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ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

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COMPANIES INCOME TAX (RATES ETC., OF TAX DEDUCTED AT SOURCE (WITHHOLDING TAX)) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS, 2015

[1st Day of January, 2015]

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 81(8) of the Companies Income Tax Act, Cap C21, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I, DR NGOZI OKONJO-IWEALA, Coordinating Minister for the Economy and Minister of Finance, Federal Republic of Nigeria hereby make the following Amendment to the Companies Income Tax (Rates etc., of Tax Deducted at Source (Withholding Tax)) Regulations, 1997:

1. The Companies Income Tax (Rates etc., of Tax Deducted at Source (Withholding Tax)) Regulations 1997 is amended as set out in these Regulations.

2. The Regulations is amended by substituting paragraph 1 of the Schedule with a new paragraph 1 as follows:

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<td>Payment in respect of:</td>
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3. These Regulations may be cited as the Companies Income Tax (Rates etc., of Tax Deducted at Source (Withholding Tax)) Amendment Regulations, 2015.

MADE at Abuja this 17th day of December, 2014.

DR NGOZI OKONJO-IWEALA
Coordinating Minister for the Economy and Minister of Finance
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the above Regulations but is intended to explain its purport)

These Regulations reduces the rate of tax deducted under the Companies Income Tax Act for all aspect of building, construction and related activities (excluding survey, design and deliveries) from 5% to 2.5%.