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May 20, 2010

Ms. Maryam Niamir-Fuller
GEF Executive Coordinator
United Nations Environment Program
Nairobi 00100, Kenya

Dear Ms. Niamir-Fuller:

This letter supersedes the letter dated May 17, 2010.

I am pleased to inform you that I am endorsing the project proposal entitled ***Djibouti: Implementing NAPA Priority Interventions to Build Resilience in the most Vulnerable Coastal Zones in Djibouti***, for \$2,070,000 in financing from the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF). I take note that the amount I am endorsing differs from the original amount of \$2,000,000 approved by the LDCF Council at the time of work program inclusion. I understand that this project proposal will be submitted for Agency approval in accordance with the UNEP procedures. I note that a project preparation grant of \$75,000 was previously approved for preparation of this project and that a report on the use of those funds has been submitted to the Secretariat. Taking into account the project preparation funds, total LDCF grant for the project is \$2,145,000. I am also endorsing the fee of \$214,500 for project cycle management services. I am endorsing this project on the understanding that the project will meet the following milestones:

- (i) The GEF Agency approval will be signed no later than June 2010;
- (ii) A report on the status of the project at mid-term will be submitted to the Secretariat no later than July 2012; and
- (iii) The closing date of the project grant will be no later than January 2014 and a terminal evaluation/project completion report will be submitted to the Secretariat within 6 months of such closing date.

You are requested to ensure that the GEF Secretariat is informed when each of these milestones is met. If any milestone is not achieved, and after consultations with your Agency, I may agree to revised milestones or recommend cancellation, termination, or suspension of the project, and I will communicate to the beneficiary country and your Agency the basis for such a recommendation.

Please ensure that your grant agreements continue to fully reflect this understanding.

I am attaching a copy of the project tracking sheet for your records.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Barbut', enclosed within a hand-drawn rectangular box.

Monique Barbut
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: GEF Tracking Sheet
GEFSEC Review Sheet

Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point
GEF Agencies, STAP, Trustee

Djibouti: Implementing NAPA Priority Interventions to Build Resilience in the most Vulnerable Coastal Zones in Djibouti

Authority	GEF Contribution (\$ million)	Total Cost (\$ million)	Requested Action	Signature	Date
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PIF \$2.000 \$3.897

Program Manager Recommendation *Bonizella Biagini*

Team leader Clearance *Robert Dixon RKD*

SM 8/12 CEO Approval *Monique Barbut* 8/8/08

PRG \$0.075 \$0.095

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Work Program Inclusion

Program Manager Recommendation *Bonizella Biagini*

Team leader Clearance *Robert Dixon*

CEO Approval *Monique Barbut*

Council Approval

Need to circulate to Council for
 >second review prior to CEO endorsement (4 weeks review period) Yes
 >CEO endorsement (second review waived) Yes

Program Manager Recommendation *Bonizella Biagini* 4/15/2010

SM 4/15 Team leader Clearance *Robert Dixon* 4/15/2010

Endorsement, wo PFG \$2,070,000 \$4,475,000
~~\$3,297,000~~

Agency fee \$214,500
~~\$214,500~~

Program Manager Recommendation *Bonizella Biagini* 5/13/2010

Team leader Clearance *Robert Dixon* 5/13/2010

17 4/20 CEO Approval *Monique Barbut*

Final Approval

Implementing Agency Approval

Cummulative GEF Contribution

4263