Re: USAID-Meta Coordination

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Hi Sabeen—apologies for not getting back to you sooner. We are going through a bit of transition on my team and I expect to have someone to cover Payton's role here shortly, but for now you can tag me as point of contact and we'll come back to update.

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Dear Brian,

I hope you're doing well. As I'm sure you are aware, there are an increasing number of conversations between USAID and Meta, including the one this week with the Administrator and Nick Clegg.

Previously, Payton Iheme had been our main PoC , but my understanding is that she is no longer with Meta. Therefore, I was hoping you could help us identify a new PoC for USAID. This would obviously not preclude sector or region specific conversations that will continue to take place (and are encouraged). Instead, it would help us take stock of the wider USAID-Meta relationship on a regular basis and connect the various field teams with their appropriate counterparts.

Please let me know if this is of interest and if you have any questions or concerns.

Thanks,

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