

US Government grants USD 8.31 million water project to Morogoro Municipal Council

The Millennium Challenge Account- Tanzania (MCA-T) has signed a contract worth US\$8.31 million with a Chinese firm, Zhonghao Overseas Construction Engineering Company Limited, to carry out rehabilitation and expansion of the water supply system in Morogoro municipality.

According to the press release, upon completion of the project, water production would increase from the current 22 million to 33 million litres per day. The project is expected to be completed within two years.

During the official signing ceremony that was held in Dar es Salaam recently, the Chief Executive Officer of MCA-T, Mr. Bernard Mchomvu said, "I congratulate you for winning the ten-

der and we hope you will work hard so that you finish the work within the time frame".

Speaking on behalf of the Zhonghao Overseas Construction Engineering Company, after contract signing, Mr. Liao Zerong MD Chief Representative for East Africa Office said, "We are very happy to be awarded this contract, we promise to provide quality work and finish in time".

Rehabilitation and expansion of the water supply system of Morogoro municipality is part of the water sector projects under the five years Compact grant, extended to Tanzania by the Government of the United States of America through the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) with the objective of reducing poverty and stimulating economic growth.



Representatives of MCA-T and Zhonghao Overseas Construction Engineering Company Limited sign a contract for rehabilitation and expansion of the water supply system in Morogoro municipality