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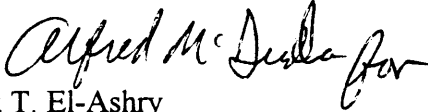
September 23, 1997

Mr. Rafael Asenjo  
GEF Executive Coordinator  
United Nations Development Programme  
New York, New York  
Fax No. : 212 906 6998

Dear Mr. Asenjo:

Please refer to UNDP's letter of September 19, 1997 enclosing the revised project proposal entitled : *Enabling Ukraine to Prepare its First National Communication in Response to its Comitments to the UNFCCC*. Under the expedited procedures for enabling activities, I am approving the proposal for a total amount of US\$206,000. In accordance with previous agreements, 15% of the approved amount should be made available immediately for start up work in the recipient country. UNDP will ensure close coordination with other efforts being undertaken in the Ukraine relevant to this project.

Sincerely,

  
Mohamed T. El-Ashry  
CEO & Chairman

cc : Messrs. Ahmed Djoghla (UNEP), Lars Vidaeus (World Bank),  
Pier Vellinga (STAP)

bcc: MTE Chron, AD Chron, AV Chron, DA, Circulating BB,  
EA Climate Change File - Ukraine

## GEF Project Tracking System Enabling Activities Project Clearance/Approval

<b>Ukraine: Enabling Ukraine to Prepare its First National Communication in Response to its Commitments to UNFCCC</b>	
<b>GEF Contribution: \$206,000</b>	<b>Total Project Cost: \$0.21 million</b>

Proposed Processing Action	Signee	Requested Action	Signature	Date
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Concept Clearance</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation	<u>Avani Vaish</u>	
	Team Leader	Clearance	<u>Alan Miller</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Project Approval</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation	<u>Avani Vaish</u>	
	CEO	Approval	<u>Mohamed T. El-Ashry</u>	9/23/1997
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Clearinghouse Mechanism Approval</b>	Program Manager	Recommendation	<u>Avani Vaish</u>	
	CEO	Approval	<u>Mohamed T. El-Ashry</u>	

Attachment :

- Secretariat Review
- Document Under Processing

*Cancelled 6/19/1998*