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**NATIONAL CAPACITY SELF ASSESSMENT  
FOR GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL  
MANAGEMENT (NCSA)**

Dear Mr. Leonard,

The Ministry of Environment of Lithuania endorses the enclosed proposal to access GEF funding to conduct a National Capacity Self Assessment for Global Environmental Management (NCSA) through the United Nations Development Programme.

Lithuania considers the NCSA to be an important and valuable exercise in our ongoing efforts to protect the global environment while working to achieve our national sustainable development goals through the implementation of climate change, biodiversity and land degradation/desertification conventions.

Pursuant to the NCSA Operational Guidelines, the focal points for climate change (Mr. A. Daubaras), biodiversity and desertification (Mr. L. Budrys) have been fully consulted and their views taken into account in the formulation of this project proposal.

Yours sincerely,

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