

To: M. Jeffrey Griffin

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Co-financing for GEF project AVACLIM GCP/GLO/927/GEF: *Agroecology, a way of adapting to climate change in dry zones*

In my capacity as FAO Director of Plant Production and Protection Division (AGP), I confirm full participation in the above mentioned GEF co-financed project.

Accordingly, I am pleased to confirm that FAO will provide a USD 1,400,000 co-financing to the above mentioned project in the form of *grant* contributions, through the following projects that are active and relevant to the achievement of the objectives of the FAO-GEF project mentioned above.

Project/Programme Title	Component of AVACLIM project	Amount (USD)
FAO Global Knowledge product under Strategic Programme 2 (SP2: Making agriculture, forestry and fisheries more productive and sustainable): <i>Tools to support evidence-based decision-making on agroecology</i>	Component 2: Assessment of existing initiatives for evidence-based decision making at the national, local and landscape levels Component 3: Advocacy for informed decision-making	550,000
Grant: "Strengthening Multistakeholder Cooperation on Agroecological Approaches for Sustainable Agriculture" McKnight Foundation. Project Symbol: MTF/GLO/664/MKF	Component 2 and Component 3	200,000
Project GCP/GLO/921/GQC « Renforcement des capacités de planification de l'adaptation pour la sécurité alimentaire et la nutrition » in Senegal and Haiti, funded by the Government of Senegal (CBC).	Component 2 and Component 3	400,000
FAO's Technical Cooperation Programme (TCP): Scaling-up agroecology through policy support and Farmer Field Schools on Zero Budget Natural Farming with the Government of Andhra Pradesh – Rythu Sadhikara Samstha	Component 2 and Component 3	150,000
Project TCP/BKF/3703 Support for the Establishment of Pilot Eco-Villages in Burkina Faso.	Component 2 and Component 3	100,000
TOTAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION		1,400,000

Hans Dreyer

 15. Feb. 2019

Director

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PROJECT DOCUMENT



Upon request from the Government of (Enter Country Name), represented by the Ministry of (Enter Ministry Name);
the Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO) will provide technical assistance
for the following Project:

Project Title:	AVACLIM: Agroecology, ensuring food security and sustainable livelihoods while mitigating climate change and restoring land in dryland regions
Project Symbol:	

Upon signature of this project document by the duly authorized representatives of both parties, the project will be implemented in accordance with the background, rationale and management arrangements described herein.

On behalf of the Government:	On behalf of: FAO
Name:	Name: <i>Hans Dreyer</i>
Title:	Title: <i>ASP-Director</i>
Date:	Date: <i>15. Feb. 2019</i>