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Dhimmi: Waa'ee Rakkoo Mana Amantaa Kaatolikii Qunname Jedhamee Dhiyaate Ilaallata.

Waajjira Muummicha Yaa'ii Phaaphaasotaa Mana Amantaa Kaatoolikii Itiyoophiyaa irraa xalayaa lakka. CBCE/GS/393/2025 gaafa guyyaa 'October 29, 2025' ALA barreeffameen marii hoogganssa ol'aanoo waliin taasifamee fi iyyata kanaan duras dhiyaateen akka furmaata argatuuf dhimmoota barbaadan mirga ittifayyadama lafaa, gibira (taaksii), waa'ee bulchiinsaa fi zooniniingii fi dhimmoota fandii misooma qabeenya bishaanii, haala barumsaa, fayyaa, tajaajila misooma hawaasummaa irratti rakkoon adda addaa isaan qunnamaa jiraachuu ibsuudhaan furmaanni waaraa ta'e akka kennamuuf deddeebiidhaan gaafatanii jiru. Kan malees, hoggansi olaanaan bates kaanichaa kabajamoo Pirezidantii keenyaa waliin mar'atanii rakkinichi akka furamuu qabu walii galameera.

Haaluma kanaan, Waajjira Muummicha Yaa'ii Phaaphaasotaa Mana Amantaa Kaatoolikii Itiyoophiyaa rakkoonwwan adda addaa nu qunname jedhamee dhiyaate kana qaama dhimmi ilaallatu waliin ta'uudhaan kanneen bulchiinsa keessan keessatti raawwatame adda baasuudhaan furmaata akka kennamuuf isin hubachiisaa, hubannoo guutuudhaaf xalayaa ergamee ture kooppii isaa fuula 3 xalayaa kanaan miiltoo goonee erginee jirra.

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To:- Your Excellency Dr. Abdulaziz Dawud
Oromia President Office
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Subject: Reminder on Submission of Key Challenges Faced by Catholic Church institutions Vicariates in Oromia

Your Excellency,

Greetings in peace and respect!!

Following our constructive discussion held on 12 August 2025 at your esteemed office, and in line with your kind guidance, the Ethiopian Catholic Church formally submitted a letter on 13 August 2025 (Ref. No. CBCE/GS/305/2025) presenting the key challenges faced by our church institution operating within the Oromia Region.

These challenges — including land use rights, taxation, administrative and zoning issues, and matters related to the Water Resource Development Fund — continue to hinder the effective delivery and sustainability of our education, health, and social development services to the communities we serve across Oromia.

Through this respectful reminder, we kindly request your esteemed office to review and facilitate possible solutions to these long-standing issues in collaboration with the concerned regional bureaus. We remain fully committed to working hand in hand with your government in the spirit of partnership to advance the shared goals of sustainable and inclusive development in the region.

We sincerely appreciate your continued support and look forward to your kind response and guidance on the way forward.

With highest respect,

Abba Ketema Asfaw
Secretary General
Ethiopian Catholic Church

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Your Excellency Dr. Abdulaziz Dawud
Vice President of Oromia Regional State
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Subject: Submission of Key Challenges Faced by Catholic Vicariates in Oromia

Your Excellency,

The Ethiopian Catholic Church has, for decades, contributed significantly to national development, particularly in the Oromia Region, by delivering quality education, healthcare, livelihood support, and humanitarian services to all communities without discrimination. Our work aligns closely with government development priorities and is made possible through our strong collaboration with government structures at all levels. We deeply appreciate the positive contributions from government offices, including support in education and health service delivery.

However, despite this cooperation, our institutions face a number of pressing challenges that hinder service delivery and sustainability. These include unresolved land use disputes, unfair taxation, administrative and zoning restrictions, and disagreements over the Water Resource Development Fund.

As per the direction you kindly provided during our discussion meeting held on 12 August 2025 at your respected office, we respectfully submit the attached table summarizing these key issues, the areas affected, and relevant remarks for your kind attention and solution.

We remain committed to working closely with your esteemed office to resolve these matters in a manner that will enable the continued provision of essential services to the people of Oromia.

