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Letter of Support

Re:Reopening of Construction Sites and Guidelines for Protection of Workforce during COVID-19

Dear Industry Colleagues,

On behalf of the leadership of Federation for Radical Economic Transformation (FFRET) I would like to express our full support of the submission made by Public Private Growth Initiative (PPGI) under the stewardship of SAFCEC pertaining to the Reopening of Construction Sites and Guidelines for Protection of Workforce during COVID-19.

Further, as FFRET we are in full support of government's measures to flatten the curve on the spread of novel COVID-19 including the Nationwide Lockdown as one of the key measures to that effect however, closure of the construction sector is having a ripple effect to our members both as Emerging Contractors as well as Construction Workforce. Reopening of construction sites will go a long way in addressing the high level of poverty already plaguing our communities and this will further assist to save our already ailing economy.

We are also in full support of SAFCEC Guidelines on Protection of the Workforce during COVID-19 because we cannot afford to lose even just one life on construction sites due to the lack of workforce protective measures in this period.

Yours truly,

Signature: _____

FFRET Secretary-General

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On behalf of FFRET Executive Committee