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MINISTRY OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
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To: **Pradeep Kurukulasuriya**
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Podgorica, April 2, 2019

Subject: Co-financing letter for the project “Strengthening Montenegro’s Nationally Determined Contribution and Adaptation Activities Transparency Framework”

Dear Mr. Pradeep,

In the name of the Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism in the Government of Montenegro, I have the pleasure to confirm by the present letter that we will provide US\$ 250,000 towards the implementation of the above-mentioned project in form of in-kind co-financing. This important contribution will cover the real costs associated with government representatives’ active engagement throughout the four years of project implementation. This includes the many learning-by-doing workshops that will improve the absorptive capacities of stakeholders to critically apply improved methodologies, procedures, and guidelines in the form of climate action towards low-carbon and climate resilient development.

The project’s strategy is in line with the UNDP country programme document for period 2016-2020 that states the programme will support the formulation of a national climate change policy and effective compliance with international agreements. This project also represents a very important effort to support Montenegro’s long-term goals of accession to the European Union.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely,

Igor Gradjevic

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