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Mr. Yannick Glemarec GEF Executive Coordinator United Nations Development Programme One United Nations Plaza New York, NY 10017

Dear Mr. Glemarec:

I am pleased to inform you that the LDCF/SCCF Council has approved by mail, the LDCF Work Program consisting of the Project Identification Form (PIF) for *Samoa:*Integration of Climate Change Risk and Resilience into Forestry Management (ICCRIFS) on February 19, 2010 for an indicative LDCF grant of \$2,400,000 as well as the Agency fee of \$240,000 for project cycle management services.

I look forward to receiving your final project document for my endorsement by September 2010. You are requested to inform the Secretariat as early as possible if this timeline cannot be met. We will then consult with the beneficiary country and your Agency prior to reaching a decision on whether to establish new milestones or to cancel the concept.

Sincerely,

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