



Global Environment Facility

GEF

February 11, 1999

Mr. Lars Vidaeus
GEF Executive Coordinator
World Bank
Washington DC 20433

Dear Mr. Vidaeus,

I wish to inform you that the CEO has approved the medium-sized project proposal entitled, *Ecuador: Wetland Priorities for Conservation Action*.

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

Sincerely,

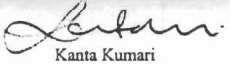

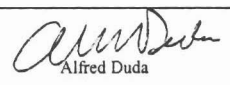

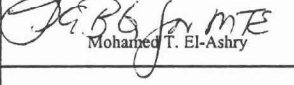


 Kenneth King
Assistant Chief Executive Officer



GEFSEC Project Tracking System
Medium-sized Project Clearance/Approval

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| Project: ECUADOR: Wetland Priorities for Conservation Action | |
| GEF Contribution: \$ 718,000 | Total Project Cost: \$ 909,888 |

| Proposed Processing Action | Signee | Requested Action | Signature | Date |
|--|-----------------|------------------|--|---------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Project Review | Program Manager | Recommendation |  Kanta Kumari | 1/26/99 |
| | Team Leader | Clearance |  Alfred Duda | 1/26/99 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Circulation to Council | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Project Approval | Program Manager | Recommendation | Kanta Kumari | 1/1 |
| | Team Leader | Clearance |  Alfred Duda | 2/11/99 |
| | Assistant CEO | Clearance |  Kenneth King | 2/11/99 |
| | CEO | Approval |  Mohamed T. El-Ashry | 2/11/99 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Final approval | Implem. Agency | Approval | | 1/1 |

Attachment:

- Project Review Sheet
- IA Cover Note (incorporating review comments)
- Letter of endorsement from GEF Focal Point
- Cover Letter to Council (for MTE's signature)
- Final Project Brief
- Electronic Version Available