

## Re: Fw: Letter of Request and Concept Note

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Date: Friday, August 13, 2021, 09:25 AM GMT

No objection from LibTA

Thanks.

On Mon, 9 Aug 2021 at 12:22 jeffrey Yates <j.yates2007@yahoo.com> wrote:

Dear MSG Members,

Below is an email from the African Center for Energy Policy indicating that the trip to the Ghana EITI is not possible due to a straight Covid-19 regulation. However, ACEP requests that the LEITI Secretariat submit a new concept note and budget detailing an activity it intends to use for the US\$10,000.00.

Given the above, the Secretariat suggests that the amount be directed at supporting the dissemination of the Abridged Simplified Contract Matrix. The dissemination of the Abridged Simplified Contract Matrix is in line with the Contract Transparency requirement of the EITI which took effect as of January 1, 2021.

Additionally, the Finance and Administration chairman is suggesting the below institutions serve both on the shortlisting and interview committees to recruit the Deputy Head of Secretariat.

<b>Shortlisting Committee</b>	
Members	Date
Press Union of Liberia	August 12-18, 2021
Liberia Revenue Authority	August 12-18, 2021
National Oil Company of Liberia	August 12-18, 2021
Liberia Timber Association	August 12-18, 2021

<b>Interview Committee</b>	
Members	Date
Ministry of Finance and Development Planning	August 26-27, 2021
Arcelor Mittal	August 26-27, 2021

Publish What You Pay	August 26-27, 2021
General Auditing Commission	August 26-27, 2021
Center for Transparency and Accountability	August 26-27, 2021
GIZ	August 26-27, 2021

Kindly state your **no objection approval** to the above activities before the close of the business day on Wednesday, August 11, 2021.

Thanks.

LEITI Secretariat

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**Sent:** Saturday, August 7, 2021, 07:59:26 PM GMT  
**Subject:** Re: Letter of Request and Concept Note

Dear Mr. Yates,

I trust you are doing well.  
 Following your request to facilitate your peer learning visit to the Ghana EITI for which you submitted an official request for the USD10,000 support, I write to inform you that the Ghana EITI is indefinitely unavailable for the peer learning visit. This is because of the 3rd wave of COVID which presents risks of contracting the virus. According to the Coordinator of the Ghana EITI, this is a policy decision which was taken at the level of the Minister and has been applied to postpone similar engagements with the Sierra Leone EITI and the International Secretariat.

For this reason, ACEP's management requires that you submit a new concept and budget detailing what you intend to apply ACEP's support to for review and approval. This is necessary to ensure there is clarity on how the support will be used to strengthen and sustain EITI implementation in Liberia. I standby to receive the new concept and budget. Please do not hesitate to reach out for any clarity you may require. Thank you.

Best regards,  
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On 27 Jul 2021, at 1:57 PM, jeffrey Yates <j.yates2007@yahoo.com> wrote:

Dear Mr. Boakye,

I hope all is well at your end.

Kindly find attached an official letter of request and approved concept note along with the budget for the transfer of the ten thousand united states dollars (US\$10,000.00).