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July 2, 2010

Mr. Kevin Cleaver
Assistant President
International Fund for Agricultural
Development
107 via del Serafico
00145 Rome
Italy

Dear Mr. Cleaver:

After reviewing the Project Identification Form (the "PIF") submitted for *Senegal: Climate Change Adaptation Project in the Areas of Watershed Management and Water Retention*, I am pleased to clear the PIF on an indicative amount of \$5,000,000 authorizing you to begin preparation of the project proposal taking into account the attached comments made by the GEF Secretariat based on the project concept's eligibility for grant under the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF) and conformity with GEF/LDCF strategies. However, the final LDCF grant amount will be confirmed at the time of GEF CEO endorsement, taking into account the Secretariat's review of the final project document's consistency with LDCF policies and procedures, including the cost-effectiveness of the financing plan.

All PIFs cleared will be posted on the GEF website for four weeks prior to LDCF/SCCF Council approval by mail.

Should Council Members raise significant policy or strategic concerns about the concept, the Secretariat will undertake consultations with the beneficiary country and your Agency about revisions to address the Council Members' concerns or whether to cancel the project proposal from the LDCF pipeline and to recommend that the associated PPG be cancelled.

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It is our expectation that your Agency will submit a final project document for endorsement no later than May 2011. 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 from the LDCF pipeline.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Barbut', with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

Monique Barbut

Attachment: GEF Tracking Sheet
GEFSEC Review Sheet

Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point
GEF Agencies
STAP
Trustee

Climate Change
OP: Oper Program

PMIS Project ID: 4234
IFAD

GEF Project Tracking System
Project Clearance/Approval

**Senegal: Climate Change adaptation project in the areas of
watershed management and water retention**

Authority	GEF Contribution (US\$)	Total Cost (US\$)	Requested Action	Signature	Date
PIF Clearance	\$5,000,000	\$13,825,000			
Program Manager			Recommendation	<u>Bonizella Biagini</u>	7/11/10
Team Leader			Clearance	<u>Robert K Dixon</u>	30 July 2010
CEO			Approval	<u>E-signature in letter.</u> <u>Monique Barbut</u>	
PPG Approval	\$120,000	\$278,000			
PPG Fees					
Program Manager			Recommendation	<u>Bonizella Biagini</u>	
Team Leader			Clearance	<u>Robert K Dixon</u>	
CEO			Approval	<u>Monique Barbut</u>	
Work Program Inclusion	\$5,000,000	\$13,825,000	CEO Clearance/Council Circulation		
Agency Fee (at WPI)	\$500,000				
Council Approval					
Endorsement w/o PPG					
Agency Fee (at CEO Endorsement)					
Program Manager			Recommendation	<u>Bonizella Biagini</u>	
Team Leader			Clearance	<u>Robert K Dixon</u>	
CEO			Council Notification		
CEO			Approval	<u>Monique Barbut</u>	