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Subject: Annual Program Statement (APS) Number: APS-680-11-000001
APS Title: Support Education for Children with Disabilities and Strengthen the Capacities of Disabled People's Organizations (DPOs) in Benin.

This amendment is issued to respond to questions received by the due date for the APS clarification questions of June 6, 2011.

1. **Question:** The APS announcement states the deadline for submission of applications as June 30th. However, p. 1 of Annex A states the deadline for submission as June 20th. Please confirm the correct closing date.

Answer: The closing date for application submission is June 30, 2011 as stated on the cover page of the APS.

2. **Question:** I have one question regarding APS-680-11-000001, "Support Education for Children with Disabilities and Strengthen the Capacities of Disabled People's Organizations (DPOs) in Benin." On page 1 of annex a and b, the closing date is June 20, 2011. However, on page 1 of the APS, the closing date is June 30, 2011. Could you please confirm the correct closing date?

Answer: Same as above

3. **Question:** Are US, for-profit companies eligible to bid on the above captioned project?

Answer: US, for-profit organizations are not eligible under this APS. Details are provided on Pages 7 and 8 of the APS on the types of organizations that may apply for USAID funding under this APS.

No further questions will be entertained for this APS.

Except as specifically amended herein, all other terms and conditions of the subject APS remains unchanged and in full force and effect.