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Dear LDCF/SCCF Council Member,

World Bank as the Implementing Agency for the project entitled: ***Solomon Islands: Community Resilience to Climate and Disaster Risk in Solomon Islands Project***, has submitted the attached proposed project document for CEO endorsement prior to final approval of the project document in accordance with World Bank procedures.

The Secretariat has reviewed the project document. It is consistent with the proposal approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council in January 2014 and the proposed project remains consistent with the Instrument and LDCF/GEF policies and procedures. The attached explanation prepared by World Bank 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. Exceptionally, noting that the World Bank is faced with an imminent deadline for seeking Board Approval for this project, we have decided to shorten the period during which comments may be provided. Due to this exceptional circumstance, we would welcome any comments you may wish to provide by February 7, 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,

Naoko Ishii
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: GEFSEC Project Review Document
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