

Mr Luis Alberto Moreno President Inter-American Development Bank 1300 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20577 USA

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Dear President Moreno,

I'm writing to congratulate you on the IDB's recent publication to the International Aid Transparency Initiative (IATI). This represents serious progress in the Bank's push for greater openness.

In a recent report on the status of Busan common standard implementation commitments, we classed the Bank as among the most ambitious global donors. You can see our full analysis of the Bank's commitments via our online Tracker on the following URL:

http://tracker.publishwhatyoufund.org/organisations/46012/

To make sure the Bank continues to be ambitious and act as a trend-setter amongst other DFIs, we would recommend the following next steps:

- Refreshing your common standard implementation schedule to reflect the recent publication, and to include further, more ambitious steps in data publication.
- These include the publication of results data and other related project documents, as well as the publication of activity level budgets and planned disbursements.

Continuing to develop more ambitious aims will highlight the Bank as a leader in open data disclosure and ensure that you receive the most benefit from data publication.

Once again, congratulations on an excellent publication, and I look forward to working with your staff on these and other issues.

Yours sincerely,

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