

## **ACUERDO BILATERAL**

**Clasificación: 54-2011**

**Fecha de Ingreso: 13 de febrero de 2012**

**Nombre del Acuerdo: Fourth Article of Amendment for the Memorandum of Understanding between the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States and the Young Americas Business Trust (YABT) concerning the execution of activities under the program "Competitiveness Program".**

**Materia: Fourth Article of Amendment concerning the execution of activities under the program "Competitiveness Program".**

**Partes: SG/ Young Americas Business Trust (YABT)**

**Referencia: Young Americas Business Trust (YABT)**

**Fecha de Firma: 10 de noviembre de 2011**

**Fecha de Inicio**

**Fecha de Terminación**

**Lugar de Firma: Washington D.C.**

**Unidad Encargada: Department of Economic Development, Trade and Tourism (SEDI).**

**Persona Encargada:**

**Original**

**Claves**

**Cierres del proceso**

#### FOURTH ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

Pursuant to Article 10.1 of the Memorandum of Understanding between the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States (GS/OAS), through the Executive Secretariat for Integral Development (SEDI), and the Young Americas Business Trust (YABT) concerning the execution of activities under the program "Competitiveness Program" [hereinafter the MOU] signed on Tuesday August 10, 2010, the First Articles of Amendment agreed on August 13, 2010, the Second Articles of Amendment agreed on February 2011, and the Third Articles of Amendment agreed on August 8, 2011, the duly authorized representatives of the Parties under the MOU agree on the following:

#### AMENDMENTS:

1.1. Upon the signing of these Articles of Amendment, GS/OAS will make available to YABT the amount of US\$ 4,100.00 (hereinafter the "GS/OAS Contribution"), to implement activities under the MOU. This contribution will be transferred to the account specified by the YABT coordinator as established in the MOU.

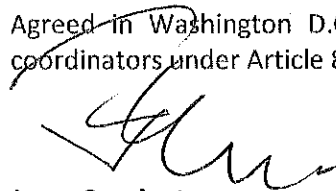
1.2. The activities and allocation of the GS/OAS Contribution are detailed in Appendix IV to the MOU. The updated budget and activities do not change the nature of the Program pursuant to Article 3.3 of the MOU and are fully authorized in writing by the OAS/SEDI Program Manager.

1.3. The Parties agree that the MOU shall remain in force until December 31, 2011 pursuant to Article 10.2 of the MOU.

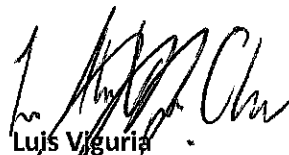
1.4. As part of the execution of the MOU, the Parties will consult and determine if further contributions are required and will provide for an additional amendment in writing to the MOU as required by Article 10.1.

1.5. These Articles of Amendment have been agreed in writing by the coordinators and authorized representatives of the Parties and transmitted by electronic mail as provided for in the MOU in Articles 10.1 and 10.2.

Agreed in Washington D.C., on November 10, 2011, by the duly authorized representatives and coordinators under Article 8.1 of the MOU.



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**APPENDIX IV, MOU GS/OAS DEDTT-YABT regarding the COMPETITIVENESS PROGRAM**

Main Activity	Planned	GS/OAS/SEDI	YABT	Total Funds
Support SEDI's competitiveness program through: (i) providing assistance to implement the first phase of RIAC's Work Plan (2011-2012) which includes follow up activities to the selection process from the 10 principles of competitiveness by OAS Member States and a draft format to prepare progress reports by countries; (ii) Support the coordination and mainstreaming of RIAC's work and competitiveness principles into other Ministerial processes of the Executive Secretariat of Integral Development (SEDI) (including science and technology, labor, education, sustainable development, MSMEs, Culture, Education, and other relevant areas, as mandated by the "Consensus of Santo Domingo")	Dec. 2011	\$4,100.00	\$800.00	\$4,900.00
TOTALS		<b>\$4,100.00</b>	<b>\$800.00</b>	<b>\$4,900.00</b>