NOTIFICATION



FROM: Victoria Márquez-Mees, MICI Director

CC: Arantxa Villanueva, Compliance Review Phase Coordinator

REQUEST: MICI-BO-2014-079

OPERATION: Drainage in the Municipios of La Paz and El Alto (BO-L1028)

SUBJECT: Request for an extension of the investigation period – justification and

new proposed deadline

DATE: May 31, 2017

This is to inform that we are notifying the Parties today that the Board of Executive Directors has approved the request for a **30 business day extension** to the investigation period for the case MICI-BO-2014-079, related to the Drainage Program in the Municipalities of La Paz and El Alto (BO-L1028). The extension was requested by MICI for the purposes of conducting additional meetings/conference calls with the Project Team and the Requester which could not take place before the week that starts on June 5th due to conflicting agendas. The extension will also allow MICI to incorporate to the Draft Report the input received and to give the MICI Director the opportunity to conduct a final review of such document.

This extension was approved as a result of the Board of Executive Directors' consideration by short procedure, in accordance with paragraphs 59 and 43 c of the MICI Policy (MI-47-6). The new date for issuance of the Draft Compliance Review Report is **July 14, 2017**.

At that time, MICI will distribute the Draft Report to Management and the Requester for comments, in accordance with paragraph 44 of the MICI Policy. Both Parties will have 21 business days to submit their comments on the report.

Further information regarding the processing of this request can be found on the <u>case page</u> in the Public Registry.

Without anything further, I am at your disposition to answer any questions that may arise.