Program/Project/Activity Data

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If Yes, Purpose of Amendment: To cover a cost-extension of the activity and extend the period of performance

DCN(s) of Related EA/IEE/RCE/ER(s): 2008-UKR-005, 2010-UKR-003; 2014-UKR-010, 2019-UKR-024

Implementation Start/End: AMD: 06/30/20 – 7/01/21 LOP: 11/25/13 – 7/01/21

Funding Amount: AMD: $2,000,000 LOP Amount: $8,000,000

Contract/Award Number (if known): AID-121-A-14-00001

Recommended Determination: Categorical Exclusion

Additional Elements:
- Government to Government: ☐
- Local Procurement: ☒
- Donor Co-Funded: ☐

1. Purpose of Amendment
1.1. The purpose of the Amendment is to increase the ceiling of the RADA Project by $2 million, thereby raising the planned life of project to $8 million, and to extend the period of performance through July 1, 2021. This is the second amendment to the original RCE; there has been no change in the scope of work.
1.2. All conditions of the original RCE (2008-UKR-005, 2010-UKR-003; 2014-UKR-010, 2019-UKR-024) remain in effect. The Program’s objectives for 2019-2020 consist of implementing initiatives aimed at promoting parliamentary reform and the development of the Parliament of Ukraine as an accountable, open, and democratic institution. In 2019, USAID continued to support Ukraine’s parliament, the Verkhovna Rada (VR) in improving the implementation of its major functions. USAID provided assistance to assure effective communication among new MPs and their constituents. USAID assisted the VR Secretariat in organizing 26 training sessions for the newly elected MPs and their aides, both in Kyiv and oblasts, including the training of two new parliamentary factions (Sluha Narodu and Holos) on legislative processes and procedures. USAID also helped the VR Secretariat to develop and launch the Parliamentary Education Center in July 2019. To improve the quality of legislation and ensure increased public participation in the legislative process, 64...
Secretariat staffers and representatives of NGOs were trained on the basics of public policy analysis.

1.3. This project is currently in compliance.
2. Recommended Environmental Threshold Decision Clearances:

- **Approval:**
  - Susan K. Fritz, Mission Director
  - Signature: [Signature]
  - Date: 2/24/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - Susan Kutor, Deputy Mission Director
  - Date: 2/14/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - Randy Ali, Regional Legal Officer
  - Date: 2/12/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - David Hatch, Program Office Director
  - Date: 2/11/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - Thomas White, Democracy and Governance Office Director
  - Date: 2/12/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - Tatiana Kistanova, Mission Environmental Officer
  - Date: 2/12/2020

- **Clearance:**
  - Oleksandr Piskun, AOR
  - Date: 2/12/2020

- **Concurrence:**
  - Mark Kamiya, E&E Bureau Environmental Officer
  - Date: 2/25/2020

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