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Dear LDCF/SCCF Council Member,

AfDB as the Implementing Agency for the project entitled: Sao Tome and Principe: Strengthening the Adaptive Capacity of Most Vulnerable Sao Tomean's Livestock-keeping Households, has submitted the attached proposed project document for CEO endorsement prior to final approval of the project document in accordance with AfDB procedures.

The Secretariat has reviewed the project document. It is consistent with the proposal approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council in November 2010 and the proposed project remains consistent with the Instrument and LDCF/GEF policies and procedures. The attached explanation prepared by AfDB satisfactorily details how Council's comments have been addressed.

We have today posted the proposed project document on the GEF website at www.TheGEF.org for your information. We would welcome any comments you may wish to provide by March 18, 2014 before I endorse the project. You may send your comments to gcoordination@TheGEF.org.

If you do not have access to the Web, you may request the local field office of UNDP or the World Bank to download the document for you. Alternatively, you may request a copy of the document from the Secretariat. If you make such a request, please confirm for us your current mailing address.

Sincerely,

Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment:

GEFSEC Project Review Document

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