

**THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
TANZANIA INVESTMENT CENTRE,
P. O. BOX 938,
DAR ES SALAAM.**

Dear Sir /Madam,

**RE: REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF CERTIFICATE OF INCENTIVES NO.
110102**

Reference is made to the above mentioned subject.

We, Viettel Tanzania PLC, a public company invested under the TIC scheme from 2014, and granted the above quoted certificate of Incentives, hereby request your office for an extension of the incentives and certificate in order to successfully complete the investment project as intended.

Our investment project has currently reached 75% whereas the remaining 25% has not been completed due to several reasons as detailed below:

1. The project is designed and separated into different phases; therefore we fail to move to another phase before completing the one at hand.
2. Most of the equipment utilized by the project are imported from abroad, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, unforeseen delays in shipment delivery from suppliers have been occurring continuously, in result this caused extensive delays in completion of the project as planned.
3. Further challenges have been faced in shipment of project equipment due to a limited number of vessels (fleet) to Tanzania and limited container packages in shipping lines have further impacted the project timing and completion.
4. In curbing the effects of Covid-19, we reduced the number of employees working at the same time by introducing shifts, in an effort to protect them, the clients and customers from Covid-19, despite the availability of vaccines still the majority hesitate to get vaccinated. Due to the reduced manpower, the project progress has also been affected significantly.

In light of the above and other corrective measures that we are currently putting in place, we believe that upon granting us another 2 year extension of the incentives, the project will bring much better and more benefit for Tanzania.



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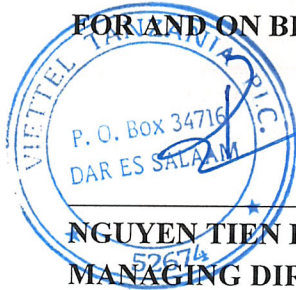
We further invite your technical team to visit and evaluate the project and its progress as a way of verification of the above.

Attached to this letter are all relevant documents including the certificate of incentives for your reference and our work progress report.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF VIETTEL TANZANIA PLC



NGUYEN TIEN DUNG
MANAGING DIRECTOR

