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Mr. Assefa Shifa
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Dear Mr. Shifa:

This letter comes to renew your appointment as Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and interim of the Secretariat of the African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM). As you are aware, the APRM is currently engaged in multiple urgent activities which cannot proceed successfully with a Secretariat devoid of institutional memory. Critical among these urgent activities are the preparations for the January 2014 Summit of the Forum of Heads of State and Government of the APRM, the meetings of the Committee of Focal Points, and the Panel of Eminent Persons. Accordingly, you are hereby directed to return to South Africa and begin without delay the preparations for the meetings of the Committee of Four and ensure the resumption of the normal functioning of the Secretariat.

In my capacity as Chairperson of the Committee of Focal Points, acting on instruction of the Chairperson of the Forum, I will offer you a contract when I come to South Africa for the meeting of the Committee of Four.

Best regards,

Amara M. Konneh
Minister of Finance and Chairperson, Committee of Focal Points

cc: Chairperson, Forum of Heads of State

Chairperson and Members, Panel of Eminent Persons
Executive Secretary, UNECA
Director, Africa Bureau, UNDP