



Global Environment Facility

August 12, 1999

Mr. Lars Vidaeus  
Executive Coordinator  
World Bank  
Washington DC 20433

Dear Mr. Vidaeus,

I am writing in reference to World Bank's letter of July 22, 1999, enclosing the proposal for an additional enabling activity support to Albania for participation in the Clearing House Mechanism of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

I wish to inform you that the CEO has approved the proposal for a total amount of US\$ 14,000.

Please find attached a copy of the project tracking sheet for your records.

Sincerely,

Kenneth King  
Assistant Chief Executive Officer

cc: Messrs. A. Djoghla (UNEP), R. Asenjo (UNDP), M. Gadgil (STAP)



**GEFSEC Project Tracking System**  
**Enabling Activities Clearance/Approval**

<b>ALBANIA: Participation in the Clearinghouse Mechanism of the CBD</b>
GEF Contribution: \$14,000

Proposed Processing Action	Signee	Requested Action	Signature	Date
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Concept Clearance</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation		
	Team Leader	Clearance		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Project Approval</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation	Avani Vaish	
	Assistant CEO	Clearance	Kenneth King	
	CEO	Approval	Mohamed T. El-Ashry	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Clearinghouse Mechanism Approval</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation	 Avani Vaish	08/12/99
	Assistant CEO	Clearance	Kenneth King	
	CEO	Approval	 Mohamed T. El-Ashry	8/12/99

Attachment:

- Secretariat Review
- Document Under Processing