We officially delegate Mr. Dejene Tesfaye as a contact Person (+251924419648, dejene.tesfaye@mcsethio.org)

With highest respect,

Abba Ketema Asfaw
CBCE Secretary General

Vicariate	Issue Category	Details / Cases
Meki Catholic	Land and property use Rights	Critical dispute in Asela; similar potentials in Arsi, West Arsi, and East Shoa Zones across most intervention woredas.
	Taxation Issues	Most schools in Arsi, West Arsi, and East Shoa Zones face taxation challenges.
	Zoning Issues	Shashemene Health Center:-This issue is urgent. Our back donor will release funds for a G+5 building to upgrade the center only after confirming the issue is resolved
	Water Resource Development Fund	Batu ,Adami Tullu and Bulbula towns
Nekemte Catholic	Taxation Issues	Nekemte City: Kidane Mihret Catholic School (Darge Sub-city, 02 Kebele); Darge St. Joseph Clinic (Darge Sub-city, 02 Kebele). West Shoa: Guder School (Guder Town, Tokke Kutaye Woreda). West Wollega: Ghimbi KG (Ghimbi Town, Kebele 02).
	Land Use Rights	Qellem Wollega: APMECU (DD Eye-clinic), Dembidolo Town, 01 Kebele.
Robe Catholic	Land Use Rights	Dinsho School, Delo Mena School, Herarao School.
	Taxation Issues	Church properties in Kofale, including stadium and school land.
	Administration Issues	woreda Education Office refused to apply MoU between the Catholic Church Schools and Oromia education Bureau
Harar Catholic	Administration Issues	Metehara School closed for ~2 years due to prohibition of Catholic identity in the compound by woreda government bodies
	Administration Issues	Midegdu Woreda government bodies imposing school feeding without considering church capacity or consulting.
Ethiopian Catholic University	Lease isue	We have a lease-free agreement, we are now being asked to pay the Lease
Jima Catholic	Tax issues	Pole and Piter Catholic school
	Land Issues	Kulo ber becho bore kebele; our land is taken without legal proper procedure
Addis Ababa Catholic	Taxations	We are not profit making organization but we are requested to pay tax
	Wrong Categorization of our schools	We are a faith-based school, yet but we are being categorized as a private school.

Mootummaa Naannoo Oromiyaa Godina Arsiitti Mana Maree Aanaa Doddotaa

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Guyyaa 3/06/2014

Inistuuttii Pilaani Magaalootа Oromiyaa Damee Kibbaatiif

Shashammannee

Dhimmii: jijjiiraa zoniing / saayiit pilaanii gaffachu ilalata

Akkuma armaan oliti ibsamuuf yaalameeti Waajjiri BIFLM/Awaash malkaasa'aa xalayaa lakk A-251/M-55/1999 guyyaa 27/05/2014 nuf barreesseen rakkoo hawaasaa magaala isaani kan ta'ee rakkoo buufataa fayyaa akka qaban nu beekksiianiru .

Haalumaa kanaan nutis akka wajjira Af-yaa'ii Aanaa Doddootati gaffii Waajjiri BIFLM/Awaash malkaasa'aa gaffatee kuni amaansiisa waan ta'eef sayitii pilaani isaan gaffatan kun ilaalame mana jireenyaa irraa gara buufataa fayyaati akkaa jijjiramuuf isiin gaffachaa hubannoof akka toluu kooppii sayittii pilaani nuf ergame xalayaa gaggeessittuu fuula 2 qabdu waliin wal qabsiisuun isiin erginee jira.

