



MINISTRY OF WATER, ENVIRONMENT
LAND AND CITY MANAGEMENT

CABINET OF THE MINISTER

N° Ref. 770/CAB/LA.28/2009

To **Monique BARBUT**
Chairman of GEF.

Subject: Endorsement for Burundi Energy Efficiency Project

In my capacity as GEF Operational Focal Point for Burundi, I confirm that the above project proposal (a) is in accordance with the government's national priorities and the commitments made by Burundi under the relevant global environmental conventions and (b) has been discussed with relevant stakeholders, including the global environmental convention focal points, in accordance with GEF's policy on public involvement.

Accordingly, I am pleased to endorse the preparation of the above project proposal with the support of the World Bank. If approved, the proposal will be prepared and implemented by REGIDESO. Further, I request the World Bank to provide a copy of the project document for information before it is submitted to the GEF Secretariat for CEO endorsement.

I understand that the total GEF financing being requested for this project is \$2,000,000, inclusive of project preparation grant (PPG), if any, and a 10% Agency fee to the World Bank for project cycle management services associated with this project.

I consent to the utilization of the following indicative allocations available to Burundi in GEF-4 under the GEF Resource Allocation Framework to cover the GEF project preparation and implementation as well as the associated Agency fees for this project.

Climate Change: Group Allocation upto \$3.3 million

Sincerely,



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Mr. Deogratias NDIWIMANA
Political Focal Point of GIEF

