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**OUTCOMES OF THE MEETING BETWEEN AMBASSADOR B. KUPEMBA
AND THE DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN
THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND MEDICAL EDUCATION: 19 APRIL 2023**

I would like to express my sincere gratitude to you for availing your precious time for us to engage and review the outcomes of the recent visit to Iran by the Honourable Vice President and Minister of Health and Child Care, Dr. C.G.D.N. Chiwenga, and the agreed programmes of action under the signed Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in the Field of Pharmaceuticals, Medical Equipment, Medical Education and Health Systems Management between Zimbabwe and Iran.

In light of the pending visit to Zimbabwe by His Excellency, the President of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Ayatollah Seyed Ebrahim Raisi, we jointly identified the following as programmes that can be implemented in the shortest possible time to give momentum to the implementation of agreed programmes in the field of health between our two friendly countries: -

- To initiate the implementation of the MoU, we agreed on the necessity for regular engagement which will enable us to identifying projects that can be implemented in the shortest possible time by both sides and to monitor and evaluate progress;
- To exchange experiences and knowledge in public health management systems through exchange visits and webinars;
- To share or exchange information on medical and pharmaceutical products that will meet Zimbabwe's requirements; and

- To exchange information on Zimbabwe's capacity building needs in the medical field which could inform Iran on which scholarships to be availed to Zimbabwe and the modalities thereof.

As per your wise counsel, please find herewith, attached, the tender documents on the procurement of pharmaceutical products from Iran for your attention and onward transmission to interested pharmaceutical companies in Iran. Meanwhile, Mission is working on the list of Zimbabwe's capacity building requirements in the medical field which will be availed for your consideration as soon as possible.

We remain at your disposal to provide any information or assistance that you may require to facilitate the realization of our agreed programmes.

Kind Regards,



B. Kupemba
Ambassador