

Executive Director
Tanzania Investment Centre
P.O. Box 938
Shaaban Robert Street
Dar es Salaam

September 5th, 2023

Re: Request for Expansion of Longping Tanzania Investment Project

Dear Executive Director,

I represent Longping Agriscience, a subsidiary of the CITIC Group in China, specializing in global agribusiness, crop seeds, and grain production.

In light of the soybean trading agreement between Tanzania and China, we are actively participating in the National Soybean Cultivation Encouragement Project initiated by the Tanzanian Ministry of Agriculture. Our aim is to introduce high-quality seed varieties and advanced planting techniques to boost grain production. We are committed to expanding our investment in seeds and the entire grain production value chain.

Initially, we acquired a plot in Sumbawanga Municipal and obtained a Certificate of Incentives. After a thorough evaluation of our progress and strategic considerations, we have expanded our operations to include an additional 19,021 square meter plot in Morogoro Municipal, Tungi Ward. Our activities focus on building the soybean and yellow maize value chain in Tanzania, encompassing agriculture inputs supply and farm management for local farmers.

We kindly request your approval for the inclusion of this new plot in our expanding venture and the reissuance of the certificate to align with our strategic growth plans. We look forward to your response and appreciate your attention to this matter.

Thank you for considering our request.

Sincerely,



Shangyang Wu
Vice President / CFO

