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Endorsement of the Project "Commercializing
Energy Efficiency Financing (CEEFF)"

Dear Mr. El-Ashry,

The Ministry of Environment of Lithuania supports proposed full-sized project, Commercializing Energy Efficiency Finance (CEEFF), to be executed by the World Bank Group's International Finance Corporation.

This project will contribute to realization of the UN Framework Climate Change Convention, signed in 1995, objectives to reach the reduction of emissions of GHG what results in the decrease of long-term negative impact on the environment. We consider great importance of the realization of the proposed project activities, which will accelerate investments into the energy efficiency projects, thus positively supporting the implementation of our national obligations in regards of climate protection.

Looking forward to further co-operation we also would like require that project implementation mechanism in Lithuania, including local project management, involvement of Governmental and local institutions etc., shall be discussed and defined at the early project start phase.

Yours sincerely,

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