**MINUTES OF MEETING ON LOWER USUMA DAM TECHNICAL COMMITTEE HELD ON TUESDAY 2ND MAY, 2023 IN THE SITE OFFICE OF THE FCDA LOWER USUMA DAM ABUJA**

**1.0. ATTENDANCE:**

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| **S/N** | **Name** | **RANK/DESIGNATION** | **Tel. No.** |
| 1. | Engr.P.I.Aburime | CRE-CE LUD/FCDA | 08133242289 |
| 2. | Engr. Dauda. Musa | AD –FCT WB | 08065968634 |
| 3. | Engr. Mahmud. Ahmad | PM LUD/ FCT WB | 08106702549 |
| 4. | Adams. Nosakhare | Head (M&E) LUD/FCT WB | 08056302585 |
| 5. | Engr .Ige .Adeniyi | Asst PM 1&2/FCT WB |  |
| 6. | Sunny Patrick Oranika | Admin/FCDA | 08030987698 |
| 7. | Engr. Maxwell Igbinoba | Principal Engineer/FCDA | 08035862342 |
| 8 | Sunday Yohanna | CE/ FCDA | 08036909926 |

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| **S/N** | **DISCUSSIONS** | **ACTION BY** |
| **2.0** | **OPENING:**  The meeting started at 10.31AM and the CRE welcomed everyone present, and reminded everyone that the meeting was supposed to be held every month but couldn’t because of some known circumstances. He told the house about the passing away of the former member of the committee Engr Lawal, a minute silence was observed on his behalf. |  |
| **3.0** | **DISCUSSION**  The CRE briefed the meeting about the composition of the Technical Committee and reinstated that letters were given to members of the committee and for the purpose of clarity, they are all supposed to be in the meeting. In response, Engr Dauda made clarification that the error was due to the retirement of Engr Ajana and a replacement has to be brought in.  The CRE explained that the progress of work by the contractor is slow due to the issue of funds, but the processing of the payment file is ongoing and hopefully it will be completed soon. He also explain that the electromechanical components could not be procured because of paucity of funds. He apologized on behalf of the contractor for their absence.  Engr Dauda said their management is really concern about the pace of work which is affecting their production causing rationing of water supply to town. And also the phase 3 and 4 needs urgent Attention. He appealed to the committee to make contractor commence work soon. He also made mention that the back washing of the filter has been done manually over the years which is not sustainable and not keeping the water at its best and they expected they would have installed the blowers to help overcome the issue and reduce cost. Inresponse the CRE said he has noted it and will take it up with the contractor. |  |
|  | **CLOSING** in the absence of any other business The meeting ended at 10.48 AM |  |