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Professor Claudine, Storbeck, Director, Centre for Deaf Studies, Wits University,

Dear Professor Storbeck.

RE: 1ST FAMILY CENTRED EARLY INTERVENTION CONFERENCE IN SOUTH AFRICA

My name is Alex Ndeezi. I am a Member of Parliament in the National Legislative assembly of Uganda.

I am also the current Chairperson of the African Union of the Deaf (AUD). I am now writing to you in my capacity as AUD chairperson. AUD is a continental organization of the Deaf established to promote welfare and human rights of Deaf persons in Africa, Promoting Educational opportunities for Deaf persons through advocacy and awareness is one of the top priorities contained in our strategic plan.

We are therefore delighted to learn that you intend to organize and host a conference focusing on early intervention in promoting Educational opportunities for Deaf persons on our beloved continent.

AUD is pleased to formerly declare its full support for this very important conference which we hope will bring about a positive change in the Educational lives of deaf persons in Africa. AUD will inform its members and contacts and encourage them to attend and participate. Please keep us updated on the progress being made to host the conference.

You are at liberty to share this letter with Organizations and individuals interested in knowing our views on this conference.

We wish you the best in the preparations and hosting of the conference.

Alex Ndeezi (MP)

Chairperson – AUD

Cc: General Secretary -AUD Dickson. M

Cc: AUD Coordinator Betty Najjemba.