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Secretary  
Tanzania League of the Blind-Uyui  
P.O. Box 621  
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8 March, 2007

Dear Mr. Said,

Re: **STATUS OF YOUR GRANT APPLICATION FCS/MG/1/07/33**

Thank you for your application to the Foundation for Civil Society.

Your application has undergone an initial screening to establish whether it meets the programme's basic eligibility criteria. This screening is meant to determine whether or not the application is forwarded onwards to the Selection Committee for further review and final recommendation.

We regret to inform you that we are unable to forward your application at this time for the following reasons:

- The proposed project is a repetition of your previous project funded by Foundation and does not specify new project areas to be covered.
- You did not show how you build form the previous project (lessons learnt and challenges were not shown to build the proposed project).
- Two copies of activity plan were not enclosed.
- Two copies of headquarter statement were not enclosed.
- The purchase of Braille machine should be calculated in 30% of administration cost.
- The proposed monitoring and evaluation plan is weak.

Please bear in mind that the decision made on your application is final at this stage. However, you are encouraged to reapply adhering to the Foundation guidelines and addressing the issues raised above.

If you require any clarification on the above point please contact us by phone, fax or email. If you wish to meet with a Foundation staff member we request you to make an appointment so that we are well prepared to discuss your particular application.

We hereby return one copy of your application with all the accompanying documents received by the Foundation.

Thank you very much for showing interest in the Foundation for Civil Society.

Yours sincerely,

Asha Mbogoro  
for: **Executive Director**