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AUG 29 1985

Mr. Lawrence Holzman
Director CARE
Feria Ganadera
Santo Domingo, N.D.

SUBJECT: AID Project No. 517-0232
CARE Rural Water OPG

Dear Mr. Holzman;

Pursuant to the authority contained in the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, the Agency for International Development (hereinafter referred to as AID or "Grantor") hereby grants to CARE Dominicana (hereinafter referred to as CARE or "Grantee"), the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty Thousand United States Dollars (US\$430,000) to provide funding for operating and administrative expenses in connection with increasing the quality and the quantity of available water supplies as well as levels of sanitation and community awareness in 50 to 70 rural villages. An infrastructure for the maintenance and repair of water systems will also be created, as more fully described in Attachment 2 of this grant, entitled "Program Description".

This grant is effective and obligation is made as of the date of this letter, and shall apply to commitments made by the Grantee in furtherance of the program objectives during the period beginning with the effective date and ending August 31, 1988, (hereinafter referred to as the Project Activity Completion Date or PACD).

This grant is made to the Grantee on the condition that the funds will be administered in accordance with the terms and conditions as set forth in Attachment 1, "Schedule"; Attachment 2, "Program Description"; and Attachment 3, "Standard Provisions", which have been agreed to by your organization.

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Please sign the Statement of Assurance of Compliance, enclosed herein, and the original of this letter to acknowledge your acceptance of the conditions under which these funds have been granted.

Sincerely yours,


Henry R. Bassford
Director

Attachments: 1. Schedule
2. Program Description
3. Standard Provisions

ACCEPTED:


BY: Mr. Lawrence Holzman
TITLE: Director, CARE
DATE: 2.5.78
PROJECT NO.: 517-0232

PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

NAME OF ENTITY : CARE Dominicana

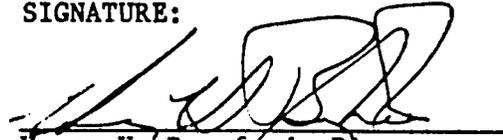
NAME OF PROJECT : Rural Water OPG

NUMBER OF PROJECT: 517-0232

Pursuant to Part I, Chapter 1, Section 104, of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, I hereby authorize a Grant to CARE Dominicana (CARE), the "Private and Voluntary Organization", of not to exceed Four Hundred Thirty Thousand United States Dollars (US\$430,000), to help finance foreign exchange and local currency costs of goods and services for the project. The planned life of the project is three years from the date of initial obligation.

The project will finance operational and administrative expenses to increase the quantity of available water supplies as well as levels of sanitation and community awareness in 50 to 70 rural communities in four southwestern provinces of the Dominican Republic. The project aims at directly and indirectly benefitting 33,000 to 41,000 low income persons, through the installation of drilled wells and, where feasible, gravity-flow water systems.

SIGNATURE:



Henry H. Bassford, Director
USAID/Dominican Republic

DATE:

8/29/85

ATTACHMENT 1

S C H E D U L E

A. Purpose of Grant

The purpose of the grant is to provide administrative and operational funds to increase the quality and quantity of available water supplies as well as levels of sanitation and community awareness in 50 to 70 rural villages located in four southwestern provinces of the Dominican Republic.

B. Period of Grant

1. The effective date of this grant is August 29, 1985 - - - -. The Project Activity Completion Date (PACD), or expiration date of this grant, is August 31, 1988.

2. Funds obligated hereunder are available for program expenditures for the estimated period, August 1985 through August 1988, as shown below in the Financial Plan. It is understood that August 31, 1988, is considered to be the PACD.

C. Amount of Grant and Payment

1. The total estimated amount of this grant for the period shown in B.1. above is Four Hundred Thirty Thousand United States Dollars (US\$430,000).

2. AID hereby obligates the amount of Four Hundred and Thirty Thousand United States Dollars (US\$430,000) for the program expenditures during the period set forth in Section B.2. above, and as shown in the Financial Plan.

3. Payment shall be made to the Grantee in accordance with procedures set forth in Attachment 3, Standard Provision 7.A., entitled "Payment-Federal Reserve Letter of Credit (FRLC) Advance.

D. Reporting and Evaluation

At quarterly intervals after signature of the grant, or at more frequent intervals if requested by AID, the Grantee will submit reports summarizing program activities, progress toward the grant purpose, objectives, problems encountered, steps toward their solution, and plans for the next quarter.

E. Special Provisions

Provisions 7.B., 7.C., 12., 13.A 16, 17, 18, 19, 26, 27, of Attachment 3 do not apply to this agreement and are hereby deleted.

F. Financial Plan

Adjustments among line items up to 15% (except for salaries) can be made by mutual agreement between AID and CARE without formal amendment.

The following is the Financial Plan for this Grant. Revisions to this plan shall be made in accordance with the Standard Provisions of this Grant entitled "Revision of Financial Plans."