Nagaa wajjiin

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Site Plan Proposing Form

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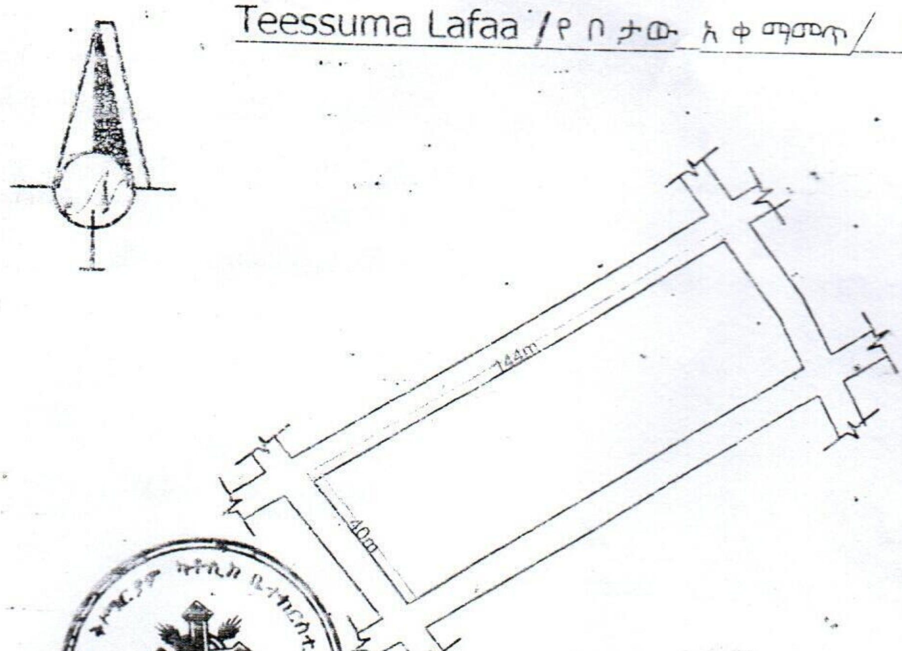

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Adaamaa

Iyyataan:-Mana Amantaa kaatoolikii Itoophiyaatti Damee Maqii

Dhimmii:- Qabeenya Seeran Ala nu jalaa qabamee akka gadinuuf lakkifamuu furmaanni bulchiinsaa akka itti nuuf keennamuu gaafachu ta'a.

Akkuma beekkamuu waajjirrii kaatoolikii Damee Maqii hojiwwaan misoomaa gara garaa hojjachudhaf dameewwan xixxiqaa Godinalee Arsii Lixaa, Arsii fi Shawaa Bahaa keessatti bane yeroo dheeradf tajaajila bishaan dhugaatii ,fayyaa,Shamarran Gahoomsuu,Wabii Nyaataa Mirkaneesuu ,Gargaara balaa tasaa fi deebisanii dhaaburratti hojjachaa jiraachuun ishee ni beekkama.

Dameewwaan xixxiqaa qabnuu kessaa tokko ammo Damee xiqaa Wanjii yoo ta'u hojiiwwan achitti baruma karoorfaman keeessaa projeektii waggaa shanii Godinaalee armaan olitti caqafaman sadan keessaatti Aanoolee 31 fim Magaaloota Xixxiqaa 8tti birrii Biiliyoona 1.2 waliigalteen MootummaaNaannoo Oromiyaa waliin waliigalame jalaqabuun isaa bakka bu'oonni Kanbajamoo Prazidaantii Naannoo Oromiyaa fi Seektaroon dhimmichi isaan ilaalattu aragamanitti labsame hojiitti galameera.

Haaluma kanaan Bulchiinsa Magaala Awaash malkaa Sa'aatti Carraa hojii dargagootaaf Shamarran lakk. isaanii 500 ta'aniif kanneen keessaa % 90 ammoo shamarran ta'aniif uumnee akkasumas tajaajila fayyaatiif kan ooluu jennee Mana kutaa jaha qabuu ijaarree meeshaalee buufata fayyaatiif oolan bitnee itti glachudhaf qophiirra osoo jirru Waajjirri Bulchiinsaa Magaala Awaash Malkaa Sa'aa foona Qaabeenya irraa qabnuu kanarratti jeequmsa nurratti waan umaniif kanuma caqasnee dhimmicha gara Mana Murtii geessinee dhimmicha famiirraa jira.

Kanaaumarratti hundaa'ee Damee Xiqaa Kenya kan ta'e Manni Amantaa Kaatolikii Wanjii iyyata xalayaa Lakk.ወ/ካ/ቤ/ካ/124/2018 ta'en gaafa 10/04/2018 barreessanii dhiyyeessan keessaatti qabxilee sadan ibsanii turan xiyyeefanoo keessa galchun furmaataa waaraa ta'e nuu

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Abbaa Miliyoon Maariyoo

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- **Mana Amantaa Kaatoolikii Damee Xiqqaa Wanjiitiif**

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