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To: Dmitri Piskounov  
Managing Director  
Programme Development  
and Technical Cooperation Division  
UNIDO  
Vienna International Centre  
P.O. Box 300  
1400 Vienna, Austria

**Subject: Endorsement for: Installation of Multi-Purpose Mini-Hydro Infrastructure (for energy and irrigation) in Liberia.**

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

Accordingly, I am pleased to endorse the preparation of the above project proposal with the support of UNIDO. If approved, the proposal will be prepared and implemented by the Ministry of Lands, Mines and Energy in collaboration with the Liberia Electricity Corporation. Further, I request UNIDO to provide a copy of the project document for review by the National GEF National Coordinating Committee in Liberia before it is submitted to the GEF Secretariat for CEO endorsement.

I understand that the total GEF financing being requested for this project is \$5,620,000.00, inclusive of project preparation grant (PPG), if any, and a 10% Agency fee to UNIDO for project cycle management services associated with this project.

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I consent to the utilization of the following indicative allocations available to Liberia 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: \$2,000,000.00

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "BTD", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the left.

Ben Turtur Donnie  
Executive Director

CC: Benjamin S. Karmorh, Jr.  
UNFCCC National Focal Point