FINANCIAL PLAN
(In US\$)

	FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR			THIRD YEAR			ALL THREE YEARS		
	AID	CARE	TOTAL	AID	CARE	TOTAL	AID	CARE	TOTAL	AID	CARE	TOTAL
<u>Operational Expenses</u>	137,485	128,400	265,885	154,705	69,700	224,405	137,810	101,900	239,710	430,000	300,000	730,000
<u>A. Personal Costs.</u>	43,600	34,000	77,600	48,000	37,600	85,600	28,600	65,400	94,000	120,200	137,000	257,200
1. U. S. Technicians.	-	34,000	34,000	-	37,600	37,600	-	41,200	41,200	-	112,800	112,800
2. Local Personnel.	43,600	-	43,600	48,000	-	48,000	28,600	24,200	52,800	120,200	24,200	144,400
<u>B. Training Costs.</u>	11,500	-	11,500	2,100	-	2,100	600	1,800	2,400	14,200	1,800	16,000
1. Training Equipment and Repair.	10,000	-	10,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,000	-	10,000
2. Education Material	1,500	-	1,500	2,100	-	2,100	600	1,800	2,400	4,200	1,800	6,000
<u>C. Commodity Costs.</u>	-	64,700	64,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64,700	64,700
1. Vehicle Purchase and Motorcycles.	-	64,700	64,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64,700	64,700
<u>D. Other Costs.</u>	82,385	29,700	112,085	104,605	32,100	136,705	108,610	34,700	143,310	295,600	96,500	392,100
1. Transportation Costs.	8,100	29,700	37,800	8,200	32,100	40,300	8,200	34,700	42,900	24,500	96,500	121,000
2. Cost of Office Equipment/Supplies.	5,000	-	5,000	2,500	-	2,500	2,500	-	2,500	10,000	-	10,000
3. Well Drilling (Contract Services).	49,200	-	49,200	68,800	-	68,800	74,200	-	74,200	192,200	-	192,200
4. Office Rent Utilities.	7,200	-	7,200	7,200	-	7,200	7,200	-	7,200	21,600	-	21,600
5. Evaluation.	-	-	-	3,500	-	3,500	3,500	-	3,500	7,000	-	7,000
6. CARE Overhead (10.34%).	12,885	-	12,885	14,405	-	14,405	13,010	-	13,010	40,300	-	40,300

ATTACHMENT 2

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

A. Purpose of the Project

The purpose of the grant is to provide administrative and operational funds to increase the quality and quantity of available water supplies as well as levels of sanitation and community awareness in 50 to 70 rural villages located in four southwestern provinces of the Dominican Republic.

B. Specific Objectives

Funds will be used to support the three-year rural village water supply project serving the above mentioned areas. CARE will coordinate activities with the GODR's Ministry of Health, Instituto Nacional de Aguas Potables y Alcantarillados (INAPA), the US/DR Peace Corps, and FUNDESUR, a local PVO.

Approximately 33,000 to 41,000 individuals will benefit from the project through: (a) improved water supplies, (b) improved waste disposal systems through promotion of family latrines, (c) improved family health practices through trained health promoters, and (d) established maintenance systems through functioning community water committees.

The project will thereby decrease the incidence of water-related diseases and increase the overall well-being of the communities.

C. Implementation Plan

The processes to be undertaken by CARE and the institutions with which they are coordinating are described in the CARE Water and Sanitation Project Proposal of August 1985.

The Project Director/Sanitary Engineer will be recruited in the United States. The Hydro-Geologist, Health Educator and Community Organization Specialists will be recruited locally.

The Project Director will carry out a month-by-month assessment of the project. Mid-term and end-of-project evaluations will be funded through the project, and will be conducted using outside technical assistance.

ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT REGULATION
UNDER TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

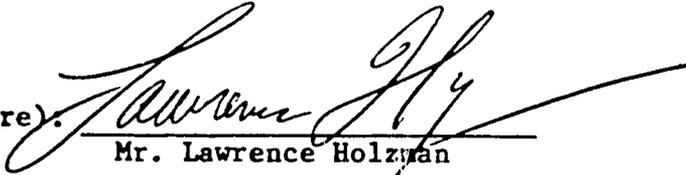
CARE Dominicana (CARE), (Hereinafter called the "Grantee") HEREBY AGREES THAT it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352) and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to the Regulation of the Agency for International Development (22 CFR Part 209, 30 FR 317) issued pursuant to that title, to the end that, in accordance with Title VI of that Act and the Regulation, no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, religion, sex or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under a program or activity for which the Grantee receives Federal financial assistance from the Agency; and HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT it will immediately take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement.

If any real property or structure thereon is provided or improved with the aid of Federal financial assistance extended to the Grantee by the Agency, this assurance shall obligate the Grantee, or in the case of any transfer of such property, any transferee, for the period during which the real property or structure is used for a purpose for which the Federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits. If any personal property is so provided, this assurance shall obligate the Grantee for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property. In all other cases, this assurance shall obligate the Grantee for the period during which the Federal financial assistance is extended to it by the Agency.

THIS ASSURANCE is given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all Federal grants, loans, contracts, property, discounts or other Federal financial assistance extended after the date hereof to the Grantee by the Agency, including installment payments after such date on account of applications for Federal financial assistance which were approved before such date. The Grantee recognizes and agrees that such Federal financial assistance will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance, and that the United States shall have the right to seek judicial enforcement of this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Grantee, its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Grantee.

GRANTEE: CARE Dominicana (CARE)

BY (Signature):


Mr. Lawrence Holzman

TITLE:

Director

DATE:

29/8/85