

Re: Co-financing for GEF project GCP/GLO/927/GFF “AVACLIM: Agro-ecology, ensuring food security and sustainable livelihoods while mitigating climate change and restoring land in dryland regions”

In my capacity as Head of the Research Unit Eco&Sols, I confirm full participation in the above mentioned GEF co-financed project.

Accordingly, I am pleased to confirm that **2,016,800 euros** will provide co-financing to the above-mentioned project in the form of *grant* contributions, through the following projects/programmes that are active and relevant to achievement of the objectives of the AVACLIM project:

Project/Programme Title	Component of AVACLIM project	Amount (EUROS)
SoCA, Beyond climate, soil C sequestration to sustain family farming in the Tropics (bailleur Fondation BNP Paribas)	Component 1: Building parnterships for experience sharing and capacity building of agro-ecology practitioners at the landscape and local levels with international connections among the project participants Component 2: Assessment of existing initiatives for evidence-based decision-making at the national, local and landscape levels Component 4: Communication and project monitoring, evaluation and reporting Project Management	C1 : 155,960 C2 : 467,880 C4 : 93,576 PM : 62,384 TOTAL : 779,800
SeCURE Soil ECological function REstoration to enhance agrosystem services in rainfed rice cropping systems in agroecological transition (bailleur Agropolis Fondation)	Component 1: Building parnterships for experience sharing and capacity building of agro-ecology practitioners at the landscape and local levels with international connections among the project participants Component 2: Assessment of existing initiatives for evidence-based decision-making at the national, local and landscape levels Component 4: Communication and project monitoring, evaluation and reporting Project Management	C1 : 71,100 C2 : 123,240 C4 : 23,700 PM : 18,960 TOTAL : 237,000
DScaTT Agricultural Intensification and Soil Carbon Sequestration in Tropical and Temperate Farming Systems Dynamic of Soil Carbon Sequestration in Agricultural Systems (bailleur Agropolis Fondation)	Component 1: Building parnterships for experience sharing and capacity building of agro-ecology practitioners at the landscape and local levels with international connections among the project participants Component 2: Assessment of existing initiatives for evidence-based decision-making at the national, local and landscape levels Component 4: Communication and project monitoring, evaluation and reporting Project Management	C1 : 149,800 C2 : 745,200 C4 : 25,000 PM : 80,000 TOTAL : 1,000,000
TOTAL GRANT CONTRIBUTION		2,016,800

In addition, IRD will support the AVACLIM project’s implementation with an in-kind contribution of USD/EURO 280,000 euros, concerning Northern scientist support.

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