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Naoko Ishii
CEO and Chairperson

June 27, 2019

Mr. Nessim J. Ahmad
Director
Asian Development Bank
No. 6 ADB Avenue
Mandaluyong City
Philippines

Dear Mr. Ahmad:

I am pleased to inform you that I have re-endorsed the major amendment of the full-sized child project proposal detailed below:

Decision Sought:	CEO Endorsement of Major Amendment of Child Project under a Program
GEFSEC ID:	5171
Agency(ies):	ADB
Focal Area:	Biodiversity
Project Type:	Full-sized Project
Country(ies):	Indonesia
Name of Project:	CTI: Coral Reef Rehabilitation and Management Program-Coral Triangle Initiative, Phase III (COREMAP-CTI III)
Parent Program:	Regional: CTI The Coral Triangle Initiative (PROGRAM)
GEF Project Grant:	\$8,000,000
Agency Fee:	\$760,000
Funding Source:	GEF Trust Fund

This endorsement is based on the understanding that the project is in conformity with GEF focal areas strategies and in line with GEF policies and procedures.

Sincerely,

Naoko Ishii
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: ADB's Notification on Major Amendment
Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point, GEF Agencies, Trustee



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May 21, 2019

Dear Council Member,

ADB as the Implementing Agency for the child project entitled: *Indonesia: CTI: Coral Reef Rehabilitation and Management Program-Coral Triangle Initiative, Phase III (COREMAP-CTI III) – GEF ID 5171* under the Program Framework Document (PFD) entitled: *Regional: CTI The Coral Triangle Initiative (PROGRAM) - GEF ID 3647*, has submitted the attached proposed project document for CEO re-endorsement of a major amendment in accordance with ADB and GEF procedures.

The Secretariat has reviewed the project document. The amendment involves i) cancellation of the ABD loan to which the GEF grant was linked, ii) shifting the executing agency from MMAF to the Ministry of National Development and Planning (BAPPENAS), and iii) extending the project closing date to December 2022. The Government of Indonesia has confirmed that MMAF will continue to invest in coastal and marine resources management, which will offset the cancelled ADB loan, and continue to address the original project targets including 2.33 million hectares of marine protected areas under effective management as indicated in the GEF CEO Endorsement.

We consider these changes to be major amendments to the original project document endorsed on September 19, 2013, although the overall project budget has not been changed. In keeping with GEF procedures, the Secretariat has reviewed the proposed changes and has ascertained their appropriateness in light of the project's objectives.

We have today posted the proposed project document on the GEF website at www.TheGEF.org for your information. We would welcome any comments you may wish to provide by June 19, 2019 before I endorse the project. You may send your comments to gcoordination@TheGEF.org.

If you do not have access to the Web, you may request the local field office of UNDP or the World Bank to download the document for you. Alternatively, you may request a copy of the document from the Secretariat. If you make such a request, please confirm for us your current mailing address.

Sincerely,

Naoko Ishii
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: Project Document, ADB's Notification of Major Amendment
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