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For the attention of the Global Partnership for Education Secretariat

The education development partners in Sudan have appraised the Interim Basic Education Strategy developed by the Ministry of General Education and are pleased to provide a positive endorsement. We strongly believe that the implementation of this strategy will lead to significant improvements to the provision of basic education in Sudan, in particular by tackling the needs of girls, marginalised groups and those affected by conflict.

The usual caveats apply to our endorsement. It does not constitute an obligation or commitment of development partner funds. Such commitments, if any, will be subject to separate arrangements and the availability of funds. Moreover, the views expressed in this appraisal do not purport to represent the entirety of particular views held by individual development partners.

Signed in Khartoum

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(QLD) Date 24 May 2012

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Date: 5-28-12

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