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Dear Madame,

15th October, 2009

I am directed to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2009 on the endorsement of the Nigeria Governors' Forum for the deductions of our Principals', the Executive Governors, funding at source from the office of the Accountant General of the Federation.

We have since deliberated with our Executive Governors, and we regret to inform you that deduction of funds at source from the office of the Accountant General of the Federation is prohibited.

We hereby acknowledge that the UTIN Project has indeed been endorsed by the Nigeria Governors' Forum, and that payment was endorsed by the Executive Governors at the National Economic Council meeting of 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2009.

We advise that the Project Team of the UTIN Project and its Chairman, conceptualise and put in place a system for collection of the funding of the said project, which the Nigeria Governors' Forum will continue to support.

Please be assured of our highest regards of the Chairman of the UTIN Project and the Members of the Joint Tax Board.

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