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Subject: Endorsement for GEF Project “Transformation of Colombia’s Panela Subsector through the NAMA’s initial implementation (CPS-NAMA).”

In my capacity as GEF Operational Focal Point for Colombia, I confirm that the above project (a) is in accordance with my government’s national priorities and our commitment to the relevant global environmental conventions; and (b) was discussed with relevant stakeholders, including the global environmental convention focal points.

I am pleased to endorse the above project with the support of the GEF Agency listed below. If approved, the proposal will be executed by Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development and National Federation of Panela (FEDEPANELA).

The total financing from GEFTF that was granted for this project is **US\$ 2.180.000,00** inclusive of project preparation grant (PPG) and Agency fees for project cycle management services associated with the total GEF grant. The financing requested for Colombia is detailed in the table below.

Source of Funds	GEF Agency	Focal Area	Amount (in US\$)		
			Project	Fee	Total
GEFTF	CAF	Climate Change	2.000.000,00	180.000,00	2.180.000,00
Total GEF Resources			2.000.000,00	180.000,00	2.180.000,00



I consent to the utilization of Colombia's allocations in GEF-6 as defined in the System for Transparent Allocation of Resources (STAR).

Sincerely,

LAURA CAMILA BERMUDEZ WILCHES

GEF Operational Focal Point

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