

Naoko Ishii CEO and Chairperson

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Dear Council Member,

UNIDO as the Implementing Agency for the project entitled: Cote d'Ivoire: Sound Management of Unintentional Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) and Polychlorinated Biphenyl Ether (PBDEs) to Reduce their Emission from the Industrial Waste Sector - (GEF ID9263), has submitted the attached proposed project document for CEO endorsement prior to final Agency approval of the project document in accordance with UNIDO procedures.

The Secretariat has reviewed the project document. It is consistent with the project concept approved by the Council in November 2017 and the proposed project remains consistent with the Instrument and GEF policies and procedures. The attached project document prepared by UNIDO satisfactorily details how Council's comments and those of the STAP have been addressed.

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 21 August 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.

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Naoko Ishii

Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment:

Project Document

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Country Operational Focal Point, GEF Agencies, STAP, Trustee