

Naoko Ishii CEO and Chairperson

February 11, 2020

Dear Council Member:

UNDP and DBSA as the Implementing Agencies for the child project entitled: South Africa: Leapfrogging South Africa's Markets to High Efficiency LED Lighting and High Efficiency Distribution Transformers – GEF ID 9492, under the Program Framework Document (PFD) entitled: Leapfrogging Markets to High Efficiency Products (Appliances, including Lighting, and Electrical Equipment) (PROGRAM) – GEF ID 9083, have submitted the attached proposed project document for CEO endorsement prior to final approval of the project document in accordance with UNDP and DBSA procedures.

The Secretariat is reviewing the project document to ascertain its consistency with the PFD approved by the Council on October 2015 and to assess whether the proposed child project remains consistent with the Instrument and GEF policies and procedures. In accordance with the Council decision on reviewing child projects prior to CEO Endorsement, any comments or questions on the associated project document are welcome before March 11, 2020. Please send these to gcoordination@TheGEF.org.

Sincerely,

Naoko Ishii Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: Copy to: CEO Endorsement Request, Project Document and Annexes Country Operational Focal Points

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