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**EXTENSION  
 OF  
 THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
 THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
 AND  
 THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF ECUADOR  
 CONCERNING  
 HEALTH CARE FOR MILITARY MEMBERS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS**

The Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Ecuador, hereby agree to extend the Agreement between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Ecuador Concerning Health Care for Military Members and their Dependents, signed at Washington, D.C., March 14, 2006 and Quito, June 18, 2006, hereinafter referred to as the "2006 Agreement."

The 2006 Agreement, as extended, shall have an effective date of September 16, 2009 and shall remain in force through September 30, 2012, unless terminated by either Party by giving at least ninety days written notice to the other Party.

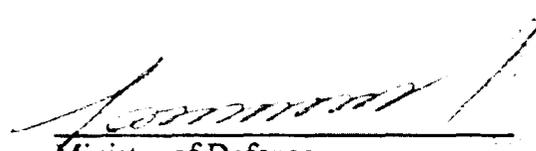
This Agreement extending the 2006 Agreement shall enter into force upon the date of the last signature.

Done in two original, each in the English and Spanish languages, both texts being equally authentic.

For the Department of Defense  
 of the United States of America

For the Ministry of Defense of the  
 Republic of Ecuador

  
 Deputy Secretary of Defense

  
 Ministry of Defense

Date: NOV 16 2009

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