



GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY
INVESTING IN OUR PLANET

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CEO and Chairperson

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Ms. Brennan Van Dyke
GEF Executive Coordinator
United Nations Environment Programme
Nairobi 00100, Kenya

Dear Ms. Van Dyke:

I am pleased to inform you that I have approved the enabling activity detailed below:

Decision Sought:	Enabling Activity (EA) Approval
GEFSEC ID:	9641
Agency(ies):	UNEP
Focal Area:	Chemicals and Waste
Project Type:	Enabling Activity
Country(ies):	Eritrea
Name of Project:	Development of Minamata Initial Assessment and National Action Plan for Artisanal and Small Scale Gold Mining in Eritrea
Indicative GEF Project Grant:	\$700,000
Indicative Agency Fee:	\$66,500
Funding Source:	GEF Trust Fund

This approval is subject to the comments made by the GEF Secretariat in the attached document. It is also 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: GEFSEC Project Review Document
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