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December 1, 2008

Mr. Yannick Glemarec  
GEF Executive Coordinator  
United Nations Development Programme  
One United Nations Plaza  
New York, NY 10017

Dear Mr. Glemarec:

I am pleased to inform you that I am endorsing the project proposal entitled ***Ghana: Capacity Building for PCB Elimination*** for \$2,945,700 in financing from the GEF Trust Fund (GEFTF). I take note that the amount I am endorsing differs from the original amount of \$3,500,000 approved by Council at the time of work program inclusion. I understand that this project proposal will be submitted for Agency approval in accordance with the UNDP's procedures. I note that a project preparation grant of \$350,000 was previously approved for preparation of this project and that a report on the use of those funds has been submitted to the Secretariat. Taking into account the project preparation funds, total GEF grant for the project is \$3,295,700.

I am also endorsing the fee of \$329,570 representing 10% of the total GEF grant for implementation services.

I am endorsing this project on the understanding that the project will meet the following milestones:

- (i) The grant agreement will be signed no later than December 2008;
- (ii) A report on the status of the project at mid-term will be submitted to the Secretariat no later than December 2010; and
- (iii) The closing date of the project grant will be no later than December 2012 and a terminal evaluation/project completion report will be submitted to the Secretariat within 6 months of such closing date.

You are requested to ensure that the GEF Secretariat is informed when each of these milestones is met. If any milestone is not achieved, and after consultations with your Agency, I may agree to revised milestones or recommend cancellation, termination, or suspension of the project, and I will communicate to the beneficiary country and your Agency the basis for such a recommendation.

Mr. Yannick Glemarec

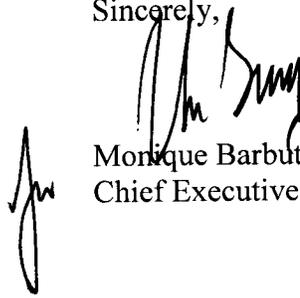
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Please ensure that your grant agreements continue to fully reflect this understanding.

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

Sincerely,



Monique Barbut  
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Attachment: GEF Tracking Sheet  
GEFSEC Review Sheet

Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point  
GEF Agencies  
STAP  
Trustee

**Ghana: Capacity Building for PCB Elimination**

Authority	GEF Contribution (\$ million)	Total Cost (\$ million)	Requested Action	Signature	Date
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**PIF FOR WPI**

Program Manager	Recommendation		Recommendation	Laurent Granier	1 Oct 07
Team leader			Clearance	Richard Hosier	1/26/07
CEO			Clearance	Monique Barbut	

**PPG \$0.350 \$0.485**

**APPROVED**

Program Manager	Recommendation		Recommendation	Laurent Granier	
Team leader			Clearance	Richard Hosier	
CEO			Approval	Monique Barbut	

**Work Program Inclusion \$3.850 \$8.503**

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**Council Approval**

Need to circulate to Council for >second review prior to CEO endorsement (4 weeks review period)  Yes  
 >CEO endorsement (second review waived)  Yes

**Endorsement w/o PDF \$2.946 \$6.517**

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Program Manager	Recommendation		Recommendation	Laurent Granier	28 Oct 08
Team leader			Clearance	IBRAHIMA SOW ROBERT DIXON	29/Oct/2008

**Program Manager Recommendation**

Program Manager	Recommendation		Recommendation	Laurent Granier	1 Dec 2008
Team leader			Clearance	Richard Hosier	1 Dec 08
CEO			Approval	Monique Barbut	1 Dec 2008

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**Final Approval**

Implementing Agency	Approval		Approval		
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Cummulative GEF Contribution