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FAO office-Eritrea  
Asmara

Dear Manager,

Here attached I am sending to you the original copy of endorsed "Prevention and Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides in Eritrea Phase II". We have already sent by email the scanned copy to Barbara Conney and Mr. Richard Thompson.

Best regards,

**MOGOS WOLDE-YOHANNIS**  
**DIRECTOR GENERAL**



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To: Barbara Cooney  
GEF Coordinator, Technical Cooperation Department  
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations  
Viale delle Terme di Caracalla  
00153 Rome, Italy

Subject: Endorsement for Prevention and Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides in Eritrea Phase II

In my capacity as GEF Political and Operational Focal Point for Eritrea, I confirm that the above project proposal (a) is in accordance with the government's national priorities and the commitments made by Eritrea under the relevant global environmental conventions and (b) has been discussed with relevant stakeholders, including the global environmental convention focal points, in accordance with GEF's policy on public involvement.

Accordingly, I am pleased to endorse the preparation of the above project proposal with the support of FAO. If approved, the proposal will be prepared and implemented by The Ministry of Agriculture in conjunction with the Ministry of Land Water and Environment. Further, I request FAO to provide a copy of the project document for information of this before it is submitted to the GEF Secretariat for CEO endorsement.

I understand that the total GEF financing being requested for this project is \$2,420,000, inclusive of project preparation grant (PPG), if any, and a 10% Agency fee to FAO for project cycle management services associated with this project.

I consent to the utilization of the following indicative allocations available to Eritrea in GEF-4 under the GEF Resource Allocation Framework to cover the GEF project preparation and implementation as well as the associated Agency fees for this project.

Sincerely,

MOGOS WOLDE-YOHANNIS  
DIRECTOR GENERAL

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