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March 09, 2010

Mr. Steve Gorman
GEF Executive Coordinator
The World Bank
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Washington, DC 20433

Dear Mr. Gorman:

I am pleased to approve your request for \$200,000 as a project preparation grant (PPG) for the full-sized project proposal *Morocco: MED Integrated Coastal Zone Management-Mediterranean Coast under the Regional: MED Mediterranean Environmental Sustainable Development Program "Sustainable MED"* to be funded under the GEF Trust Fund (GEFTF). I am also approving the Agency fee of \$20,000 for project cycle management services associated with the PPG.

This approval is based on the following understandings and milestones:

- (i) During preparation of the full-sized project proposal, the comments of the GEF Council, the GEF Secretariat, the STAP, the GEF Agencies and the relevant Convention Secretariat, will be taken into account;
- (ii) A final full-sized document will be submitted for CEO endorsement no later than May 2011; and
- (iii) A report on the use of the GEF project preparation grant will be submitted to the GEF Secretariat when submitting the final project document for CEO endorsement.

If any of these understandings or milestones is not achieved, you are requested to inform me as early as possible so that I may consult with the beneficiary country and your agency. Thereafter, I may agree to revised milestones or take a decision to cancel the project proposal from the GEF pipeline and to recommend to the agency that the associated project preparation grant be cancelled.

Mr. Steve Gorman

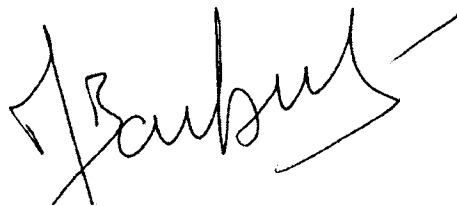
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Please ensure that your grant agreements continue to fully reflect these understandings.

I am attaching a copy of the project tracking sheet for your records.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Barbut', enclosed within a hand-drawn rectangular box.

Monique Barbut
CEO and Chairperson
Global Environment Facility

Attachment: GEF Project Tracking Sheet, GEFSEC Review Sheet

Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point, GEF Agencies, STAP, Trustee

International Waters
OP: Oper Program

PMIS Project ID: 4198
World Bank

GEF Project Tracking System
Project Clearance/Approval

Morocco: Integrated Coastal Zone Management-Mediterranean Coast

Authority	GEF Contribution (US\$)	Total Cost (US\$)	Requested Action	Signature	Date
PIF Clearance	\$5,181,818	\$25,181,818			
<i>h</i> <i>11/4/09</i> Program Manager			Recommendation	<i>Joly</i> Ivan Zavadsky	<i>Dec/30/2009</i>
Team Leader			Clearance	<i>for Fonseca</i> Gustavo Alberto Fonseca	<i>Dec/30/2009</i>
CEO			Approval	<i>e. signature</i> Monique Barbut	<i>01/04/2010</i>
PPG Approval	\$ 200,000	\$ 400,000			
	PPG Fees \$ 20,000				
Program Manager			Recommendation	<i>Aug</i> Ivan Zavadsky	<i>08/09/2009</i>
Team Leader			Clearance	<i>for Fonseca</i> Gustavo Alberto Fonseca	<i>3/1/2010</i>
<i>SM</i> <i>01/9</i> CEO			Approval	Monique Barbut	
Work Program Inclusion	\$5,181,818	\$25,181,818	CEO Clearance/Council Circulation		
Agency Fee (at WPI)	\$518,182				
Council Approval					
Endorsement w/o PPG					
Agency Fee (at CEO Endorsement)					
Program Manager			Recommendation	Ivan Zavadsky	
Team Leader			Clearance	Gustavo Alberto Fonseca	
CEO			Council Notification		
CEO			Approval	Monique Barbut	