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ENVIRONMENT, COMMUNICATIONS,
CLIMATE CHANGE AND CERT (MEIDECC)
NUKU'ALOFA, TONGA

Ref: DCC/11/23

To: The Green Climate Fund ("GCF")

Date: 22 November, 2023.

**Re: Funding proposal for the GCF by the United Nations Development Programme
regarding the Coastal Resilience Project in Tonga.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

We refer to the project titled *GCF Coastal Resilience Project* in Tonga as included in the funding proposal submitted by the United Nations Development Programme to us on 8 November, 2023.

The undersigned is the duly authorized representative of Ministry of Meteorology, Energy, Information, Disaster Management, Environment, Climate Change and Communications (MEIDECC), the National Designated Authority of Tonga.

Pursuant to GCF decision B.08/10, the content of which we acknowledge to have reviewed, we hereby communicate our no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal.

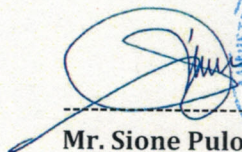
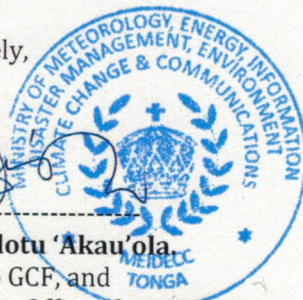
By communicating our no-objection, it is implied that:

- (a) The Government of Tonga has no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal;
- (b) The project as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with the national priorities, strategies, and plans of Tonga;
- (c) In accordance with the GCF's environmental and social safeguards, the project as included in the funding proposal is in conformity with relevant national laws and regulations.

We also confirm that our national process for ascertaining no-objection to the project as included in the funding proposal has been duly followed.

We acknowledge that this letter will be made publicly available on the GCF website.

Yours Sincerely,



Mr. Sione Pulotu 'Akau'ola
Tonga NDA to GCF, and
Chief Executive Officer for MEIDECC.
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