global Fund and the Grantee further agree that the following requirement is applicable to this Grant Confirmation:
- 5.1. The use of Grant Funds by the Principal Recipient to finance operational research studies and

surveys that are proposed to be conducted under the Program (each, an "Operational Research Study or Survey") is subject to the satisfaction of each of the following conditions with respect to the relevant Operational Research Study or Survey:

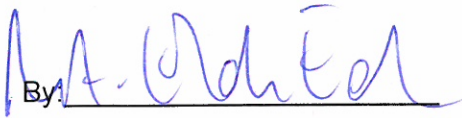
- 5.1.1. the delivery by the Principal Recipient to the Global Fund, in form and substance satisfactory to the Global Fund, of a study protocol, including the detailed costed work plan, for such Operational Research Study or Survey (the "Study Protocol"); and
- 5.1.2. the written approval by the Global Fund of the Study Protocol.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Global Fund and the Grantee have caused this Grant Confirmation to be executed and delivered by their respective duly authorized representatives as of the date of last signature below.

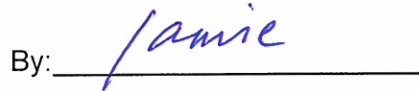
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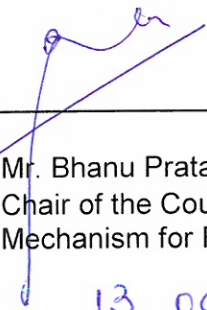
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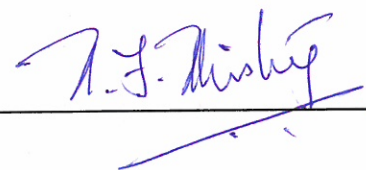
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Date: 28/1/2016

Schedule 1
Integrated Grant Description

Country:	Republic of India
Program Title:	Axshya- "Enhancing access to quality TB care for vulnerable and marginalised populations through innovative and sustainable interventions, community participation and engagement of all healthcare providers".
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Grant Number:	833
Disease:	Tuberculosis
Principal Recipient:	International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease

A. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

1. Background and Rationale for the Program

The Union is currently implementing Project 'Axshya' (meaning TB free) with support from the Global Fund in 300 districts across 21 states of the country with the objective of enhancing reach, visibility, and effectiveness of the national TB program and engaging civil society organisations and community-based providers to facilitate TB services especially for vulnerable and marginalised populations.

The proposed project aims to further enhance access to quality assured TB services focussing on the vulnerable and marginalised populations (also called 'most at risk' populations) in 285 project districts including interventions in 40 urban sites focussing on high risk populations and private healthcare providers thus contributing to the overall goal of universal access as per the National Strategic Plan of RNTCP.

2. Goals, Strategies and Activities

Goal:

- Achieve universal access to quality TB Care and Control (with a specific focus on vulnerable and marginalised populations).

Objectives:

- To strengthen systems for prevention, early diagnosis of TB and HIV in co-infected individuals for improved outcomes;
- To strengthen systems to enhance access to both TB and HIV services, quality of care, monitoring & evaluation;
- To enhance and upscale high impact TB diagnostics, treatment and prevention high among vulnerable and marginalized population in both urban and rural districts;

- To improve access to early diagnosis and treatment of Drug Resistant TB services;
- To engage with private sector and other providers outside RNTCP for public health impact for TB Control;
- To strengthen evidence for guiding future policy for HIV and TB care and prevention; and
- To strengthen community system for both HIV and TB care and reduction in stigma and discrimination.

Strategies:

- TB care and prevention
- TB-HIV
- MDR TB

Planned Activities:

- Enhancing access to ensure early diagnosis and treatment initiation through:
 - Enhanced case finding (Axshya SAMVAD)
 - Facilitating diagnosis through sputum collection and transportation
 - Sensitisation and engagement of private healthcare providers
 - Creating awareness about TB through meetings with community groups, committees and institutions at the sub-district level.
- Engaging range of private healthcare providers (unqualified to corporate hospitals) to ensure appropriate management and notification of TB cases.
- Supporting treatment adherence of TB patients (including DR-TB) through:
 - Innovative use of ICT and mobile technology.
 - Counselling services
 - Provision of flexi-DOT through kiosks
- Ensuring uninterrupted diagnostic services by supporting maintenance of binocular microscopes (BMs):
 - Empowering affected community through
 - Sensitisation on their rights and responsibilities
 - Strengthening the District TB Forums
 - Strengthening TB-HIV collaborative activities by sensitising and engaging TIs, DLNs, CSCs and ART centres.
- Technical support to RNTCP at the central and state levels on key areas including ACSM, M&E and PPM.
- Sensitising and engaging corporates for mobilizing resources under the corporate social responsibility.
- Undertaking research on areas of national priority to inform policy.

3. Target Group/Beneficiaries

The key target groups include:

- At risk populations including slum dwellers, migrants, homeless, tribals, PLHIV, contacts, geographically remote slums, tribals, PLHIV, occupationally and medically predisposed (diabetics,

silicotics etc.), contacts, geographically remote and marginalised groups with poor access to TB services.

- Private healthcare providers ranging from unqualified practitioners to corporate hospitals and laboratories.

B. PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK

Please see attached.

C. SUMMARY BUDGET

Please see attached.